



Barcelona | Spain | 7 - 10 July 2012 |

22<sup>nd</sup> Biennial Congress of the  
**EUROPEAN ASSOCIATION  
FOR CANCER RESEARCH**

From Basic Research to  
Personalised Cancer Treatment

Advance Programme  
& Call for Abstracts



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## EACR-22: Save the Dates

Abstract Submission Opens

1 December 2011

Abstract Submission Closes

1 March 2012

Bursary Application Closes

22 February 2012

Early Rate Registration Closes

30 March 2012

Regular Rate Registration Closes

30 May 2012

Housing Reservation Closes

30 May 2012

## Venue & Secretariat

### Congress Secretariat

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### Congress Venue

**Centre Convencions Internacional  
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## Accreditation for Continuous Medical Education (CME)

At the time of printing, an application for accreditation has been submitted to the Accreditation Council of Oncology in Europe (ACOE).



## Letter of Welcome

### EACR - 22 From Basic Research to Personalised Cancer Treatment



It is a great pleasure to announce that the 22nd Biennial EACR Congress will be held in Barcelona 7-10 July 2012.

I am delighted that the Congress is actively supported by the Spanish Association for Cancer Research (ASEICA) and to be holding the Congress in one of Europe's most vibrant cities, a city with a remarkable reputation for cancer research and cancer care.

EACR-22 will provide a forum for discussion between scientists working in all fields of cancer research. It will focus on the latest developments in basic and discovery driven translational research, through to personalised cancer treatment.

EACR congresses are well known for providing an exciting programme that is highly valued by participants. EACR-22 in Barcelona will be no exception. The Congress will offer outstanding plenary lectures complemented by focussed symposia across eighteen topics. There will be opportunities for participants to attend 'Educational Sessions' as well as invitations to 'Meet the Expert'. Posters will be displayed for review and 'defence' throughout the Congress in the Exhibition Hall and all participants will be invited to assist in their evaluation.

I hope that you will return from the Congress inspired by colleagues from around the world and that you will have made new friends and scientific contacts that will support you in your essential work. I also hope that the Congress will live long in the memory, combined with the experience of Barcelona and its unique atmosphere.

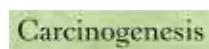
Julio E. Celis  
Congress Chair

## Acknowledgement

EACR wishes to acknowledge the support of its Sustaining Members and their valued contribution to the development of the Association and the success of its congress.



EACR also wishes to thank the sponsors of the prestigious Award and Keynote lectures at EACR-22 for their partnership and commitment to the congress.



# Scientific Programme

## Advance Programme at a Glance

Please note that the Advance Programme is provisional and therefore subject to change.  
For all programme updates kindly visit the EACR-22 Congress website: [www.ecco-org.eu](http://www.ecco-org.eu)

Saturday, 07 July 2012			
Room 111+112	Room 113+114	Room 115	Room 116
Opening Address 13:00 - 13:15			
Mühlbock Lecture 13:15 - 14:15			
ASEICA Lecture: Deconstructing Metastasis 14:15 - 15:00			
Coffee Break 15:00 - 15:30			
Symposium 15:30 - 17:15 Cancer Genomics		Symposium 15:30 - 17:15 Cancer Immunology	Symposium 15:30 - 17:15 DNA Damage & Genome Instability
Pezcoller Foundation – EACR Cancer Researcher Award Lecture 17:15 - 18:00			
Opening Lecture followed by Reception 19:30			

