

## Preliminary Programme

Würzburg, Germany  
20-22 November 2025

### Thursday, 20 November 2025

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| 13:30 – 13:45 | <b>Welcome</b>                                                                                                                                      |                              |
| 13:45 – 14:35 | <b>Session I: Inflammation vs. Infection</b><br><b>Chairs: Dina Averbuch (IL) &amp; Rafael de la Cámara (ES)</b>                                    |                              |
| 13:45 – 14:05 | Inflammation vs. infection - diagnostic approach                                                                                                    | Oliver Kurzai (DE)           |
| 14:05 – 14:25 | Inflammation vs. infection - management                                                                                                             | Dionysios Neofytos (CH)      |
| 14:25 – 14:35 | <i>Case presentation: Unilateral Chronic Pleuritis in a Pediatric Patient after Hematopoietic Stem Cell Transplantation: A Diagnostic Challenge</i> | Giulia Ferrando (IT)         |
| 14:35 – 15:45 | <b>Session II: Infections Prophylaxis and Prevention</b><br><b>Chairs: Inken Hilgendorf (DE) &amp; Christina Rieger (DE)</b>                        |                              |
| 14:35 – 14:55 | Vaccination strategies in HSCT patients                                                                                                             | Inken Hilgendorf (DE)        |
| 14:55 – 15:15 | Antifungal prophylaxis                                                                                                                              | Andrew Ullmann (DE)          |
| 15:15 – 15:35 | Antibacterial prophylaxis                                                                                                                           | Dina Averbuch (IL)           |
| 15:35 – 15:45 | A complex infection with multiorgan involvement: lessons from a case                                                                                | Davide Bosetti (CH)          |
| 15:45 – 16:15 | <b>Coffee Break</b>                                                                                                                                 |                              |
| 16:15 – 17:05 | <b>Session III: Blood Stream Infections (BSI)</b><br><b>Chairs: Lidia Gil (PL) &amp; Malgorzata Mikulska (IT)</b>                                   |                              |
| 16:15 – 16:35 | How do diagnose BSI                                                                                                                                 | Enrico Schalk (DE)           |
| 16:35 – 16:55 | Bacterial BSI (incl. MDR) – treatment & management                                                                                                  | Maria Vehreschild (DE)       |
| 16:55 – 17:05 | <i>Case presentation: Septic shock on day +18 after haploidentical stem cell transplantation due to an unusual pathogen</i>                         | Carmen Corrales (ES)         |
| 17:05 – 18:15 | <b>Session IV: Cytomegalovirus</b><br><b>Chairs: Martin Schmidt-Hieber (DE) &amp; Daniel Teschner (DE)</b>                                          |                              |
| 17:05 – 17:25 | CMV – screening & diagnostic approach                                                                                                               | Michael Boeckh (US)          |
| 17:25 – 17:45 | CMV – treatment & prevention                                                                                                                        | Per Ljungman (SE)            |
| 17:45 – 18:05 | Cellular mediated immunity (CMI) – how to use it                                                                                                    | Eva Maria Wagner-Drouet (DE) |
| 18:05 – 18:15 | <i>Case presentation</i>                                                                                                                            | Paul Casey (IE)              |
| 18:15 – 18:30 | <b>Day 1 Closing Remarks</b>                                                                                                                        |                              |

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### Friday, 21 November 2025

