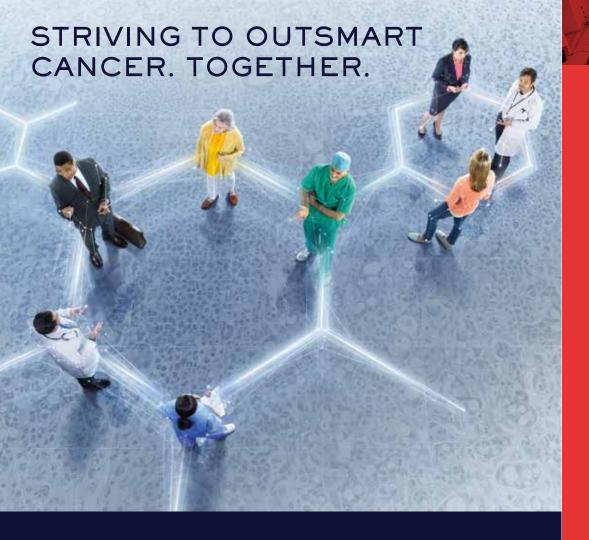




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# PROGRAM GENERAL ANNUAL MEETING FRIDAY 1 FEBRUARY 2019

Dear colleagues,

Welcome to the 34th General Annual Meeting of the BHS in Dolce La Hulpe.

We have selected several high-level scientific presentations which will cover the diagnostic approach, current recommendations for the treatment of hematologic diseases as well as new developments in the field.

This year, we will continue the success story of the "Ethics and Economy" session with a special presentation on ethical implications of incidental findings in next generation sequencing. In the third edition of the "Advances in laboratory technology" session, two major topics will be discussed: gene therapy in haemophilia and the impact of gut microbiota.

We will also taste of high quality clinical topics as multiple myeloma and belgian guidelines, histiocytosis, Acute myeloid leukemia, pregnancy and cancer and the discussion of the possibility to cure chronic lymphocytic leukemia by Professor Michael Hallek during the "Pierre Stryckmans Lecture". Research is once again highlighted during the selected oral presentations, the commented poster walk and the awards for young researchers.

For several years the "Nurse symposium" has become a must at our meeting and it is with great enthusiasm that we will welcome them once again on Friday.

I wish you an inspiring congress!

On behalf of the board,

Nathalie Meuleman President BHS

08.00	Registration
08.45 - 09.00	Welcome Prof. Nathalie Meuleman, President BHS
09.00 - 09.30	Highlight 1: Chairs: Chantal Doyen & Nathalie Meuleman Belgian treatment guidelines 2019 for multiple myeloma Prof. Marie-Christiane Vekemans, Cliniques universitaires Saint Luc (UCL), Brussels
09.30 - 10.30	Advances in laboratory technology
09.30	Chairs: Barbara Cauwelier & Ivan Van Riet Gene therapy for haemophilia: recent preclinical and clinical advances Prof. Thierry VandenDriessche, Vrije Universiteit Brussel, Brussels
10.00	The gut microbiota Prof. Laure Bindels, Louvain Drug Research Institute, Brussels
10.30 - 11.00	Coffee break
11.00 - 11.30	Special lecture 1: Chairs: Marie-Christiane Vekemans & Dominiek Mazure Histiocytoses: inflammatory or neoplastic diseases? Prof. Julien Haroche, Hôpital de la Pitié Salpêtrière, Paris, France
11.30 - 12.30	Satellite session 1 sponsored by Gilead  "CAR-T cell approaches in Aggressive B Cell Lymphoma"
11.30	Chair: Prof. Peter Vandenberghe, UZ Leuven Clinical overview of anti-CD19 CAR-T cell therapy in DLBCL Prof. Catherine Thieblemont, Hôpitaux Universitaires Saint-Louis, Paris
12.00	Patient management before, during and after CAR-T treatment in aggressive lymphoma
	Dr. Reuben Benjamin, King's College Hospital, London
12.30 - 13.30	Lunch and Commented Poster Walk 1
13.30 - 15.00	Selected oral abstracts Chairs: Dimitri Breems & Chantal Doyen
13:30	A pilot study to assess the feasibility of unrelated umbilical cord blood transplantation with coinfusion of third-party mesenchymal stromal cells after myeloablative or nonmyeloablative conditioning in patients with hematological malignancies  A. De Becker
13:45	Unraveling the landscape of copy number aberrations in Hodgkin lymphoma: a joint KU Leuven and LYSA study on circulating cell-free DNA  L. Buedts