Sunday, 08 July 2012			
Room 111+112	Room 113+114	Room 115	Room 116
	Educational Lecture 08:00 - 08:50 Sequencing	Educational Lecture 08:00 - 08:50 How to Make Drugs	Educational Lecture 08:00 - 08:50 To Be Announced
	Meet the Expert 09:00 - 09:45 Meet the Editor	Meet the Expert 09:00 - 09:45 Meet the ERC	Meet the Expert 09:00 - 09:45 EC Personalised Medicine
Coffee Break / Poster Viewing / Exhibition 09:45 - 10:15			
	Symposium 10:15 - 12:00 Epigenetics	Symposium 10:15 - 12:00 Viruses and Cancer	Symposium 10:15 - 12:00 Ageing and Cancer
EMBO Lecture: Cancer Genomics 12:15 - 13:00			
Lunch - Poster Viewing - Exhibition	Young Cancer Researcher's WS 13:00 - 14:00	Satellite Symposium 13:00 - 14:30	Satellite Symposium 13:00 - 14:30
Plenary Lecture: Non Coding RNA 14:30 - 15:15			
Anthony Dipple Carcinogenesis Award 15:15 - 16:00			
Coffee Break / Poster Defence and Exhibition 16:00 - 17:30			
	Symposium 17:30 - 19:15 Susceptibility Genes	Symposium 17:30 - 19:15 Inflammation and Microenvironment	Symposium 17:30 - 19:15 Cell Death/Autophagy
EACR General Assembly, Awards Ceremony and Reception 19:30			

Poster Viewing 09:45 - 17:30

Exhibition 09:45 - 17:30

Monday, 09 July 2012			
Room 111+112	Room 113+114	Room 115	Room 116
	Educational Lecture 08:00 - 08:50 Bioinformatics	Educational Lecture 08:00 - 08:50 Biomarkers	Educational Lecture 08:00 - 08:50 Metabolomics
	Meet the Expert 09:00 - 09:45 How to Organise Cancer Research	Meet the Expert 09:00 - 09:45 Imaging	Meet the Expert 09:00 - 09:45 Nutrition and Cancer Prevention - World Cancer Research Fund (WCRF)
Coffee Break / Poster Viewing / Exhibition 09:45 - 10:15			
	Symposium 10:15 - 12:00 Mouse Models	Symposium 10:15 - 12:00 Stem Cells	Symposium 10:15 - 12:00 Molecular Insights into Invasion and Drug Resistance
FEBS Lecture Drug Development 12:15 - 13:00			
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Carcinogenesis Young Investigator's Award 15:15- 16:00			
Coffee Break / Poster Defence and Exhibition 16:00 - 17:30			
	Symposium 17:30 - 19:15 Targeted Therapies	Symposium 17:30 - 19:15 Angiogenesis	Symposium 17:30 - 19:15 Tumour Metabolism
Congress Dinner 20:30			

Poster Viewing 09:45 - 17:30

Exhibition 09:45 - 17:30

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Exhibition 09:45 - 17:30

Tuesday, 10 July 2012		
Room 113+114	Room 115	Room 116
Educational Lecture 08:00 - 08:50 Proteomics Technology	Educational Lecture 08:00 - 08:50 A-Z of Clinical Trials	Educational Lecture 08:00 - 08:50 Immunotherapy
Meet the Expert 09:00 - 09:45 Molecular Diagnostic	Meet the Expert 09:00 - 09:45 Biobanking	Meet the Expert 09:00 - 09:45 Systems Biology in Cancer
Coffee Break / Poster Viewing / Exhibition 09:45 - 10:15		
FEBS Molecular Oncology Supported Symposium 10:15 - 12:00 Personalised Medicine	Symposium 10:15 - 12:00 Metastases and EMT	Symposium 10:15 - 12:00 Melanoma, an Example of Translational Research
Closing Remarks and EACR-22 Highlights 12:00 Mike Price Gold Medal Award Lecture 12:15 - 13:15		

Poster Viewing  
09:45 - 12:00

Exhibition  
09:45 - 12:00

# Detailed Advance Programme

## Saturday 7 July 2012

### Mühlbock Lecture:

13:15 - 14:15 Room 111+112  
To be announced

### ASEICA Lecture: Deconstructing Metastasis

14:15 - 15:00 Room 111+112  
Deconstructing Metastasis  
Speaker: J. Massagué (USA)

### Symposium: Cancer Genomics

15:30 - 17:15 Room 111+112  
Chair: E.R. Mardis (USA)  
15:30 Genomic Analysis of Human Tumours for Guiding  
Therapeutic Selection  
Speaker: C.M. Perou (USA)  
16:00 The Genomic Landscapes of Breast Cancer and their  
Clinical Relevance  
Speaker: C. Caldas (United Kingdom)  
16:30 Presenter to be selected from best abstract  
16:45 Using Whole Genome Sequencing for Digital  
Analysis of Tumour Evolution  
Speaker: E.R. Mardis (USA)

