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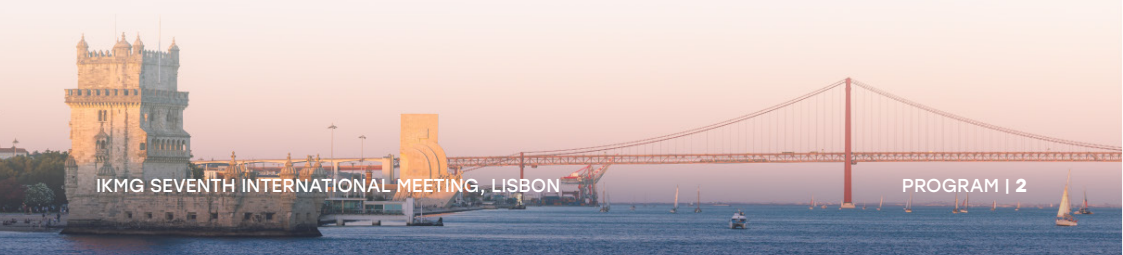
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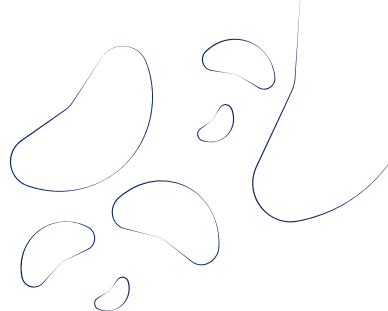
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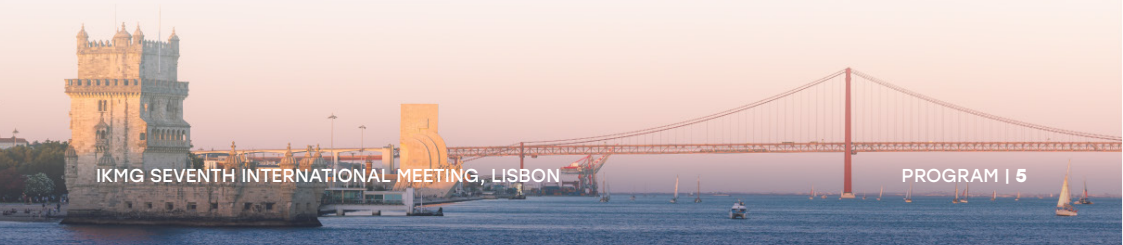
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08:30-08:40 OPENING SESSION

Karina Soto

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Angela Dispenzieri (IKMG President)

08:40-08:45 TRIBUTE TO FRANK BRIDOUX

08:45-09:30 PLENARY SESSION

Moderators | Paul Sanders

Ute Hegenbart

08:45

- From small dangerous B-cell clones to monoclonal gammopathy of renal and clinical significance

Estelle Desport, Bertrand Arnulf

09:05

- Unraveling Proximal Tubule Toxicity of Monoclonal Light Chains: Mechanisms and Implications

Vecihi Batuman

09:25

DISCUSSION

09:30-10:10 MODULE 1 - MONOCLONAL GAMMOPATHY OF RENAL SIGNIFICANCE (MGRS)

MINI LECTURES & DISCUSSION I

MGUS, SMM and MM: Current Understanding and Clinical vs. Molecular Basis of MGUS to Myeloma progression. Risk stratification and genomic markers.

Moderators | Angela Dispenzieri

Cristina João

09:30

- Unraveling the Journey: Molecular and Clinical Drivers of MGUS and SMM

Tom Cupedo

09:40

- Tumor dissemination and immune escape driving myeloma progression

Bruno Paiva

10:00

DISCUSSION

10:10-11:20

MINI LECTURES & DISCUSSION II

Diagnosis of Monoclonal Gammopathy associated kidney lesions: sharing perspective from pathologists

Moderators | Adriana García Herrera
Maria Picken

10:10

- A new Renal Pathology Society (RPS) / International Kidney and Monoclonal Gammopathy Research Group (IKMG) consensus on pathologic definitions and terminology of monoclonal gammopathy-associated kidney lesions

Samih Nasr

10:30

- British Society for Haematology recommendations for the diagnosis of MGRS: kidney biopsy aspects

