

VISION EUROPE

Disruptive Technologies, Democratized Trials & Next-Gen Treatment Paradigms

September 2nd - 3rd, 2025

Club University Foundation, 11, Rue d'Egmont, 1000 Bruxelles

Day 1 - September 2nd, 2025

9:00 Tech for Equity

9:30 Setting the Scene:
Denis Horgan, Executive Director, European Alliance for Personalised Medicine

Welcome Addresses:

Olivér Várhely, European Commissioner for Health and Animal Welfare

9:30 10:30

Tech for Equity: Catalyzing Innovation in High - Income Cancer Systems

Moderator:

Jose M. Martin-Moreno, Professor of Medicine and Public Health, University of Valencia & Chair of Innovative Health Management, Spanish Economy & Health Foundation (confirmed)

Setting the Scene:

Tilly Metz, Member of the European Parliament (Luxembourg), Greens/EFA group and the national party Déi Gréng – Les Verts (confirmed)

Carmen Laplaza Santos, Head of Unit, Health Innovations & Ecosystems, DG RTD, European Commission (confirmed)

Panel:

Ruggero De Maria, President, Italian Alliance Against Cancer (Alleanza Contro il Cancro), Professor of Pathology, Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore, Rome (confirmed)

Peder Myhre, Professor, Department of Cardiology from University of Oslo, Norway (confirmed)

Peter Schirmacher, Director of Pathology, University Hospital Heidelberg, Chief Medical Officer, European Association for Cancer Research (EACR) (confirmed)

Thomas di Maio, Head of Diagnostics for Europe and Canada, AstraZeneca (confirmed)

Anabela Isidro, Coordinator of ECHoS project & Member of the Board AICIB (confirmed)

Q&A





Rapporteurs:

Denis Horgan, Denis Horgan, Executive Director, European Alliance for Personalised Medicine

Elil Renganathan, Professor, Public Health and Policy, Jeffrey Cheah School of Medicine and Health Sciences, Monash University Malaysia

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Democratizing Trials: Blueprint for Inclusive Innovation

Moderator:

Antoni Moliner Monseratt, Vice président - ALAN Vice President of the National Committee of the Rare Diseases Plan of Luxembourg (confirmed)

Setting the Scene:

Catherine Alix-Panabières, Professor of Oncology (PU-PH), Faculty of Medicine of Montpellier, France (confirmed)

Hesham Elghazaly, Professor of Clinical Oncology, Ain Shams University, Egypt (confirmed)

Panel:

Kjetil Tasken, Head of Institute, Institute for Cancer Research, Oslo University Hospital, Norway (confirmed)

Margaret Gyapong, Director - Institute of Health Research, University of Health and Allied Sciences & Co-President, Royal Society of Tropical Medicine and Hygiene (confirmed)

Jacques Demotes, General Director of ECRIN

Irene Braña, Head and Neck Cancer Group at VHIO, is also the Global Principal Investigator of the BoB trial (confirmed)

Joanna Chorostowska-Wynimko, President-Elect, European Respiratory Society (2024-2025) (confirmed)

Q&A

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Elil Renganathan, Professor, Public Health and Policy, Jeffrey Cheah School of Medicine and Health Sciences, Monash University Malaysia

11:30 Break 12:00





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Precision Oncology 2.0: Rewriting the Rules: From RCT-Centered Models to Innovation-Ready Systems

Moderator:

Jose M. Martin-Moreno, Professor of Medicine and Public Health, University of Valencia & Chair of Innovative Health Management, Spanish Economy and Health Foundation (confirmed)

Setting the Scene:

Christine Chomienne, Vice-Chair of the Horizon Europe Cancer Mission Board confirmed)

Zisis Kozlakidis, Head of the Laboratory Services and Biobank Group (LSB) at IARC (confirmed)

Panel:

Maari Parkkinen, Project Coordinator, FinHITS and Development Manager, Findata (confirmed)

Jesús García-Foncillas, Director of the Oncology Institute and the Oncology Department at the Jiménez Díaz Foundation (confirmed)

Gordana Raicevic Toungouze, Scientific Coordinator, Sciensano

Christophe Le Tourneau, Institut Curie, France (confirmed)

Iris Faull, Global CMO SYNLAB International (confirmed)

Q&A

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13:00 14:00

Lunch

14:00 15:00

Public-Private Power Plays: Building Sustainable Partnerships for Scalable Impact

Moderator:

Josep Figueras, Director Emeritus, European Observatory on Health Systems and Policies (confirmed)





