



05.-07.09.2019. Zagreb / Croatia

Advanced course in juvenile spondyloarthritis

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VENUE

Sheraton Zagreb Hotel, Address: Ul. kneza Borne 2, 10000, Zagreb, Croatia

REGISTRATION

The online Registration is now open

- ▶ FELLOW **150 €**
- ▶ RESIDENT **150 €**
- ▶ SENIOR **250 €**

INCLUDED WITH REGISTRATION

- Access to Sessions & Poster area
- Course documents, including the badge and congress bag
- Opening ceremony, welcome reception and dinner on Thursday, 5 Sept. 2019
- Coffee breaks, lunch and dinner on Friday, 6 Sept. 2019
- Coffee breaks and lunch on Saturday, 7 Sept. 2019

REGISTRATION DEADLINES

Completed registration and the corresponding payment should be received not later than 25 August 2019.

ACCOMMODATION

Book your special rate for the Advanced course in juvenile spondyloarthritis

- Last day to book accommodation in Sheraton Zagreb: Thursday, 1 August 2019
- After 1 August 2019 accommodation in Sheraton Zagreb will be question of availability

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THURSDAY, SEP 5

Session 1 Definition and actual position of juvenile spondyloarthritis

Chairs: Miroslav Harjacek and Rik Joos

- 17.00 Introduction / Miroslav Harjacek (Croatia)
- 17.15 The juvenile spondyloarthritis concept / Ruben Burgos Vargas (Mexico)
- 18.05 Where is the place for juvenile spondyloarthritis in the old and new classification of JIA? / Alberto Martini (Italy)
- 18.40 Is juvenile psoriatic arthritis a form of juvenile spondyloarthritis? / Kurt de Vlam (Belgium)

FRIDAY, SEP 6

Session 2 Diagnosis of and living with juvenile spondyloarthritis

- 09.00 Different forms of juvenile spondyloarthritis. Presentation of cases of ERA, jAS, IBD related, reactive arthritis by fellows / Comments by Rik Joos (Belgium)
- 09.30 Little Giant. Building a cohort of JSpA patients / Thomas Renson (Belgium)
- 10.30 Imaging in juvenile spondyloarthritis / Nele Herregods (Belgium)
- 11.05 Functional tests and clinical examination of jSpA patients / Mandica Vidovic (Croatia)
- 11.30 Examining the patients with juvenile spondyloarthritis - workshop / Jose Melo Gomez (Portugal) and Mandica Vidovic (Croatia)
- 13.30 Patient support groups for juvenile spondyloarthritis / Jona Egger (Israel)
- 13.55 Juvenile spondyloarthritis - Patient experience / Veerle Buys (Belgium)

Session 3 Pathogenesis of (juvenile) spondyloarthritis

- 14.30 "Omics" and NGS research in juvenile spondyloarthritis / Bob Colbert (USA)
- 15.05 The possible role of the innate immune system / gut microbiome in the pathogenesis of juvenile spondyloarthritis / Dirk Elewaut (Belgium)
- 15.40 Susceptibility genes in children with spondyloarthritis / Lovro Lamot (Croatia)
- 16.15 Immunopathogenesis of the juvenile spondyloarthritis / Miroslav Harjaček (Croatia)
- 16.50 Overview of day 1 and 2 / Rik Joos (Belgium)

SATURDAY, SEP 7

Session 4 Clinical characteristics of (juvenile) spondyloarthritis

- 9.00 Axial and peripheral involvement in children with JSpA / Pamela F. Weiss (USA)
- 9.35 Systemic features of juvenile spondyloarthritis / Angelo Ravelli (Italy)

Session 4 Therapy for (juvenile) spondyloarthritis

- 11.05 Therapy of juvenile spondyloarthritis / Dirk Elewaut (Belgium)
- 11.40 Physical therapy in juvenile spondyloarthritis / to be announced

Session 5 Living with juvenile spondyloarthritis

- 15.00 Transition in children with spondyloarthritis / Carine Wouters (Belgium)
- 15.35 Short- and long-term prognosis in juvenile SpA / Rik Joos (Belgium)
- 16.10 Closing remarks / Rik Joos (Belgium)