### Symposium: Immunotherapy of Cancer as the Most Personalised Cancer Treatment

15:30 - 17:15 Room 115  
Chair: L. Zitvogel (France)  
15:30 HPV16 18 Induced Malignancies and Vaccination  
With Long Peptides  
Speaker: C.J.M. Melief (The Netherlands)  
16:00 Immunogenicity of Cell Death During  
Chemotherapy: Novel Tools Towards the  
Personalisation of Breast Cancer Treatment  
Speaker: G. Kroemer (France)  
16:30 Presenter to be selected by best abstract  
16:45 Novel Predictors of Response to Tyrosine Kinase  
Inhibitors: The Paradigm of KIT+ Malignancies and  
NK Cell Attack  
Speaker: L. Zitvogel (France)

### Symposium: DNA Damage and Genome Instability

15:30 - 17:15 Room 116  
Chair: J. Bartek (Denmark)  
15:30 Unexpected New Insights Into ATM and p53  
Speaker: M. Kastan (USA)  
16:00 The Molecular Basis for Replication-Induced DNA  
Damage in Early Stages of Cancer Development  
Speaker: B. Kerem (Israel)  
16:30 Presenter to be selected from best abstract  
16:45 DNA Damage and Genomic Instability in Cancer  
Development: Mechanisms and Opportunities for  
Targeted Treatment  
Speaker: J. Bartek (Denmark)

### The Pezcoller Foundation – EACR Cancer Researcher Award Lecture

17:15 - 18:00 Room 111+112  
To be announced

### Opening Ceremony: Opening Lecture and Reception

19:30 - 21:00  
Personalised Cancer Medicine  
Speaker: J. Mendelsohn (USA)

## Sunday 8 July 2012

### Educational Lecture: Sequencing

08:00 - 08:50 Room 113+114  
Sequencing  
Speaker: H. Yang (China)

### Educational Lecture: How to Make Drugs

08:00 - 08:50 Room 115  
How to Make Drugs  
Speaker: J. Yingling (USA)

### Educational Lecture:

08:00 - 08:50 Room 116  
To be announced

### Meet the Expert: Meet the Editor

09:00 - 09:45 Room 113+114  
Meet the Editor  
Speaker: B. Marte (United Kingdom)

### Meet the Expert: Meet the ERC

09:00 - 09:45 Room 115  
Meet the ERC  
Speaker: C.H. Heldin (Sweden)

### Meet the Expert: Personalised Medicine

09:00 - 09:45 Room 116  
Personalised Medicine  
Speaker: To be announced

### Symposium: Epigenetics

10:15 - 12:00 Room 113+114  
Chair: M. Esteller (Spain)  
10:15 Title: To be confirmed  
Speaker: S.B. Baylin (USA)  
10:45 Title: To be confirmed  
Speaker: J.G. Herman (USA)  
11:15 Presenter to be selected from best abstract  
11:30 Human Cancer Epigenetics  
Speaker: M. Esteller (Spain)



## Symposium: Viruses and Cancer

10:15 - 12:00 Room 115

Chair: D. Lowy (USA)

- 10:15 Hepatitis C Virus: Pathogenesis, Immunology and Intervention  
Speaker: C. Rice (USA)
- 10:45 Epstein-Barr Virus: Pathogenesis and Immunobiology  
Speaker: A.B. Rickinson (UK)
- 11:15 Presenter to be selected from best abstract
- 11:30 Current and Future Vaccines to Prevent HPV-associated Cancers  
Speaker: D. Lowy (USA)

## Symposium: Ageing and Cancer

10:15 - 12:00 Room 116

Chair: M. Serrano (Spain)

- 10:15 Telomeres and Telomerase as Therapeutic Targets for Cancer and Ageing  
Speaker: M.A. Blasco (Spain)
- 10:45 The Plasticity of Ageing  
Speaker: A. Brunet (USA)
- 11:15 Presenter to be selected from best abstract
- 11:30 Ageing and Cancer: the Somatotrophic Link  
Speaker: M. Holzenberger (France)

