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## TENTATIVE PROGRAM

# Immunotherapy of cancer beyond checkpoint inhibitors



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## **International Symposium**

“Immunotherapy of cancer beyond checkpoint inhibitors”

### **Coordinator**

*Ignacio Melero. University of Navarra (UNAV), Clinic University of Navarra (CUN) and Foundation for Applied Medical Research (FIMA).*

### **Scientific Committee**

*Ignacio Melero, Pedro Berraondo, María Rodríguez Ruiz, Miguel Fernández de Sanmamed, Fernando Aranda, Antonio González.*

### **Date**

*December 16th and 17<sup>th</sup>, 2024*

### **Venue**

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*P.º del Prado, 36, 28014 Madrid. Spain*

## **SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM**

### **16th December (Monday)**

*09.45 - 10.20. Registration*

*10.20 - 10.30 Welcome- Ignacio Melero*

*Session 1: Chair Pedro Berraondo López*

*10.30 - 10.50 Opening Keynote Lecture: Guido Kroemer- Centre de Recherche des Cordeliers, France*

*"Understanding and exploiting immunogenic cell death"*

*10.50 - 11.00 Q&A*

*11.00 - 11.20 Laurence Zitvogel- Institut Gustave Roussy, France*

*"Microbiota and cancer immunotherapy"*

*11.20 - 11.30 Q&A*

*11.30 – 11.50 Ignacio Melero Bermejo - CIMA / CUN, Spain*

*"Cancer Immunotherapy: Teaching old dogs new tricks"*

*11.50 - 12.00 Q&A*

*Session 2: Chair María Rodríguez Ruiz*

*12.00- 12.20 Inge Marie Svane- National Center for Cancer Immunotherapy, Denmark*

*"Targeting cancer related immune suppression by vaccination"*

*12.20 - 12.30 Q&A*

*12.30 - 12.50 Michael Dustin- University of Oxford, UK*

*"Immune synapses as immunotherapy targets"*

*12.50 - 13.00 Q&A*

*13.00 - 13.20 Marisol Soengas- CNIO, Spain*

*"New targetable immunosuppressive factors"*

*13.20 - 13.30 Q&A*

*13.30 - 15.00 Buffet type LUNCH*

*Session 3: Chair Antonio González*

*15.00 - 15.20 Luis Diaz- Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center, USA*

*"Colon cancer immunotherapy"*

*15.20 - 15.30 Q&A*

*15.30 - 15.50 Myriam Chalabi- Netherlands Cancer Institute, Netherlands*

*"Neoadjuvant immunotherapy for MSI colon cancer"*

*15.50 - 16.00 Q&A*

*16.00 - 16.20 Mariano Provencio- IDIPHIM, Spain*

*"Neoadjuvant immunotherapy of lung cancer"*

*16.20 - 16.30 Q&A*

*16.30 - 17.00 Break*



*Session 4: Chair Miguel F. Sanmamed*

*17.00 - 17.20 Miriam Merad- Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai, USA*

"The myeloid tumor microenvironment: opportunities for intervention"

*17.20 - 17.30 Q&A*

*17.30 - 17.50 Joan Seoane- VHIO, Spain*

"Immunosuppressive cytokines in cancer immunology and immunotherapy"

*17.50 - 18.00 Q&A*

*18.00 - 18.20 Antoni Ribas- UCLA, USA*

"How industry and academia should collaborate"

*18.20 - 18.30 Q&A*

*18.30 - 18.50 Sebastian Kobold- Klinikum der Universität München, Germany*

"Improving T-Cell transfer strategies"

*18.50 - 19.00 Q&A*

### **17th December (Tuesday)**

#### **Session 5: Chair Juanjo Lasarte**

**09.00 - 09.20** Miguel López-Botet- University Pompeu Fabra (UPF)-Hospital del Mar Research Institute (IMIM), Spain

"Mechanisms of NK cells in cancer immunotherapy"

**09.20 - 09.30** Q&A

**09.30 - 09.50** Alena Gros- VHIO, Spain

"On TILs and neoantigens"

**09.50 - 10.00** Q&A

**10.00 – 10.20** Benoit Van den Eynde- University of Oxford, UK

"Adrenergic control of antitumor immunity"

**10.20 - 10.30** Q&A

**10.30 - 11.00** Break

#### **Session 6: Chair Fernando Aranda Vega**

**11.00 – 11.20** Iñaki Etxeberria- Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center, USA

"TCRs recognizing shared oncogenic mutations"

**11.20 - 11.30** Q&A

**11.30 – 11.50** Daniela Thommen- Netherlands Cancer Institute, Netherlands

"Modeling and modulating antitumor immunity in human cancer tissues"

**11.50 - 12.00** Q&A

**12.00 - 12.20** Closing Keynote Lecture: Pablo Umaña, Switzerland

"Chimeric proteins to unleash antitumor immunity"

**12.20 - 12.30** Q&A

**12.30 - 13.00** Meeting Adjourns: Ignacio Melero