

Scientific Symposium

Supporting the clinical management of lung cancer patients through innovation in diagnostics

18th World Conference on Lung Cancer

Date: Sunday, 15 October 2017

Time: 08:15 – 12:00

Location: PACIFICO Yokohama Convention Center
Room 315, 3rd Floor



Agenda (08:15 – 12:00)

Breakfast will be served prior to the program

08:15 – 08:30 Welcome & Opening

08:30 – 09:05



Dr Ramon Marrades

Consultant Pulmonologist, Hospital Clínic de Barcelona, SPAIN

Unmet medical needs and challenges in lung cancer patient management - a pulmonologists perspective



Dr Rafael Molina

Senior Consultant, Unit of Oncobiology, Head of the Unit of Cancer Research - Laboratory of Clinical Biochemistry, Hospital Clínic de Barcelona, and Assistant Professor of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology of the University of Barcelona, SPAIN

Protein-based biomarkers as tools to support clinical decision making with results from the laboratory

09:05 – 09:20 Panel - Q&A

09:20 – 09:35 Break

09:35 – 10:10



Dr Stephen Finn

Associate Professor of Pathology, University of Dublin, Trinity College, and Director of Solid Tumor molecular Diagnostics at the Cancer Molecular Diagnostic Laboratory, St. James's Hospital, Dublin, IRELAND

Integrated tissue and molecular diagnostics for optimal lung cancer patient care

10:10 – 10:45



Dr Alice T. Shaw

Thoracic Oncologist, Massachusetts General Hospital Cancer Center and Associate Professor, Medicine, Harvard Medical School, Boston, USA

The evolution of lung cancer treatment - clinical impact of genomic alterations detected in tissue and plasma

10:45 – 11:20



Dr Shobhit Bajjal

Consultant Medical Oncologist, The Heart of England NHS Foundation Trust, Birmingham, UK

Clinical utility of liquid biopsy in managing NSCLC patients - performance and impact on clinical decisions

11:20 – 11:50 Panel - Q&A

11:50 – 12:00 Wrap-up & Closing