## EMBO Lecture: Cancer Genomics

12:15 - 13:00 Room 111+112

Cancer Genomics

Speaker: M. Stratton (United Kingdom)

## Young Cancer Researcher's Workshop

13:00 - 14:00 Room 113+114

How to be Effective in Applying for Fellowships

Coordinator: To be announced

## Plenary Lecture: Non Coding RNA

14:30 - 15:15 Room 111+112

Non Coding RNA

Speaker: P.P. Pandolfi (USA)

## Anthony Dipple Carcinogenesis Award Lecture

15:15 - 16:00 Room 111+112

To be announced

## Symposium: Susceptibility Genes

17:30 - 19:15 Room 113+114

Chair: B. Ponder (United Kingdom)

- 17:30 The COGS (Collaborative Oncological Gene-environment Study): Progress and Results  
Speaker: To be announced
- 18:00 The Search for Rare Variants That Contribute to Cancer Susceptibility  
Speaker: F. Lesueur (France)
- 18:30 Presenter to be selected from best abstract
- 18:45 Clinical Applications of GWAS Data: Lessons from Breast and Prostate Cancer  
Speaker: B. Ponder (United Kingdom)

## Symposium: Inflammation and Microenvironment

17:30 - 19:15 Room 115

Chair: M. Karin (USA)

- 17:30 TNF and B Cells in Skin Cancer  
Speaker: F. Balkwill (United Kingdom)
- 18:00 Tumour Promoting Macrophages and Immune Cells  
Speaker: A. Mantovani (Italy)
- 18:30 Presenter to be selected from best abstract
- 18:45 Control of Tumour Progression and Metastasis by Lymphocyte-Produced Cytokines  
Speaker: M. Karin (USA)

## Symposium: Cell Death / Autophagy

17:30 - 19:15 Room 116

Chair: S. Cory (Australia)

- 17:30 Autophagy and Cancer  
Speaker: E.P. White (USA)
- 18:00 Regulation of Inflammation and Cell-Death through Interactions of RHIM-domain Protein Kinases With Caspase-8  
Speaker: D. Wallach (Israel)
- 18:30 Presenter to be selected from best abstract
- 18:45 Regulation of Apoptosis by the Bcl-2 Family  
Speaker: S. Cory (Australia)

## Monday 9 July 2012

### Educational Lecture: Bioinformatics

08:00 - 08:50 Room 113+114

Bioinformatics

Speaker: P. Bork (Germany)

### Educational Lecture: Biomarkers

08:00 - 08:50 Room 115

Biomarkers

Speaker: To be announced

### Educational Lecture: Metabolomics

08:00 - 08:50 Room 116

Metabolomics

Speaker: E. Gottlieb (United Kingdom)

### Meet the Expert: How to Organise Cancer Research

09:00 - 09:45 Room 113+114

How to Organise Cancer Research

Speaker: N. Jones (United Kingdom)

### Meet the Expert: Imaging

09:00 - 09:45 Room 115

Functional Imaging

Speaker: M. Schwaiger (Germany)

### Meet the Expert:

09:00 - 09:45 Room 116

Nutrition and Cancer Prevention - World Cancer Research

Fund (WCRF)

Speaker: To be announced

## Symposium: Mouse Models

10:15 - 12:00 Room 113+114

Chair: M. Barbacid (Spain)

10:15 Title: To be confirmed

Speaker: G.I. Evan (United Kingdom)

10:45 Studying Therapy Response and Resistance in Mouse Models of Human Breast Cancer

Speaker: J. Jonkers (The Netherlands)

11:15 Presenter to be selected from best abstract

11:30 Identification and Validation of Therapeutic Targets in K-Ras Driven Tumours

Speaker: M. Barbacid (Spain)

## Symposium: Stem Cells

10:15 - 12:00 Room 115

Chair: A. Trumpp (Switzerland)

10:15 TGF-beta and Cancer Stem Cells

Speaker: J. Seoane (ES)

10:45 Tumour-propagating Cells in Primary and Metastatic Lung Cancer

Speaker: C.B. Kim (USA)

