



GASL Annual Meeting 2024

Essen, January 26th - 27th – Program Overview



FRIDAY, JANUARY 26th, 2024

12.30 - 13.00		Poster Visit Session I and Lunch Break
13.00 - 13.10		Opening
13.10 - 13.55	(1) BASIC HEPATOLOGY (FIBROGENESIS, NPC)	Lectures Session I – Session Chair: Stephanie Rössler (Heidelberg) 1) Inhibition of the Renal Apical Sodium-Dependent Bile Acid Transporter Prevents Cholemic Nephropathy in Bile Duct ligated Mice; Ahmed Ghallab, Dortmund 2) Pharmaceutical inhibition of JNK/c-Jun-signalling in S. mansoni-infected mice aggravated liver damage; Lukas Knedla, Gießen 3) ECM1-Mediated Inhibition of Protease-Induced LTGF-β1 Activation in Chronic Liver Disease: Implications for Therapeutic Strategies; Frederik Link, Mannheim
13.55 - 14.20		Poster Discussion: Conrad Rauber (Heidelberg)
14.20 - 15.15		Poster Visit Session II and Coffee Break
15.15 - 16.00	(2) CLINICAL HEPATOLOGY, SURGERY, LTX	Lectures Session II – Session Chair: Dieter Hoyer (Essen) 1) Rapid liver regeneration following PVE/HVE improves overall survival compared to PVE alone – A midterm analysis of the multicenter DRAGON 0 cohort; Sinead James, Maastricht 2) Monitoring thiopurine metabolites and adding allopurinol optimizes thiopurine profiles and treatment response in autoimmune hepatitis; Jan Philipp Weltzsch; Hamburg 3) Bedeutung von intrapulmonalen Shunts und dem hepatopulmonalen Syndrom für den klinischen Verlauf von Patienten nach TIPS-Anlage; Jim Benjamin Mauz, Hannover
16.00 - 16.25		Poster Discussion: Henrike Dobbermann (Lübeck)
16.25 - 17.00	(3)	Poster Visit Session III and Coffee Break
17.00 - 17.30	GASL PLENARY MEETING	
17.30 - 17.50	PRIZE CEREMONY GASL Prize sponsored by YAEL foundation Sabbatical Fellowship sponsored by the German Liver Foundation	
17.50 - 18.35	(3) METABOLISM	Lectures Session III – Session Chair: Marcin Krawczyk (Homburg) 1) Patients with primary sclerosing cholangitis exhibit a specific metabolomic and lipidomic profile; Hauke Tews (Regensburg) 2) Caspase 8 deletion reverses MASH progression following hepatocyte-specific JNK deletion; Ines Volkert, Aachen 3) PNPLA3 fatty liver risk allele was fixed in Neanderthals and segregates neutrally in humans; Andreas Geier, Würzburg
18.35 - 19.00		Poster Discussion: Carolin Schneider (Aachen)

19.00 - 19.10	Announcement of the election results from the GASL Plenary Meeting
19.10	Shuttle Service to the Scientific Dinner
19.30	SCIENTIFIC DINNER

SATURDAY, JANUARY 27th

08.30 - 09.10		Poster Visit Session IV and Coffee Break
09.10 - 09.55	(4) TUMORS	Lectures Session IV – Session Chair: Catherine Leyh (Düsseldorf) 1) Tumour-specific activation of a tumour-blood transport that may improve the diagnostic accuracy of blood tumour markers; Albrecht Piiper, Frankfurt 2) SBNO1 is an essential epigenetic driver with common and distinct roles in HCC and CCA; Stephanie Rössler, Heidelberg 3) Machine learning for liver cancer risk stratification on population-level data; Jan Clusmann, Aachen
09.55 - 10.20		Poster Discussion: Benjamin Ruf (Tübingen)
10.20 - 11.00	STATE OF THE ART LECTURE: „Liver transplantation for hepatocellular cancer: how to extend justifiedly inclusion criteria?“ Jan Lerut (Belgium)	
11.00 - 11.40		Poster Visit Session V and Brunch
11.40 - 12.25	(5) VIRAL HEPATITIS AND IMMUNOLOGY	Lectures Session V – Session Chair: Anke Kraft (Hannover) 1) Sustained macrophage alterations during chronic injury regression beget increased susceptibility to infections; Moritz Peiseler, Berlin 2) Molecular pathways defining human CD8 T cell auto-aggression in autoimmune liver diseases; Michael Dudek, München 3) Spatial immunological analysis of novel immune-mediated liver diseases during the pandemic; Felix Röttele, Freiburg
12.25 - 12.50		Poster Discussion: Katrin Böttcher (München)
12.50 - 13.30	PRIZE CEREMONY Poster Prizes, Presentation Prize & The GASL-Young Investigator Award INVITATION TO GASL 2025 CLOSING REMARKS	

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