Setting the Scene:

Alessandra Moretti, MEP, Member, Committee on the Environment, Public Health and Food

Maya Matthews, Head of Unit State of Health, European Semester, Health Technology Assessment, European Commission

Panel:

Klaus Pantel, Director, Institute of Tumor Biology, Centre for Experimental Medicine, University Medical (confirmed)

Adamu Addissie, Co CEO Network for Oncology Research in Sub-Saharan Africa

Alejandro Piris, Head of the Scientific Coordination/ Management Area at the Vall d'Hebron Institute of Oncology (VHIO), Barcelona (confirmed)

Anton Ussi, Operations & Finance Director for EATRIS C&S (confirmed)

Christine Leopold, Assistant Professor, Utrecht University, Division of Pharmacoepidemiology & Clinical Pharmacology, Netherlands (confirmed)

Q&A

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Spotlight 1: Bridging the Innovation Gap: Precision **Cardiology for the Next Decade**

Moderator:

Donna Fitzsimons, Head of Nursing & Midwifery at Queen's University Belfast and a former ESC Board Member (confirmed)

Setting the Scene:

Hans-Peter Brunner-La Rocca, University of Maastricht, public co-lead (confirmed)

Birgit Beger, Chief Executive Officer. European Heart Network (confirmed)





Panel:

Dr. Jana Seuthe, Research Associate and Project Manager, German Foundation for the Chronically III (confirmed)

Robin van Stokkum, Digital Health Technologies, TNO, Dutch Organisation for Applied Research and Innovation (confirmed)

Sophie Siest, Director of Research in INSERM, France

Adrian Voors, Professor of Cardiology, Groning, Clinical Investigator, Netherlands Heart Foundation (confirmed)

Marius Geantă, President and Co-Founder of the Center for Innovation in Medicine

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Spotlight 2: Bridging the Innovation Gap: Precision Neurology for the Next Decade

Moderator:

Frédéric Destrebecq, Executive Director at the European Brain Council (confirmed)

Setting the Scene:

Philippe Amouyel, French Foundation of Scientific co-operation in Alzheimer's Disease, France (confirmed)

Kasia Jurczak, (DG RTD, Combatting Diseases Unit), DG Research, European Commission

Panel:

Philippe Vernier, Co-Chief Executive Officer (Co-CEO), EBRAINS (confirmed)

Roberto Grasso, Department of Oncology and Hemato-Oncology, University of Milan (confirmed)

Rossana Alessandrello, Value Based Procurement Director, AQUAS (confirmed)

Live Fagereng, Project Manager, PRIME-ROSE (confirmed)

Q&A

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18:45 22:15

Cocktail Reception & Working Dinner in the European Parliament: Keep the Person in Personalised HealthCare

(By Invitation Only)

Chair:

Josep Figueras, Director Emeritus, European Observatory on Health Systems and Policies (confirmed)

Host:

Vytenis Povilas Andriukaitis, MEP, European Parliament (confirmed)

Welcome Reception:

Dolors Montserrat, (Spain, EPP) - ENVI

Tomislav Sokol, (Croatia, EPP) - EMPL

The Last Mile:

Michael Makanga, CEO of EDCTP

Stephen McMahon, CEO, Irish Patient Association (confirmed)

Ishtar Espejo Castellá, Executive Director, Fundación Aladina (confirmed)

Day 2 - September 3rd, 2025

09:00 10:00

Innovation Without Access Is Failure: Delivering Genomic Equity in High-Tech Health Systems

Moderator:

Jose M. Martin-Moreno, Professor of Medicine and Public Health, University of Valencia & Chair of Innovative Health Management, Spanish Economy and Health Foundation (confirmed)

Setting the Scene:

Saila Rinne, Head of Unit, DG CONNECT (confirmed)

Adamu Addissie, Co CEO Network for Oncology Research in Sub-Saharan Africa

Panel:

Lee-Anne Zinetti, Executive Director, Global Oncology Portfolio Precision Medicine Strategy, Novartis (confirmed)

Neeme Tõnisson, Professor, Estonian Biobank, Institute of Genomics, University of Tartu (confirmed)

Peter Kapitein, Patient Advocate at Inspire2Live (confirmed)

Benjamin Gannon, Vice President Europe & Americas at Guardant Health (confirmed)

Manuel Ottaviano, Associate professor, Researcher, Project Manager, Universidad Politecnica de Madrid, Spain (Confirmed)