11:15 Presenter to be selected from best abstract

11:30 Dormant Blood Stem Cells and Circulating Cancer Stem Cells

Speaker: A. Trumpp (Switzerland)

## Symposium: Molecular Insights into Invasion and Drug Resistance

10:15 - 12:00 Room 116

Chair: D.A. Haber (USA)

10:15 Acquired Resistance to Targeted Therapies

Speaker: J.A. Engelman (USA)

10:45 Pancreatic Cancer Therapies

Speaker: D. Tuveson (United Kingdom)

11:15 Presenter to be selected from best abstract

11:30 Molecular Characterisation of Circulating Tumour Cells

Speaker: D.A. Haber (USA)

## FEBS Lecture: Drug Development

12:15 - 13:00 Room 111+112

Discovery to Targeted Drug Development

Speaker: A. Ullrich (Germany)

## Young Cancer Researcher's Workshop

13:00 - 14:00 Room 113+114

Women in Science

Speaker: M. Blasco (Spain)

## OECI Lecture: Cancer Systems Biology

14:30 - 15:15 Room 111+112

Systems Approaches to Cancer and Other Diseases

Speaker: L. Hood (USA)

## Carcinogenesis Young Investigator's Award Lecture

15:15 - 16:00 Room 111+112

To be announced

## Symposium: Targeted therapies / Signalling Pathways

17:30 - 19:15 Room 113+114

Chair: A. Levitzki (Israel)

17:30 Title: To be confirmed

Speaker: To be announced

18:00 Title: To be confirmed

Speaker: To be announced

18:30 Presenter to be selected from best abstract

18:45 Targeting the Immune System to Cancer

Speaker: A. Levitzki (Israel)

## Symposium: Angiogenesis

17:30 - 19:15 Room 115

Chair: K. Alitalo (Finland)

17:30 Mechanisms of Resistance to Anti-VEGF Treatment - New Therapeutic Strategies

Speaker: A.L. Harris (United Kingdom)

18:00 Title: To be confirmed

Speaker: P. Carmeliet (Belgium)

18:30 Presenter to be selected from best abstract

18:45 Targeting Multiple Endothelial Growth Factor Pathways

Speaker: K. Alitalo (Finland)

## Symposium: Tumour Metabolism

17:30 - 19:15 Room 116

Chair: T.W. Mak (Canada)

17:30 Functions of Wild Type and Mutant p53 in the Regulation of Metabolic Pathways

Speaker: K. Vousden (United Kingdom)

18:00 Profiling Metabolism for Cancer Biomarker Discovery

Speaker: H. Keun (United Kingdom)

18:30 Presenter to be selected from best abstract (15 min)

18:45 Exploiting Cancer Cell Metabolism: Can it be Done?

Speaker: T.W. Mak (Canada)

## Tuesday 10 July 2012

### Educational Lecture: Proteomics Technology

08:00 - 08:50 Room 113+114

Proteomics Technology

Speaker: R. Aebersold (Switzerland)

### Educational Lecture: The A-Z of Clinical Trials

08:00 - 08:50 Room 115

The A-Z of Clinical Trials

Speaker: E.A. Eisenhauer (Canada)

### Educational Lecture: Immunotherapy

08:00 - 08:50 Room 116

Cancer Immunotherapy: Strategies for Enhancing its Activity in Cancer Patients

Speaker: F. Belardelli (Italy)



## Meet the Expert: Molecular Diagnostic

09:00 - 09:45 Room 113+114

Molecular Diagnostic

Speaker: J. Reis-Filho (United Kingdom)

## Meet the Expert: Biobanking

09:00 - 09:45 Room 115

Biobanking

Speaker: K. Zatloukal (Austria)

## Meet the Expert: Systems Biology in Cancer

09:00 - 09:45 Room 116

Systems Biology in Cancer

Speaker: Y. Yarden (Israel)

## FEBS Molecular Oncology Supported Symposium: Personalised Medicine

10:15 - 12:00 Room 113+114

Chair: T. Tursz (France)

