

# 21st European Testis Workshop

## Preliminary program – First draft

### May 30, 2021

Group busses departing from Barcelona (El Prat - terminal 1) to Hotel

12:00 (depart) – 13:30 (arrival)

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13.00 – 19.00 Registration

13.00 – 15.00 Lunch

16.00 – 16.15 Welcome

16.15 – 17.00 Keynote Lecture (EAA sponsored)

**Ewa Rajpert-De Meyts (Denmark)**

**'Germ cells turning malignant: importance of the somatic niche'**

17.00 [Symposium 1 - Lifestyle, toxicity and cancer](#)

17.00 – 17.35 Plenary Lecture

**Bernard Jégou (France)**

**Analgesics and the endocrine and reproductive systems**

17.35 – 18.00 Coffee break

18.00 – 18.45 Selected miniposters (10 min talk + 5 min discussion) x3

18.45 – 19:45 Short miniposter talks (3 min+ 2 min discussion) x12

20.00 - 22.00 Dinner

### May 31, 2021

07.00 – 8.45 Breakfast

09.00 [Symposium 2 - Endocrinology, gonad differentiation and sexual development](#)

09.00 – 9.35 Plenary Lecture

**Nitzan Gonen (Israel)**

**The Battle of Sexes: Studying the Regulation of Mammalian Sex Determination**

09.35 – 10.20 Selected miniposters (10 min talk + 5 min discussion) x3

10.20 – 10.45 Coffee break

10.45 – 11.15 Selected miniposters (10 min talk + 5 min discussion) x2

11.15–12.15 Short miniposter talks (3 min + 2 min discussion) x12

12.30 –14.00 Lunch

14.00 [Symposium 3 - Sperm evolution, physiology, quality and ART](#)

14.00 – 14.35 Plenary Lecture

**Simone Immler (UK)**

**The importance of selection on sperm phenotypes and sperm genotypes**

14.35 – 15.20 Selected miniposters (10 min talk + 5 min discussion) x3

15.20 – 16.20 Short miniposter talks (3 min + 2 min discussion) x12

16.20 – 16.55 Coffee break

16.55 [Symposium 4 - OMICS of testis and sperm function and dysfunction](#)

16.55 – 17.30 Plenary Lecture

**Antoine H.F.M. Peters (Switzerland)**

**Epigenetic of male germ cell differentiation and early embryo development**

17.30 – 18.00 Selected miniposters (10 min talk + 5 min discussion) x2

18.00 – 18.25 Coffee break

18.25 – 18.55 Selected miniposters (10 min talk + 5 min discussion) x2

18.55 – 19.55 Short miniposter talks (3 min + 2 min discussion) x12

20.00 - 22.00 Dinner

## June 1, 2021

09.00 **Symposium 5 - Spermatogenesis**

09.00 – 9.35 Plenary Lecture

**Aurora Ruiz-Herrera (Spain)**

**Three-Dimensional Genomic Structure during Spermatogenesis**

09.35 – 10.20 Selected miniposters (10 min talk + 5 min discussion) x3

10.20 – 10.45 Coffee break

10.45 – 11.15 Selected miniposters (10 min talk + 5 min discussion) x2

11.15 – 12.15 Short miniposter talks (3 min + 2 min discussion) x12

12.30 – 14.00 Lunch

14.00 Social entertainment / free afternoon

20.00 - 22.00 Dinner

## June 2, 2021

09.00 **Symposium 6 - Genetics and epigenetics**

09.00 – 9.35 Plenary Lecture (EAA sponsored)

**Frank Tüttelmann (Germany)**

**Genomics of Male Infertility: from Genes to Function**

09.35 – 10.20 Selected miniposters (10 min talk + 5 min discussion) x3

10.20 – 10.45 Coffee break

10.45 – 11.15 Selected miniposters (10 min talk + 5 min discussion) x2

11.15 – 12.15 Short miniposter talks (3 min + 2 min discussion) x12

12.30 – 14.00 Lunch

14.00 **Symposium 7 (ISA sponsored) - Accessory sex glands, fluids and sperm maturation**

14.00 – 14.35 Plenary Lecture

**Sarah Robertson (Australia)**

**Seminal fluid and fertility**

14.35 – 15.20 Selected miniposters (10 min talk + 5 min discussion) x3

15.20 – 16.20 Short miniposter talks (3 min + 2 min discussion) x12

16.20 – 16.55 Coffee break

16.55 **Symposium 8 - Germ stem cells, spermatogonia and fertility preservation**

16.55 – 17.30 Plenary Lecture (The Company of Biologists sponsored)

**Kyle Orwig (USA)**

**Fertility preservation from prepubertal testis**

17.30 – 18.00 Selected miniposters (10 min talk + 5 min discussion) x2

18.00 – 18.25 Coffee break

18.25 – 18.55 Selected miniposters (10 min talk + 5 min discussion) x2

18.55 – 19.55 Short miniposter talks (3 min + 2 min discussion) x12

20.00 – 24.00 Conference Dinner + Party

## June 3, 2021

09.00	Symposium 9 - <b>Testicular physiology and somatic cells</b>
09.00 – 9.35	Plenary Lecture <b>Artur Mayerhofer (Germany)</b> <b>The role of peritubular cells</b>
09.35 – 10.20	Selected miniposters (10 min talk + 5 min discussion) x3
10.20 – 10.45	Coffee break
10.45 – 11.15	Selected miniposters (10 min talk + 5 min discussion) x2
11.15 – 12.15	Short miniposter talks (3 min + 2 min discussion) x12
12.15 -12.45	Concluding remarks
13.00 –14.00	Lunch or bag lunch in bus back to Barcelona

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