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14:00	Renal allograft function following treatment of post-transplant lymphoproliferative disorder  E. Gelders
14:15	Clofarabine-Based Consolidation Improves Relapse-Free Survival of Patients with Acute Myeloid Leukemia with Complex or Micro-Complex Karyotype: Results from the Randomized ALFA-0702 Study L. Fenwarth
14:30	Overexpression of miR-15a-5p confers chemoresistance by inhibiting autophagy induced by daunorubicin in acute myeloid leukemia cell lines.  E. Bollaert
14:45	Erythropoietin modulates red blood cells elimination  M. Colard
15.00 - 15.30	Special lecture 2 Chairs: Dimitri Breems & Benjamin Bailly Future in acute myeloid leukemia Prof. Gert Ossenkoppele, Amsterdam University Medical Center, Amsterdam, the Netherlands
15.30 - 15.40	Website: something new? Prof. Ann Janssens, webmaster BHS
15.40 - 16.00	Coffee break
16.00 - 17.00	Ethics and Economy: Chairs: Kristel Buvé & Samantha Benghiat Ethic, legal and social implications of next generation sequencing Introduction by Prof. Veerle Labarque, UZ Leuven, Leuven Presentation by Prof. Pascal Borry, UZ Leuven, Leuven
17.00 - 18.00	Pierre Stryckmans Lecture: Chairs: Nathalie Meuleman & Marie-Chrisitane Vekemans Introduction by: Prof. Ann Janssens, UZ Leuven, Leuven Is there a curing menu for chronic lymphocytic leukemia? Prof. Michael Hallek, University Hospital Cologne, Köln, Germany
18.00 - 19.00	Reception + Commented Poster Walk 2
19.00	Congress dinner (additional registration necessary)

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08.00	Registration
08.45 - 09.00	<b>Welcome</b> <i>Martine Heylens Chair Nurses committee</i>
09.00	Living with haemophilia: from toddler till young adult woman!  Noémie Colasuonno, the patient perspective  Wanting to have children and being a haemophilia patient  Patrick Desmet, the patient perspective
09.45	Adolescents/young adults and their caregiver on the onco-hematology ward Johan De Munter/ Marijke Quaghebeur, UZ Gent, Gent
10.30 - 11.00	Coffee break
11.00	Hurdies and challenges of CART-therapy in children with acute lymphoblastic leukemia  Prof. Barbara De Moerloose, UZ Gent, Gent
11.30	Interprofessional teamwork: a necessity?  Michele Landeloos, UZ Leuven, Leuven
11.45	Haploidentical stem cell transplantation: state of the art anno 2019 Dr. Dominik Selleslag, AZ St. Jan Brugge, Brugge
12.30 - 13.30	Lunch
13.30	Adherence to oral anticancer drugs Anneleen Vanhellemont, UZ Leuven, Leuven
14.00	Fertility preservation before cancer treatment Prof. Marie-Madeleine Dolmans, Cliniques universitaires Saint Luc (UCL), Brussels
14.30	Fungal infections: who? what? where? and why? Dr. Toine Mercier, UZ Leuven, Leuven
14.30	The use of antifungal drugs in immunocompromised patients Dr. Anne Sonet, CHU UCL Namur (Godinne), Yvoir
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08.30 - 09.00	GENERAL ASSEMBLY - (access for BHS members only)	
09.00 - 10.00 09.00	Satellite session 2 sponsored by Pfizer Chair: Prof. Johan Maertens, UZ Leuven Moving beyond 7+3 for treatment of first line acute myeloid leukemia Prof. Sylvie Castaigne, Centre Hospitalier de Versailles, Université de Versailles Saint-Quentin, Le Chesnay, France Management considerations in treating relapsed or refractory acute	
03.30	lymphoblastic leukemia with an antibody-drug conjugate  Prof. David Marks, University Hospitals Bristol, National Health Service  Foundation Trust, Bristol, United Kingdom	
10.00 - 11.00	Highlight 2: Pregnancy and Cancer Chairs: Veerle Labarque & Sophie Servais	
10.00	Fertility preservation for young patients with cancer: who is at risk and what can be offered?  Prof. Michel De Vos, UZ Brussel, Brussels	
10.30	Cancer treatment for haematological malignancies during pregnancy: safe? efficacious?  Prof. Frederik Amant, UZ Leuven, Leuven, Belgium and Antoni Van Leeuwenhoek Ziekenhuis, Amsterdam, the Netherlands	
11.00 - 11.30	Coffee break	
<b>11.30 - 12.30</b> 11.30	Satellite session 3 sponsored by Takeda  Therapeutic options for penta-refractory and high risk multiple myeloma patients.  Dr. Rakesh Popat, University College London Hospital, London, United Kingdom	
12.00	Managing Hodgkin lymphoma in transplantation ineligible patients  Dr. Pauline Brice, Hôpitaux Universitaires Saint-Louis, Lariboisière, Paris, France	
12.30 - 13.00	Awards for best oral and poster presentations Presentations projects PACE Awards 2017 Presentations projects PACE Awards 2018	
13.00	Election results and Closing Remarks	

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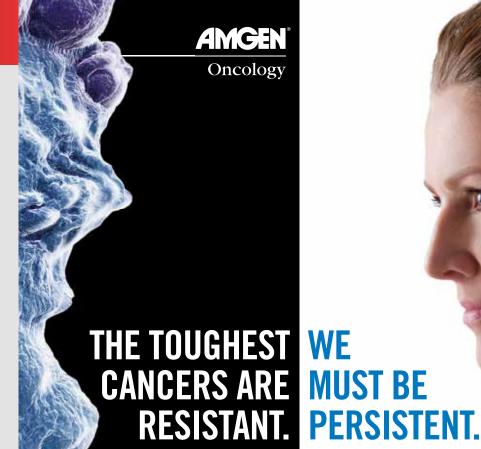
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