10:15 Interrogating the Genome to Find Mechanisms of Drug Resistance in Cancer

Speaker: R. Bernards (The Netherlands)

10:45 New Targeted Agents in Development for Cancer Treatment

Speaker: J.C. Soria (France)

11:15 Presenter to be selected from best abstract

11:30 Clinical Approaches to Personalised Cancer Treatment: Challenges and Pitfalls

Speaker: T. Tursz (France)

## Symposium: Metastases and EMT

10:15 - 12:00 Room 115

Chair: J. Thiery (Singapore)

10:15 Transcriptional Regulation of EMT in Tumour Progression

Speaker: T. Brabletz (Germany)

10:45 Regulation of Epithelial Plasticity and Metastasis of Breast Carcinoma by Lysyl Oxidase-like 2 (LOXL2)

Speaker: A. Cano (Spain)

11:15 Presenter to be selected from best abstract

11:30 Identification of EMTed Carcinoma and Potential Therapeutic Strategies

Speaker: J. Thiery (Singapore)

## Symposium: Melanoma, an Example of Translational Research

10:15 - 12:00 Room 116

Chair: R. Marais (United Kingdom)

10:15 RAS/BRAF/MEK Pathway Drugs

Speaker: To be announced

10:45 Ipilimumab for the Treatment of Melanoma: Past, Present and Future

Speaker: J. Wolchok (USA)

11:15 Presenter to be selected from best abstract (15 min)

11:30 The Basics of Melanoma Cell Signalling

Speaker: R. Marais (United Kingdom)

## Closing Session

12:00 - 12:15 Room 111+112

Closing Remarks

Poster Awards

EACR-22 Highlights

## Mike Price Gold Medal Award Lecture: The Future of Personalised Medicine

12:15 - 13:15 Room 111+112

The Future of Personalised Medicine

Speaker: J. Baselga (USA)

## Poster Sessions and Defence

Participants who have an abstract accepted for the congress will be invited to present a poster. Every poster will be on display during all poster sessions. There will also be clearly defined times for 'Poster Defence' when particular presenters will be asked to make themselves available for discussion of their posters.

## Poster Judging and Awards

All congress participants will be invited to recommend posters worthy of winning an award to the Judging Panel. A form allowing five recommendations to be made will be included in the Congress Proceedings book and participants will be asked to hand these in at the EACR Booth before the exhibition closes for the day on Monday.

The top thirty recommendations will be handed to the Judging Panel. Three prizes will be awarded at the Closing Ceremony to the presenters of the very best posters as selected by the Panel. Certificates of Commendation will also be issued.

# Call for Abstracts

Abstract submission opens: **Thursday 01 December 2011**

Deadline Abstract submission: **Thursday 01 March 2012**

Abstracts can only be submitted online at: [www.ecco-org.eu](http://www.ecco-org.eu)

For more information on abstract topics, format, submission and selection process please visit the Conference website: [www.ecco-org.eu](http://www.ecco-org.eu) (Select Congresses and Conferences > EACR-22 > Call for Abstracts).

## Award Lectures

### The EACR Mike Price Gold Medal Award

The EACR Mike Price Gold Medal Award is presented at the biennial EACR Congress to a scientist who has made an outstanding contribution to cancer research.

We are pleased to announce that EACR's first Gold Medal will be presented to José Baselga at EACR-22 and that Professor Baselga will give the Mike Price Gold Medal Lecture on the final day of the Congress.

### The Pezcoller Foundation – EACR Cancer Researcher Award (lecture) Celebrating academic excellence and achievements in the field of cancer research

#### Call for Nominations for 'A researcher of excellence'

Nominees will be Cancer Researchers from European countries\* with no more than 15 years post doctoral experience and a record of employment in Europe of at least five years.

The winner will give the prestigious Pezcoller Foundation – EACR Award Lecture at EACR-22 and receive a prize of 10,000EUR.

The winner will also be invited by the Pezcoller Foundation to attend a ceremony in Trento where a plaque will be presented in recognition of the achievement.

The award will be presented for the first time at EACR-22 and at future EACR biennial congresses.

