

"Surveillance, prevention and therapies against parasitic diseases in humans and animals"

15-16 May 2025

Hilton Garden Inn Tirana, Bulevardi Gjergj Fishta, No. 146, 1001, Tirana, Albania.

Time: 14:00, 15.05.2025 (CET) - 18:00, 16.05.2025(CET)

First Day: Thursday 15th May 2025 from 14:00 to 18:00

Second Day: Friday 16th May 2025 from 09:00 to 18:00

TIME	AGENDA FIRST DAY	AFFILIATION /COUNTRY	NOTE
13:30-14:00	Reception and registration for day 1		Main hotel conference hall
14:00 – 14:30	Opening Ceremony speeches - Introducing to this event by MC member and action chair - Speech by Deputy Minister of the Ministry of Social Affairs - Speech by Director of IPH, Albania - Speech by Deputy Director of ISUV, Albania		Lecture Room
Session 1: 14:30-15:55	"One health epidemiological aspects of vector borne parasitic diseases" Session moderator: Elton Rogozi Fatgzim Latifi		Lecture Room
14:30 – 14:50	1st Keynote: One health collaborative surveillance – the past, the present and the future. Prof. Dr. Silva Bino	Institute of Public Health, Albania	
14:50-15:05	Kurtesh Sherifi & Fatgzim Latifi: "One Health approach to Crimean-Congo hemorrhagic fever virus in Kosova: tick surveillance, prevention and control"	Kosovo	
15:05-15:20	Anastasios Tasos: "Decoding the Gut's Enigma: Unravelling the Role of <i>Blastocystis</i> in Health"	University of Kent	
15:20 – 15:30	Doloreza Koka: The Albanian findings and global emergence of <i>Helicobacter pylori</i> antibiotic resistance. Statistical review	NJVKSH Durres	
15:30 – 15:45	Ehab Kotb Elmahallawy: Sero-epidemiological study of <i>Toxoplasma gondii</i> in equines in Northern Egypt	Universidad de Córdoba, Spain.	
15:45 – 15:55	Discussions of the FIRST session presentations		
15:55 – 16:20	Break		Main hotel conference hall
Session 2: 16:20-18:30	"One health current and future diagnostic tools of parasitic disease"		Lecture Room

	Session moderator: Doloroesa Mullaliu Harry de Koning		
16:20 – 16:50	2 nd Keynote: Prof. Dr. Anabela Cordeiro Silva "First Serological, Molecular, and Sociodemographic Characterization of Exposure to Leishmania spp. in the HIV-Infected Population of Northern Portugal"	Portugal	
16:50 – 17:05	Andi Koraqi: New diagnostic methods used in parasitic infections and tropical medicine	Albania	
17:05- 17:20	Ana Fuerogdo: From Zoonoses to Diagnostics: Investigating Enteric Microeukaryotes Transmission and Detection Strategies	Portugal	
17:20-17:35	Maria Paola Costi: Drug resistance prevention and drug target identification through omics approaches. The case of H80.	Italy	
17:35-17:50	Rokaya Ahmad: "Nuclear Protein Import in Leishmania: Establishment of a validated in situ assay for antileishmanial drug discovery"	Belgium	
17:50-18:05	Guy Caljon: Tropism of African trypanosomes: rationale for novel diagnostics for surveillance	Belgium	
18:05-18:15	Oltiana Petri: Multiplex molecular assays as diagnostic tools for gastrointestinal parasitic infections	Albania	
18:15-18:30	<i>Discussions of the SECOND session presentations</i>		
18:30	<i>Closing Remarks of the FIRST Day</i> Prof. Dr. Silva Bino		Lecture Room

Second day

TIME	AGENDA SECOND DAY	AFFILIATION	NOTE
09:00 – 09:30	Reception and registration		Main hotel conference hall
Session 3: 9:30-11:00	"Current and perspective therapeutical and control measures of vector borne parasitic diseases and beyond" Session moderator: Erinda Lika Rokaya Ahmad		Lecture Room

09:30 – 09:50	3rd Keynote: Clara Lima: Epidemiological survey of canine and feline leishmaniosis in Portugal	Portugal	
09:50 – 10:00	Elona Kureta: Epidemiology and control measures challenges of Malaria in Albania	Albania	
10:00 – 10:10	Edmond Puca: Dilemmas on the treatment of human Toxoplasmosis	Albania	
10:10 – 10:25	Hafidh Akkari: Anthelmintic; anticoccidial and anti-trypanosomal potentials of <i>Rosmarinus officinalis</i> essential oil	Tunisia	
10:25 – 10:40	Adela Vasili: Epidemiology and control of Leishmaniasis in Albania	Albania	
10:40-10:50	Elton Rogozi: "Role of Novel Vector Control Strategies and New Drugs Production in the Mitigation of Parasitic Vector-Borne Diseases Burden"	Albania	
10:50-11:00	Discussions of the THIRD session presentations		
11:00 – 11:30	<i>Break</i>		Main hotel conference hall
Session 4: 11:30-13:00	“Drug production and pharmaceuticals on parasitic diseases and antiparasitic resistance” Session moderator: Teita Myrseli Narimantas Čėnas		Lecture Room
11:30-12:00	4th Keynote: Harry de Koning: An investigation into the Mechanisms of Action and Resistance of Quinapyramine in African Trypanosomes	United Kingdom	
12:00-12:15	Elda Jano: Antiparasitic drugs manufactured by Profarma in Albania	Profarma, Albania	
12.15 – 12.30	Entela Haloci: Herbal drugs as antihelmintic agents and their nanoformulations	Albania	
12:30- 12.45	Lori Doko: Addressing Drug Resistance in Parasitic Diseases: Clinical Strategies and Integrated Therapeutic Approaches	Albania	
12.45 – 13.00	<i>Discussions</i>		
13:00 – 14:00	<i>Refreshment</i>		Restaurant at Hotel conference
Session 5:	“One health toxicology, Ecotoxicity and		Lecture Room

14:00-17:30	environmental chemistry and their impact” Session moderator: Oltiana Petri Clara Lima		
14:00 – 14:30	5nd Keynote: Erinda Lika: Ecopharmacovigilance role and need in Antimicrobial Environmental Pollution Prevention in Albania in One Health Approach	Albania	
14:30-14:45	Narimantas Čėnas; Antiplasmodial in vitro activity of phytocannabinoids: the influence of single-electron oxidation potential and lipophilicity.	Lithuania.	
14:45-15:00	Lindita Tafaj: Phasing out mercury measuring devices from the healthcare	Albania	
15:00-15:15	Aurel Nuro: “An overview on pesticide pollution in Porto-Romano area and its impact on animal and population health	Albania	
15:15-15:30	Irida Goxhaj: Identification of antimicrobial resistance genes and drug resistance analysis of <i>Escherichia coli</i> in the environment	Albania	
15:30-15:45	<i>Discussions of the FIFTH session presentations</i>		
15:45 – 16:15	<i>Break</i>		Main hotel conference hall
16:15-17:15	FLASH POSTERS PRESENTATIONS Session moderator: Erjona Abazaj Guy Caljon		Lecture Room
17:15-17:30	Discussions of the FIFTH session presentations		Lecture Room
17:30	<i>Closing Remarks of the SECOND Day</i> Prof. Dr. Maria Paola Costi		Lecture Room