



EQALM symposium 2018

October 18 – 19, Zagreb, Croatia

Program

Thursday 18 October 2018

8.00 – 14.00

Registration

Working Group Meeting (parallel sessions)

8.30 – 9.55

Haemostasis

TFG Immunohaematology

10.00 – 11.25

Haematology

Microbiology

11.30 – 12.55

Frequency

Virtual Microscopy

13.00 – 14.00

Lunch

Symposium

14.00 – 14.10

Opening

Anne Stavelin

Haematology

Moderator: Stephanie Albarede

14.10 – 14.40

EQA in haematology: current developments

Barbara De la Salle

14.40 – 15.10

EQA in hemoglobinopathies

Kees Harteveld

ISO 17043

Moderator: Stephanie Albarede

15.10 – 15.30

A need for revision of the ISO 17043 standard

Michael Noble

Interactive session

Moderator: Finlay MacKenzie

15.30 – 16.10

Homogeneity and Stability testing: practices by EQA organisations / each sample, each parameter? / alternative approaches

16.10 – 16.40

Break with refreshments

Adam Uldall Lecture

Moderator: Anne Stavelin

16.40 – 17.30

Future challenges in EQA, with special emphasis on harmonization and commutability.

Greg Miller

18.30 – 23.00

Social Event



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Traceability	Moderator: Piet Meijer	
9.00 – 9.30	Traceability in laboratory medicine	Graham Beall
Analytical Quality	Moderator: Piet Meijer	
9.30 – 10.00	Global efforts in quality improvement (IFCC WG on Analytical Quality): what does it mean for EQA?	Annette Thomas
10.00 – 10.30	Break with refreshments	
Pre-Analytical EQAS	Moderator: Christoph Buchta	
10.30 – 10.55	Quality Assurance of the pre-analytical phase	Ana-Maria Simundic
10.55 – 11.15	The CSCQ pre-analytical EQA scheme	Pierre-Alain Morandi
Abstract presentations	Moderator: Christoph Buchta	
11.15 – 11.30	Contribution from Croqalm	
11.30 – 11.45	Abstract 1	
11.45 – 12.00	Abstract 2	
12.00 – 12.15	Abstract 3	
12.15 – 12.30	Abstract 4	
12.30 – 13.30	Lunch	
EQALM General Assembly		
13.30 – 15.30	General Assembly	
15.30	Close of the meeting	