



5th International Renal
Pathology Conference

17th - 20th May 2023
Zagreb, Croatia

PROGRAM



INVITED SPEAKERS:

Charles Jennette, USA	Laura Magee, UK
Mark Haas, USA	Anila Abraham Kurien, India
Sanjeev Sethi, USA	Helmut Hopfer, Switzerland
Surya Seshan, USA	Pablo Javier Cannata Ortiz, Spain
Maria Picken, USA	Agnieszka Perkowska-Ptasińska, Poland
Ingeborg Bajema, the Netherlands	Renate Kain, Austria
Kerstin Amann, Germany	Amelie Dendooven, Belgium
Lois Arend, USA	Arvydas Laurinavicius, Lithuania
Carmen Avila-Casado, Canada	Jorge Fonseca-Correa, Mexico
Astrid Weins, USA	Zoltan Prohaszka, Hungary
Nine Knoers, the Netherlands	Nicolas Kozakowski, Austria
Candice Roufosse, UK	Krešimir Galešić, Croatia
Augusto Vaglio, Italy	Danica Galešić Ljubanović, Croatia
Joris J. Roelofs, the Netherlands	

ORGANIZING COMMITTEE:

Danica Galešić Ljubanović, Chair and local host, University of Zagreb School of Medicine
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REGISTRATION:

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WEDNESDAY, May 17th 2023

- 18:00** Opening ceremony
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THURSDAY, May 18TH 2023**Session 1: Kidney Biopsy - an overview**

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- 08:30 – 08:50** **Krešimir Galešić**, University of Zagreb School of Medicine, Dubrava University Hospital, Zagreb, Croatia
Kidney biopsy - what purposes it serves from the perspective of a nephrologist?
- 08:50 – 09:10** **Joris J. Roelofs**, Amsterdam UMC, Amsterdam, the Netherlands
Kidney biopsy - the essentials of diagnostic approach and reporting
- 09:10 – 09:30** **Surya Seshan**, Weill Cornell Medicine, New York, NY, USA
Classification systems of glomerular diseases - a critical appraisal
- 09:30 – 09:50** **Amelie Dendooven**, University Hospital Ghent, Ghent, Belgium
Kidney biopsy, registries and coding systems
- 09:50 – 10:10** **Arvydas Laurinavicius**, Vilnius University Hospital Santaros Klinikos, Vilnius, Lithuania
Digital pathology in nephropathology
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- 10:10 – 10:30** Q&A session
- 10:30 – 11:00** Break and poster presentation

Session 2: IgA nephropathy and Henoch-Schönlein purpura

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- 11:00 – 11:20** **Mark Haas**, Cedars-Sinai Medical Center, Los Angeles, CA, USA
Update on IgA nephropathy and Henoch-Schönlein purpura (HSP)
- 11:20 – 11:40** **Agnieszka Perkowska-Ptasińska**, University Hospital, Warsaw Medical University, Warsaw, Poland
IgA vasculitis and nephritis (the new name for HSP?)

11:40 – 12:00 Renate Kain, Medical University of Vienna, Vienna, Austria
Exceptional Case presentations of IgA deposits

12:00 – 12:15 Q&A session

12:15 – 13:30 Break

Session 3: Vasculitides and kidney

13:30 – 13:50 Ingeborg Bajema, Leiden University Medical Center, Leiden, the Netherlands
Overview and Classification of Systemic Vasculitides

13:50 – 14:10 Charles Jennette, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, NC, USA
Anti-GBM disease: an update including double positive ANCA and anti-GBM disease, and atypical anti-GBM disease

14:10 – 14:30 Augusto Vaglio, University Hospital of Parma, Parma, Italy
An update on ANCA vasculitis and rare vasculitides in children

14:30 – 14:50 Sanjeev Sethi, Mayo Clinic, Rochester, MN, USA
New antigens in Membranous nephropathy: an update

14:50 – 15:10 Q&A session

15:10 – 15:40 Break and poster presentation

15:40 – 16:00 RPS Research and Scientific Committee presentation

16:00 – 16:20 RPS Education and Training Committee presentation

16:20 – 18:00 Clinicopathologic Conference and Ask the Experts

18:15 – 19:00 Book presentation

FRIDAY, May 19th 2023.

Session 4: Genetics of kidney disease

- 08:30 – 08:50** **Danica Galešić Ljubanović**, University of Zagreb School of Medicine, Dubrava University Hospital, Zagreb, Croatia
Alport spectrum disorders

- 08:50 – 09:10** **Astrid Weins**, Brigham & Women's Hospital, Harvard Medical School Boston, MA, USA
Genetics of nephrotic syndrome

- 09:10 – 09:30** **Zoltan Prohaszka**, Department of Internal Medicine and Haematology, Semmelweis University, Budapest, Hungary
Diseases of complement dysregulation

- 09:30 – 09:50** **Nine Knoers**, University Medical Centre Groningen, Groningen, the Netherlands
Genetics of Kidney disease: guidelines for testing and a role of kidney biopsy

09:50 – 10:10 Q&A session

10:10 – 10:40 Break and poster presentation

Session 5: Tubulointerstitial diseases

- 10:40 – 11:00** **Lois Arend**, Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore, MD, USA
The most common tubulointerstitial diseases. An overview

- 11:00 – 11:20** **Kerstin Amann**, University of Erlangen-Nürnberg, Nürnberg, Germany
Autosomal dominant tubulointerstitial kidney disease

- 11:20 – 11:40** **Carmen Avila-Casado**, Toronto General Hospital: University Health Network, Toronto, Canada
CKD of unknown origin or Mesoamerican nephropathy

11:40 – 12:10 Q&A session

12:30 – 13:30 Break

Session 6: Kidney biopsy in the elderly population and pregnancy

13:30 – 13:50 **Renal biopsy in the elderly and very elderly.**

Jorge Fonseca-Correa, Instituto Nacional de Ciencias Médicas y Nutrición Salvador Zubirán, Mexico City, Mexico

A nephrologist's perspective.

13:50 – 14:10 **Anila Abraham Kurien**, Center for Renal and Urological Pathology, Chennai, India

A pathologist's perspective.

14:10 – 14:30 Maria Picken, Loyola University Medical Center, Chicago, IL, USA

Monoclonal gammopathies update

14:30 – 14:50 **Laura Magee**, King's College London, London, UK

Hypertension in pregnancy

14:50 – 15:10 **Pablo Javier Cannata Ortiz**, Facultad de Medicina, Universidad Autonoma de Madrid, Madrid, Spain

Pregnancy and kidney disease

15:10 – 15:30 Q&A session

15:30 – 16:00 Break and poster presentation

16:00 – 18:00 Clinicopathologic Conference and Ask the Experts

SATURDAY, May 20th 2023

Session 7: Transplant kidney pathology

08:30 – 08:50 **Candice Roufosse**, Imperial College, London, UK
Update on Antibody Mediated Reaction

08:50 – 09:10 **Mark Haas**, Cedars-Sinai Medical Center, Los Angeles, CA, USA
Update on T-cell Mediated Rejection

09:10 – 09:30 **Nicolas Kozakowski**, Medical University of Vienna, Vienna, Austria
Pathology of late allograft loss

09:30 – 09:50 **Helmut Hopfer**, University Hospital Basel, Basel, Switzerland
Borderline Rejection. What does it really mean?

09:50 – 10:10 Q&A session

10:10 – 10:40 Break

10:40 – 12:10 Clinicopathologic Conference and Ask the Experts

12:10 – 12:30 The best poster award and closing remarks



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