Nominations are invited from scientists who are involved in cancer research or have been affiliated with any institution, cancer medicine or cancer-related biomedical science. Self nominations cannot be accepted.

- **Further information and nomination forms are available at [www.eacr.org](http://www.eacr.org)**

\*Country of present employment

## Carcinogenesis Award Lectures

### Senior Award: The Anthony Dipple Carcinogenesis Award

Awarded for major contributions to research in the field of carcinogenesis.

### Young Investigator Award

Awarded for a recent, significant contribution to carcinogenesis research.

**The call for nominations for the Carcinogenesis Award Lectures is now closed. The award winners will be announced early in 2012.**

## Bursaries

### Meeting Bursaries (EACR Members Only)

Meeting Bursaries will be awarded to assist EACR members to attend the Congress and make a poster presentation.

The scheme is designed to support postgraduate students and members with less than 10 years post-graduate experience who have difficulties in securing alternative funding to participate in the Congress.

The value of each award will be up to 1,000 EUR. This bursary will be used to assist with the cost of the registration fee, travel and accommodation.

- **Further information and application forms are available at [www.eacr.org](http://www.eacr.org)**

# General Information

## Commercially Sponsored Satellite Symposia

### EACR-22 Satellite Symposia will take place as follows:

Sunday 8 July 2012	13:00 – 14:30	Room 115
		Room 116
Monday 9 July 2012	13:00 – 14:30	Room 115
		Room 116

## Exhibition

The EACR-22 Exhibition represents an essential part and integral element of the Congress, providing participants with an excellent platform for networking as well as perfect opportunity to gain critical insight into cutting edge technology and the latest healthcare solutions and services within the oncology field.

To view the EACR-22 list of exhibitors and a detailed floor plan please visit **[www.ecco-org.eu](http://www.ecco-org.eu)** (select 'Congresses and conferences'). Entrance to the exhibition is free for all registered participants.

### The EACR-22 Exhibition will be open as follows:

Sunday 8 July	09:45 – 17:30
Monday 9 July	09:45 – 17:30
Tuesday 10 July	09:45 – 12:00

Companies and organisations that would like to participate in the exhibition can download the Invitation to Industry brochure from the Congress website [www.ecco-org.eu](http://www.ecco-org.eu) or contact Bruno De Man, Email: [bruno.deman@ecco-org.eu](mailto:bruno.deman@ecco-org.eu), Tel: +32(0)2 775 02 04.

## Hotel Accommodation

Hotel accommodation at reduced rates for both individuals and groups can only be booked online at **[www.ecco-org.eu](http://www.ecco-org.eu)** (select 'Congresses and conferences', 'EACR-22').

All rooms are booked on a first come first served basis. The deadline for hotel reservation is **30 May 2012**. Bookings received after this date will be subject to availability. In order to benefit from reduced rates, please clearly mention 'EACR-22' when making your booking.

## Insurance

The organisers do not accept liability for individual medical, travel or personal insurance and participants are strongly advised to make their own arrangements regarding health and travel insurance.

## Italian Participants – Prerichiesta AIFA

EACR-22 has appointed a sole agency in Italy to manage all administrative details regarding the legal documentation required by Italian Legislative Order n.541 of December 30, 1992, art 12, para 3.

For Italian 'Prerichiesta AIFA' we ask you to contact the IPCAA-Italia Association directly:

IPCAA-Italia Association  
Via Dario Niccodemi 14  
20052 Monza (MI), Italy  
Fax: +39 0389 2121693  
E-mail: [ipcaa@libero.it](mailto:ipcaa@libero.it)

## Language and Translation

The official language of the Congress is English. No simultaneous translation will be provided.

## Lunch and Refreshments

A light lunch box is included as part of the registration fee and will be provided on Sunday and Monday. Coffee and teas are freely available during the programme breaks.

## Official Carrier



The Star Alliance™ Network Members are pleased to be appointed as the Official Airline Network for EACR-22. To obtain the Star Alliance Conventions Plus discounts, please quote the event code SK06A23 when calling the reservation office of a participating Star Alliance member airline. For booking office information please visit: **[www.staralliance.com/conventionsplus](http://www.staralliance.com/conventionsplus)**.