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| 09:00 – 10:10 | <b>Session V: EBV, HHV6 and CARV</b><br><b>Chairs: Michael Boeckh (US) &amp; Per Ljungman (SE)</b>               |                              |
| 09:00 – 09:20 | EBV and HSV – Diagnosis and treatment                                                                            | Jan Styczynski (PL)          |
| 09:20 – 09:40 | HHV6 – Diagnosis and treatment                                                                                   | Simone Cesaro (IT)           |
| 09:40 – 10:00 | How I manage CARV infections                                                                                     | Christina Rieger (DE)        |
| 10:00 – 10:10 | <i>Case presentation</i>                                                                                         | Marina Vallvé (ES)           |
| 10:10 – 10:40 | <b>Coffee Break</b>                                                                                              |                              |
| 10:40 – 11:50 | <b>Session VI: Diagnostic Tools</b><br><b>Chairs: Dionysios Neofytos (CH) &amp; Oliver Kurzai (DE)</b>           |                              |
| 10:40 – 11:00 | How I use imaging in diagnosis of infections                                                                     | Claus-Peter Heuβel (DE)      |
| 11:00 – 11:20 | Fungal biomarkers and PCR techniques                                                                             | Jürgen Held (DE)             |
| 11:20 – 11:40 | Novel diagnostic approaches using NGS                                                                            | Daniel Teschner (DE)         |
| 11:40 – 11:50 | <i>Case presentation</i>                                                                                         | Laura Pedretti (IT)          |
| 11:50 – 12:50 | <b>Session VII: Invasive fungal diseases</b><br><b>Chair: Andrew Ullmann (DE) &amp; Rafael de la Cámara (ES)</b> |                              |
| 11:50 – 12:10 | IFD – diagnostic hurdles & approaches                                                                            | Oliver Cornely (DE)          |
| 12:10 – 12:30 | How I treat invasive pulmonary fungal infections                                                                 | Andreas Groll (DE)           |
| 12:30 – 12:40 | A severe emerging mycosis in neutropenic patient with hematological disease                                      | Claudia Gómez Hernández (ES) |
| 12:40 – 12:50 | <i>Case presentation</i>                                                                                         | Eva Desbrousses (FR)         |
| 13:00 – 14:00 | <b>Lunch Break</b>                                                                                               |                              |
| 14:00 – 15:20 | <b>Session VIII: How I Manage and Treat</b><br><b>Chairs: Dina Averbuch (IL) &amp; Jan Styczynski (PL)</b>       |                              |
| 14:00 – 14:20 | CNS infection                                                                                                    | Martin Schmidt-Hieber (DE)   |
| 14:20 – 14:40 | BKV infections                                                                                                   | Simone Cesaro (IT)           |
| 14:40 – 15:00 | GIT infection and CDI                                                                                            | Malgorzata Mikulska (IT)     |
| 15:00 – 15:10 | <i>Case presentation</i>                                                                                         | Martina Colli (IT)           |
| 15:10 – 15:20 | <i>Case presentation</i>                                                                                         | Laia García Marzo (ES)       |
| 15:20 – 15:35 | <b>Day 2 Closing Remarks</b>                                                                                     |                              |
| 15:35 – 16:00 | <b>Coffee Break</b>                                                                                              |                              |
| 16:00 – 18:00 | <b>Scientific Business Meeting</b>                                                                               |                              |

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### Saturday, 22 November 2025

09:00 – 10:20

#### Session IX: Basic & translational science

**Chair: Sebastian Voigt (DE) & Daniel Teschner (DE)**

09:00 – 09:20

IFD and immunology - from bench to bedside

09:20 – 09:40

Multidrug-resistant enterococci - a scientific point of view

09:40 – 10:00

Torque-Teno-Virus - scientific insights

10:00 – 10:20

Complex relationship – microbiome and infectious diseases

Michelle Seif (DE)

Stefanie Kampmeier (DE)

Sebastian Voigt (DE)

Erik Thiele Orberg (DE)

10:20 – 10:40

#### Coffee Break

10:40 – 11:50

#### Session X: Other Viruses & VSTs

**Chairs: Simone Cesaro (IT) & Armin Gerbitz (DE)**

10:40 – 11:00

Hepatitis Virus infections

11:00 – 11:20

Adenovirus infections

11:20 – 11:40

VSTs to counteract viral infections after HSCT

11:40 – 11:50

*Case presentation*

Rafael de la Cámara (ES)

Sebastian Voigt (DE)

Britta Eiz-Vesper (DE)

Martín Cueto Díaz (ES)

11:50 – 13:00

#### Session XI: Special Patient Cohorts

**Chairs: Jan Styczynski (PL) & Jochen Frietsch (DE)**

11:50 – 12:10

How to manage infections after CAR-T

12:10 – 12:30

How to manage infections after BiSpecs

12:30 – 12:50

How to manage infections in patients with GvHD

12:50 – 13:00

*Case presentation*

Anna Ruckdeschel (DE)

Lidia Gil (PL)

Armin Gerbitz (DE)

Lotan Choshen Cohen (IL)

13:00 – 13:15

#### Closing Remarks