



2025 PPS Meeting

11th - 13th September 2025
Belgrade, Serbia

Programme

THURSDAY 11TH SEPTEMBER

REGISTRATION FOR THE 2025 MEETING OPENS AT 12.00 UNTIL 14.00 hrs

14.00 - 14.15 hrs: **Welcome Introduction to Meeting** – Jelena Martinovic & Gordan Vujanic

14.15 – 16.15 hrs: **Symposium on fetal development** - Chaired by Jelena Martinovic

14.15 - 14.45 hrs: **Genetic approach to fetal autopsies**- Jelena Martinovic

14.45 - 15.15 hrs: **Surprising findings at perinatal autopsy and placental examination** - Marina KOS

15.15 - 15.45 hrs: **Placenta pathology correlating with cerebral lesions** - Evelina Silvestri

15.45 – 16.15 hrs: **Infection and fetal development** – Alfons Nadal

16.15 – 16.45 hrs – **Coffee Break**

16.45 – 18.15 hrs: **Placenta Pathology Part 1** – Chaired by Annette Müller

16.45 – 17.15 hrs: **From term born neonates with normal or adverse outcome** - Lotte van der Meeren/ Peter Nikkels

17.15 – 17.45 hrs: **Neuroplacentology: placental pathology and expression profile** - Serap Toru

17.45 – 18.15 hrs: **Placental villous development and what can go wrong** - Gitta Turowski

18.15 – 18.45 hrs: **Consequences of maternal pre-diabetes and diabetes** - Tamas Marton & Beata Hargitai

Social get together

FRIDAY 12th SEPTEMBER

08.30 – 10.30 hrs: Placenta Pathology Part 1 – Chaired by Gitta Turowski

08.30 – 09.00 hrs: **Human placental cytology** – Brendan Fitzgerald

09.00 - 09.30 hrs: **Chronic inflammatory conditions of the placenta** - Mudhers Al-Adnani

09.30 – 10.00 hrs: **Expression profile of placentas in preeclampsia** - Sandra Zekic Tomas

10.00 – 10.30 hrs: **Chronic intervillitis and its therapy** - Lotte van der Meeren

10.30 – 11.00 hrs – **Coffee Break**

11.00 – 12.00 hrs: Tumor Symposium, part 1 – Chaired by Christian Vokuhl

11.00 – 11.30 hrs: **Germline predisposition to paediatric cancer (excluding DICER1)** - Maureen O'Sullivan

11.30 – 12.00 hrs: **Pediatric mesothelioma** - Miguel Mugica

12.00 – 13.00 hrs: **John Emery Memorial Lecture** – Chaired by Jelena Martinovic

Marta Cohen – “John Emery: an insight into his life and his research”

13.00 – 14.00 hrs: **Lunch Break**

14.00 – 16.00 hrs: Tumor Symposium, part 2 – Chaired by Gordan Vujanic

14.00 – 14.30 hrs: **Myofibroblastic tumors: what did we learn from molecular characterization.** – Rita Alaggio

14.30 – 15.00 hrs: **DICER1 syndrome & DICER1 associated lesions** - Uta Flucke

15.00 – 15.30 hrs: **Pediatric germ cell tumors** - Peter Bode

15.30 – 16.00hrs: **The paediatric pathologist's molecular toolbox** - Ed Cheesman

16.00 – 16.30 hrs: **Coffee Break**

16.30 – 17.30 hrs: **Meet Two Experts - Pediatric tumors - Gordan Vujanic & Christian Vokuhl**

17.45 – 18.45 hrs: AGM Session

20.00 hrs GALA DINNER

SATURDAY 13th SEPTEMBER

09.00 – 10.00 hrs: Tumor Symposium, part 3 – Chaired by Rita Alaggio

09.00 – 09.30 hrs: **In-situ Expression of Cancer-Testis (CT) antigens in fetal gonads and placenta** - Achim Jungbluth

09.30 – 10.00 hrs: **A short review of common childhood tumours of the liver** – Jens Stahlschmidt

10.00 – 10.30 hrs: **Coffee Break**

11.00 – 13.00 hrs: Young Pathologists session - Co-Chaired by Paul Brown and TBD.

11.00 – 11.07hrs - Rectal biopsy: Ganglion cells present - Paul O'Neill

11.07 – 11.14 hrs - A case of obstipation in a 16 year old - Lidija Andrejevic

11.14 – 11.21 hrs - Subcutaneous nodules in a child - Christine Crause

11.21 – 11.28 hrs - An unusual subcutaneous hamartomatous lesion - Nemanja Mitrovic

11.28 – 11.35 hrs - A case of acute neonatal respiratory failure - Dora Hargitai

11.35 – 11.42 hrs - Unexpected findings in a fetus with an oral tumor - Lise Pyndt Jørgensen

11.42 – 11.49 hrs - A case of a mediastinal mass - Vanja Kukic

11.49 – 11.56 hrs - A brachial plexus tumour - Raluca Mihai

11.56 – 12.00 – Catch up questions

12.00 – 12.07 hrs - A complex heart - Jaeike W. Faber

12.07 – 12.14 hrs - Congenital Hydrocephalus linked to TRIM71 de novo mutation: treatable or not? - Dina Ramarokoto

12.14 – 12.21 hrs - An infantile orbital mass - Will Simmons

12.21– 12.28 hrs - Liver biopsy in a two-year-old with neurological symptoms and non-cirrhotic portal hypertension - Ana Marija Tomic

12.28 – 12.35 hrs - An unusual ovarian mass - Oliver Rupar

12.35 – 12.42 hrs - Sudden death in two siblings - Ann-Helen Jamtøy

12.42 – 12.49 hrs - An unusual skin lesion in an infant - Jacinta Murray

12.49 – 12.56 hrs – A paravertebral mass in an infant- Sylvia Ghattas

12.56 – 13.00 hrs – Catch up questions