Q&A

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Data That Delivers: Building a Smarter, Sustainable Healthcare Data System

Moderator:

Antoni Moliner Monseratt, Vice Président - ALAN Vice President of the National Committee of the Rare Diseases Plan of Luxembourg (confirmed)

Setting the Scene:

Daniel Morales, Senior Clinical Epidemiologist, Data Analytics Taskforce, European Medicine Agency (confirmed)

Marcus Guardian, General Manager of the International Horizon Scanning Initiative (IHSI) (confirmed)

Panel:

Marcis Leja, University of Latvia - Coordinator of EUCanScreen (confirmed)

Joanne M. Hackett, Vice President Health System Services, IQVIA (confirmed)

George Kapetanakis, President, Hellenic Cancer Federation - ELLOK (confirmed)

Jens K. Habermann, Director General, BBMRI (confirmed)

Q&A

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11:00 11:30 **Break**





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Choose Europe, Back Health: Translating the Draghi Vision into Scaled Healthcare Innovation

Moderator:

Phil Hogan, Former EU Commissioner for Trade (confirmed)

Setting the Scene:

Raili Sillart, Estonian Ministry of Social Affairs (confirmed)

Maurizio Scarpa, Director, Regional Coordinating, Center for Rare Diseases, Udine University Hospital, Udine, Italy

Panel:

Rui Amaral Mendes, Department of Community Medicine, Information and Health Decision Sciences, Faculty of Medicine, University of Porto (confirmed)

Marc Van den Bulcke, Head of Service, Cancer Centre (confirmed)

Sahar van Waalwijk van Doorn-Khosrovani, Senior Advisor, CZ, The Netherlands (confirmed)

Pascal Garel, Chief Executive, European Hospital and Healthcare Federation (HOPE) (confirmed)

Jacqueline Bowman, Work package leader for shared value analysis on IMI-SOPHIA (confirmed)

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Lunch

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Spotlight 3: Precision Frontiers in Chronic Disease – A Global Strategy for Cancer Risk, Trials, and Treatment

Moderator:

Ruggero De Maria, President, Italian Alliance Against Cancer (Alleanza Contro il Cancro), Professor of Pathology, Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore, Rome (confirmed)





Setting the Scene:

Daniela Chieffo, Department of Health Science and Public Health Fondazione Policlinico Gemelli, IRCCS Catholic University of Sacred Heart, Rome (confirmed)

Adda Bounedjar, Head of Oncology, Central Hospital of Algiers & President, Algerian Society for Training and Research in Oncology (SAFRO) (confirmed)

Panel:

Katja Herzog, Scientific Project Coordinator, Fraunhofer ITMP (confirmed)

Delia Nicoară, Public Health and Management Specialist, Oncology Institute "Prof. Dr. Ion Chiricută," Cluj-Napoca, Romania (confirmed)

Jasmina Koeva, Chair of the Board, Bulgarian Alliance for Precision and Personalized Medicine

Hesham Eighazaly, MD, Professor of Clinical Oncology, Head of Medical Research Center MASRI, Ain Shams University (confirmed)

Adamu Addissie, Co CEO Network for Oncology Research in Sub-Saharan Africa (confirmed)

Q&A

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Screening Reimagined for a Digital: Al-Enabled Future

Moderator:

Elil Renganathan, Professor, Public Health and Policy, Jeffrey Cheah School of Medicine and Health Sciences, Monash University Malaysia

Setting the Scene:

Matthias Schuppe, Project Team Leader for Cancer at DG Santé

Panel:

Michael Makanga, CEO of EDCTP (confirmed)

Fabrizia Galli, Vice-President, aBRCAdaBRA

Ingrid Kruecken, Vice President of Europa Donna Luxembourg (confirmed)

Margaret Gyapong, Director - Institute of Health Research, University of Health and Allied Sciences & Co-President, Royal Society of Tropical Medicine and Hygiene (confirmed)

Stephen McMahon, CEO, Irish Patient Association (confirmed)

Q&A





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Concluding Session: Toward a Technology-Driven Cancer Control Framework Designing a Blueprint for High-Income Systems in the Next Decade

Moderator:

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Report by Rapporteurs:

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Country Panel:

Muiris O'Connor, Assistant Secretary in the Department of Health, Ireland

Permanent Representation of Poland with Germany

Stakeholder Panel:

Marilys Corbex, Senior technical officer, WHO Europe (confirmed)

Ishtar Espejo Castellá, Executive Director, Fundación Aladina (confirmed)