Candice Roufosse

10:50

- Light chain cast nephropathy - when it is not a myeloma defining event

Virginie Royal

11:10

DISCUSSION

11:20-11:35

COFFEE BREAK

11:35-12:45

MINI LECTURES & DISCUSSION III

New strategies to improve the diagnostic performance of MGRS

Moderators | Ellen McPhail
Rui Bergantim

11:35

- RNA-based immunoglobulin sequencing as a new tool for MGRS management

Christophe Sirac

11:55

- M protein sequencing to detect and follow (small) B cell /plasma cell clones

Mario Nuvolone

12:15

- Blood mass spectrometry to detect monoclonal proteins in MGRS

Maria Willrich

12:35

DISCUSSION

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12:45-13:40 MINI LECTURES & DISCUSSION IV

State of the Art in Treatment Approaches of MGRS

**Moderators | Arnaud Jaccard
Paulo Lúcio**

**12:45 • Old and New in Clone-Directed Therapies for MGRS
Angela Dispenzieri**

**13:00 • Supportive management for MGRS
Luis Quintana**

**13:15 • Innovative pipeline therapies for MGRS
Nelson Leung**

13:30 DISCUSSION

13:40-14:50 LUNCH BREAK

14:50-15:10 FRANK BRIDOUX AWARDS

**Moderators | Angela Dispenzieri
Karina Soto**

- Clinical patterns and outcomes of AL amyloid recurrence post-kidney transplant
**Solos Jaturapisanukul et al.
Mayo Clinic, Rochester, MN, USA**

15:10-15:30 MODULE 2 - MM AND OTHER HEMATOLOGIC DISORDERS

MINI LECTURES & DISCUSSION V

**Moderators | Adriana García Herrera
Virginie Royal**

**15:10 • Renal diseases related to Hematologic Disorders beyond
Monoclonal Gammopathies
Mariam Priya Alexander**

15:25 DISCUSSION



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15:30-16:25 MINI LECTURES & DISCUSSION VI

Extracorporeal FLC removal in Light Chain Cast Nephropathy

Moderator | Enrique Morales

Paul Sanders

15:30

- Acute kidney injury in Multiple Myeloma

Paul Sanders

15:45

- Are there efficient alternatives to high cut-off HD?

Mohamed Belmouaz

16:00

- Removal of FLC through dialysis: adsorption with HFR supra system

Emanuele De Simone

16:15

DISCUSSION

16:25-17:00

COFFEE BREAK

17:00-17:50

MINI LECTURES & DISCUSSION VII

T cell engaging therapies: borrowing from myeloma to treat MGCS

Moderators | Abhijat Kitchlu

Efstathios Kastiris

17:00

- Bispecific antibodies to treat MGCS (including MGRS)

Bertrand Arnulf

17:20

- CAR T-cell therapies to treat MGCS (including MGRS)

Carlos Fernández de Larrea

17:40

DISCUSSION

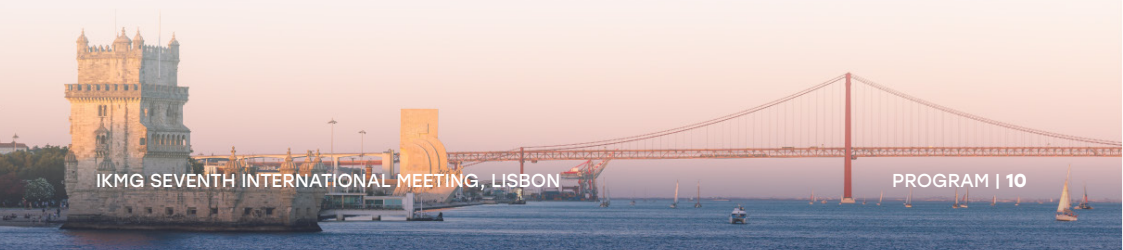
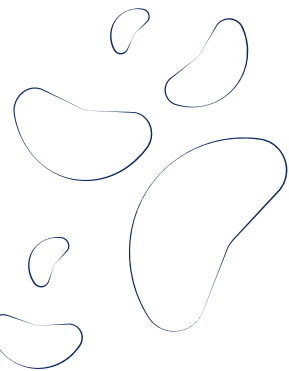


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17:50-18:10 **BEST RESEARCH ABSTRACTS**

Moderators | Abhijat Kitchlu
Joana Gameiro

- 17:50
- Autologous Stem Cell Transplantation in Dialysis-Dependent Multiple Myeloma: A 20-Year National Study
Natacha Rodrigues et al.
Unidade Local de Saúde Santa Maria, Lisbon, Portugal
- 18:00
- A long-read sequencing strategy to reveal truncated immunoglobulin heavy chains in Monoclonal Gammopathies of renal significance
Séléna Teillaud et al.
Limoges University Hospital, Limoges, France