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## Passport and Visa

A valid passport is required for entry into Spain. A visa may be required for some countries. For information about visa and passports please contact your local Spanish Embassy at least 3 months prior to your departure to join us in Barcelona.

## Social Events

### Saturday 7 July 2012 - Opening Ceremony

All registered delegates are invited to join us for an inspiring Opening Lecture followed by a Welcome Reception. Come and network with friends and colleagues over canapés and local delicacies in a relaxed setting.

- Price per person: 25 EUR.

Tickets can be purchased upon completing the Registration Form or alternatively onsite in Barcelona from the EACR-22 Registration Desk.

### Monday 9 July 2012 - Congress Dinner

A Congress Dinner is organised.

- Registered delegates can buy tickets at the price of 80 EUR (student rate: 60 EUR).

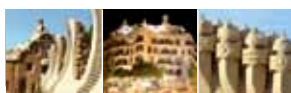
## Transportation

Participants registered for the entire duration of EACR-22 will be able to buy a public transport ticket at the Congress Centre valid for the days of the Congress at half price.

## Registration

Registration is now open online – please visit: **[www.ecco-org.eu](http://www.ecco-org.eu)** (select ‘Congresses and conferences’).

Participants are encouraged to register early in order to benefit from significant savings on fees and to avoid disappointment should the congress become oversubscribed.



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## Registration Form

### Title & contact details

☐ Prof. ☐ Dr. ☐ Mr. ☐ Mrs. ☐ Ms.

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ First Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Institute/Company: \_\_\_\_\_ Department: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Postcode: \_\_\_\_\_ Country: \_\_\_\_\_

Int. Tel. Number: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

### Billing address

Indicate 'As above' or complete below

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Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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### Profession

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|---|--|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Basic Scientist            | <input type="checkbox"/> Medical Affairs     | <input type="checkbox"/> Paediatric Oncologist | <input type="checkbox"/> Student                 |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> General Surgeon            | <input type="checkbox"/> Neuro-surgeon       | <input type="checkbox"/> Radiologist           | <input type="checkbox"/> Urologist               |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Gynaecologist              | <input type="checkbox"/> Nurse               | <input type="checkbox"/> Radiotherapist        | <input type="checkbox"/> Other                   |
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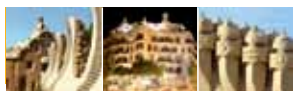
### Registration fees (please tick as appropriate)

	Early Rate	Regular Rate	Late Rate	On Site Rate
	Deadline: 30 March 2012	Deadline: 30 May 2012	Deadline: 2 July 2012	As of 3 July 2012
EACR Members	<input type="checkbox"/> 445 EUR	<input type="checkbox"/> 585 EUR	<input type="checkbox"/> 635 EUR	<input type="checkbox"/> 730 EUR
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Students*	<input type="checkbox"/> 250 EUR	<input type="checkbox"/> 270 EUR	<input type="checkbox"/> 290 EUR	<input type="checkbox"/> 350 EUR
Day Rate (On Site only)				<input type="checkbox"/> 240 EUR
Spouse Ticket**	<input type="checkbox"/> 25 EUR	<input type="checkbox"/> 25 EUR	<input type="checkbox"/> 25 EUR	<input type="checkbox"/> 25 EUR
Social Event: Opening Ceremony	<input type="checkbox"/> 25 EUR	<input type="checkbox"/> 25 EUR	<input type="checkbox"/> 25 EUR	<input type="checkbox"/> 25 EUR
Conference Dinner	<input type="checkbox"/> person(s) at regular rate 80 EUR <input type="checkbox"/> person(s) at regular rate 60 EUR			

All registration fees include local VAT (18%).

\* Please send a letter from your Head of Department to confirm your student/'in training' status.

\*\* This ticket allows access to the Opening Ceremony on 07 July 2012. Please note: Access to Scientific Sessions or the Exhibition is **NOT** permitted.



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To facilitate easy processing, please indicate clearly the name of the participant(s) and add the reference 'Registration Fee EACR-22' on the transfer document.

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By completing this form I accept the terms and conditions of registration mentioned above.

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