



EQALM symposium 2019

October 17 – 18, Ljubljana, Slovenia

Program

Thursday 17 October 2019

Registration 8.00 – 14.00

Working Group Meeting (parallel sessions) 8.30 – 13.00

8.30 – 9.45	Haemostasis	TFG Immunohaematology
10.00 – 11.15	Haematology	Microbiology
11.30 – 12.45	Frequency	Virtual Microscopy

Lunch 13.00 – 14.00

Symposium:

14.00 – 14.10 **Opening** **Anne Stavelin (Norway)**

ISO 17043 **Moderator: Stephanie Albaredo** 14.10 – 16.00

14.10 – 14.40 Homogeneity and stability testing Wim Coucke (Belgium)

14.40 – 15.10 Commutability of EQA samples, how to assess Vincent Delatour (France)

15.10 – 15.30 The perspective of the accreditation body Martin Stearn (United Kingdom)

15.30 – 16.00 The ISO17043 from the perspective of Laboratory Medicine: *Do we need a revision?* (results of a questionnaire + panel discussion) Piet Meijer (Netherlands)

Break with refreshments in the exhibition and poster area 16.00 – 17.00

Adam Uldall Lecture **Moderator: Anne Stavelin** 17.00 – 18.00

17.00 – 18.00 EQA– future challenges and opportunities Annette Thomas (United Kingdom)

18.30 – 23.00 **Social Event**



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Molecular Genetics	Moderator: Finlay MacKenzie	8.45 – 9.45
8.45 – 9.15	The effect of global migration on the European population genotype	Dorret Boomsma (Netherlands)
9.15 – 9.45	EQA in genetic testing.	Fiona Morgan (United Kingdom)
EQALM collaborations	Moderator: Piet Meijer	9.45 – 11.00
9.45 – 10.20	Harmonisation and traceability: a global effort (introduction + panel discussion)	Introduction by Sverre Sandberg (Norway)
10.20 – 10.45	Quality of interpretative comments	Eva Ajzner (Hungary)
10.45 – 11.00	Introduction on the Task and Finishing group on Immunology	Dina Patel (United Kingdom)
Break with refreshments in the exhibition and poster area		11.00 – 11.45
Abstract presentations	Moderator: Christoph Buchta	11.45 – 13.00
11.45 – 12.00	Contribution from local organizer, SNEQAS	t.b.a.
12.00 – 12.15	Abstract 1	
12.15 – 12.30	Abstract 2	
12.30 – 12.45	Abstract 3	
12.45 – 13.00	Abstract 4	
Lunch		13.00 – 14.00
EQALM General Assembly		14.00 – 16.00
End of the meeting		16.00