SATURDAY, 27 SEPTEMBER 2025



08:30-09:00 MEMBERSHIP MEETING

09:00-10:30 MODULE 3 - AMYLOIDOSIS AND TRANSPLANTATION

MINI LECTURES & DISCUSSION VIII

Diagnosis and therapeutic innovation in AL Amyloidosis

**Moderators | Vaishalli Sanchorawala
José Maximino**

- 09:00** • Mechanisms understanding of renal amyloidosis
Francesca Lavatelli
- 09:20** • The Utility of Mass Spectrometry-based Proteomics in the
Diagnosis of Renal Amyloidosis: Lessons Learned from
Analysis of 5,000+ Cases
Ellen McPhail
- 09:40** • Transcriptional profiling and novel histologic scoring tool
Raymond Comenzo
- 10:00** • Novel therapeutic approach
Ashutosh Wechalekar

10:20 DISCUSSION

10:30-11:30 MINI LECTURES & DISCUSSION IX

**Assessing eligibility, outcomes and challenges in kidney
and Stem Cell transplantation**

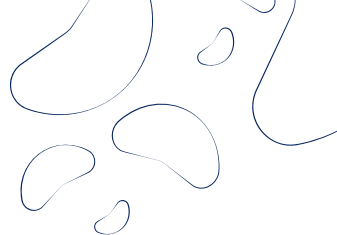
**Moderators | Luis Quintana
Ute Hegenbart**

- 10:30** • Kidney transplantation in patients with MGRS, MM
and Amyloidosis
Heather Landau
- 11:00** • Eligibility for Stem Cell Transplantation in Monoclonal
Gammopathies with CKD
Maria Teresa Cibeira

11:20 DISCUSSION

11:30-11:45 COFFEE BREAK

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11:45-12:15

BEST CLINICAL CASES

Moderator | Abhijat Kitchlu

Co-moderators | Hugo Ferreira

Maria do Mar Menezes

Natacha Rodrigues

11:45

- Acute kidney injury associated with Lenalidomide treatment in Monoclonal Gammopathies of renal significance: A seven-case series
Ariane Coutrot et al.
Hôpital Saint Louis, Assistance Publique des Hôpitaux de Paris, Paris, France

11:55

- A rare case of monoclonal gammopathy of renal significance presenting as membranous nephropathy with organized deposits
António Inácio et al.
Unidade Local de Saúde da Arrábida, Setúbal, Portugal

12:05

- Treating a patient with complete hematological response: Importance of light chain levels in Light Chain (AL) Amyloidosis
Chintan Shah et al.
University of Florida, Gainesville, USA



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12:15-13:15 MODULE 4 - IKMG PROJECTS & REGISTRIES MEETING

IKMG Registries

12:25 • On-going projects of the IKMG

Angela Dispenzieri

12:35 • MGRS Registry

Sabine Karam

IKMG New and Ongoing Projects

12:45 • Collaborative research projects

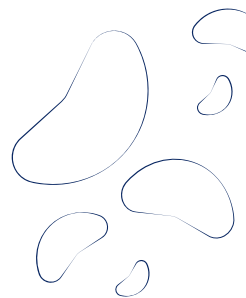
Nelson Leung

**13:00 • Incidence, Clinical Features, and Outcomes of Proliferative
GN with Monoclonal Immunoglobulin Deposition with
Detectable Clone - A Study Proposal**

Chintan Shah

13:15 DISCUSSION

13:25-13:35 CLOSING SESSION



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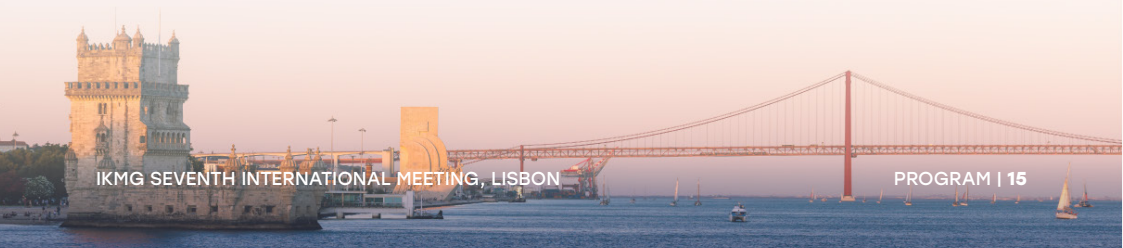
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