

Welcome Letter

We are pleased to welcome you to Marseille for the sixth Annual Brain Metastases Research and Emerging Therapy Conference. Last year's successful edition encouraged us to once again organize this conference.

This year the meeting will be held under the auspices of EORTC, EANO and EANS. Also the French neuro-oncology group (ANOCEF) and the French society of neurosurgery are partners of this event.

This initiative brings the multidisciplinary approach needed to develop Brain Metastases projects across several tumor types and disciplines such as breast cancer, lung cancer, melanoma, imaging, pathobiology and radiation oncology. It is expected that this cross-sectional meeting will stimulate innovative and insightful research in a collaborative environment and improve the standard of care and methodology of clinical research.

For this sixth edition, a special session will be dedicated to Brain Metastases management guidelines reported by the EANO Brain Metastases task force. Highlighted topics will also cover adverse radiation effect in the era of targeted therapies, new pharmacological approaches in BM and the emerging role of immunotherapy. Actually, cancer immunotherapy clinical trials are critical to bringing new and potentially lifesaving treatments to more patients with more types of cancer, and may represent the greatest hope especially for patients currently facing Brain Metastases. Also a basic and translational session will be focused on tumor micro environment and the role of tumor circulating cells.

One of the objectives of this edition will be to describe the clinical problem, identify the critical points of therapeutic failure and summarize the current state of knowledge of the genetics and biology of brain metastases. The overarching goal of the meeting is to generate a set of research priorities that would stimulate integrated scientific and clinical investigation directed at understanding basic processes of brain metastasis and translating such insights to clinical care.

The organizing committee hopes that this meeting will provide an exceptional opportunity for you to share your collective expertise ranging from basic science to new treatments in order to facilitate ongoing studies and lay the foundation for future collaborative projects.

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Call for abstracts

Details and submission on www.brain-mets.com
Deadline: August 29th, 2016

Posters and oral communications

The best oral communication will be awarded with a 500€ prize and so will be the best poster. The prizes will be given on Saturday October 1st, 2016, during the conclusion of the conference.

Young Investigator Travel Grant

The Young Investigator Travel Grant is awarded to the three top Young Investigators who are selected to present an oral or plenary poster presentation at the Brain Mets Annual Meeting. Young Investigator Travel Grant recipients will receive 600€ (USA), 600€ (ASIA) & 300€ (Europe) to support travel to the Meeting. These grants will be officially announced and given during the conclusion on Saturday October 1st, 2016.

Eligible applicants must:

- Be the first and presenting author of the abstract
- Be a student/trainee or within five years of completion of a Ph.D., M.D., residency training or equivalent.

Accommodation

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6th Annual Brain Metastases Research and Emerging Therapy Conference

September 30-October 1, 2016
Marseille, France

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Scientific program

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Friday September 30th

08.30 Welcome coffee

08.45 Welcome address, *Philippe Métellus (FR)*

09.00 Brain metastases management guidelines: recommendations and open issues

Chairs: Z. Ram (IS) & R. Soffiatti (IT)

09.00 Diagnosis and staging, *R. Soffiatti (IT)*
09.20 Neuropathology, *J. Kros (NL)*
09.40 Prognostic factors, *TBC*
10.00 Surgery, *P. Métellus (FR)*

10.20 Coffee break and visit of the exhibition

Chairs: R. Soffiatti (IT) & M. Westphal (DE)

10.50 Stereotactic radiosurgery, *B. Baumert (DE)*
11.10 WBRT after surgery or stereotactic radiosurgery, *A. Tallet (FR)*
11.30 Stereotactic radiosurgery after surgery, *U. Abacioglu (TR)*
11.50 Chemotherapy / Targeted therapies, *D. Brandsma (NL)*
12.10 Neoplastic meningitis, *E. Le Rhun (FR)*

12.30 Lunch

14.30 Immuno-oncology / Checkpoint inhibition in Brain Metastases

Chairs: P. Métellus (FR) & M. Preusser (AT)

14.30 The role of immune cells in Brain Metastases, *A. Berghoff (AT)*
15.00 New insights into melanoma Brain Metastases treatment, *C. Gaudy-Marqueste (FR)*

15.30 Keynote lecture

15.30 Challenges in the design and conduct of clinical trials in Brain Metastases, *M. Weller (CH)*

16.00 Coffee break and visit of the exhibition

16.30 Adverse radiation effect in Brain Metastases (interactive session with electronic voting system)

Chairs: C. Chung (US), F. Dhermain (FR) & P. Kickingereder (DE)

16.30 - Incidence and clinical presentation
- Radiological presentation
- Clinical cases
18.00 Guided poster walks

20.00 Gala dinner

Saturday October 1st

08.00 Welcome coffee

08.30 Basic and translational session

Chairs: P. Brastianos (US) & F. Winkler (DE)

08.30 Genomic Evolution of CNS Metastases, *P. Brastianos (US)*
08.55 Brain Metastases prevention: novel targets, *F. Winkler (DE)*
09.20 Tumor circulating cells: their actual role in Brain Metastases formation, *A. Obenaus (AT)*
09.45 The role of the blood-brain barrier for targeted therapies of Brain Metastases, *M. Preusser (AT)*

10.10 Coffee break and visit of the exhibition

10.30 Selected oral presentations (Part 1 / Part 2)

Chairs: P. Métellus (FR) & M. Weller (CH)

12.15 Awards – Best communication and poster – Conclusions

12.30 Lunch

 Accreditation statement.
9 European CME credits (ECMEC) by the European Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (EACCME).

Please note that this program may be further refined.
To see the latest version and to register please visit:

 www.brain-mets.com

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- Surgeon, physician..... **150€**
 EANO, EANS, EORTC, ANOCeF, SFNC members..... **100€**
 Resident & student..... **FREE**
 Gala dinner (Friday September 30th)..... **50€**

TOTAL..... €

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