



UK CLL Forum Annual Scientific Day

From BCR Structure and Function to Standard of Care: 25 Years of Clinical Progress in CLL

Friday 8th March 2024

Cavendish Conference Centre, 22 Duchess Mews, London W1G 9DT

This meeting will be held as a face-to-face event to provide the opportunity for networking and collaboration, combined with educational sessions.

09.50 *Registration and networking*

Chair: Professor Ulf Klein
University of Leeds

10.20 Introduction

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10.25 **Keynote Lecture**

Chronic lymphocytic leukaemia: an unfinished journey

Professor Freda Stevenson
University of Southampton

11.10 Predicting patient outcome to ibrutinib therapy in CLL using single cell gene and antigen profiling

Professor Joseph Slupsky
University of Liverpool

11.40 Functional precision haematology

Dr Sigrid Skanland
Oslo University Hospital, Norway

Catovsky Flash Presentations

12.10 Studying the impact of targeted therapy on the T cell compartment in chronic lymphocytic leukaemia

Vitória Pereira
King's College London

12.15 Stratification and selective targeting based on anti-apoptotic Bcl-2 family expression and NF-κB signalling in CLL

Lauren Stott
Brighton and Sussex Medical School

12.20 BRD4 prevents the terminal differentiation of CLL B-cells

Athina Georgiou
King's College London

12.25 *Lunch, poster viewing and networking*

Chair: Dr Alan Ramsay
King's College London

13.15 Clinical implications of CLL-like monoclonal B-cell lymphocytosis in the general population

Professor Alberto Orfao
University of Salamanca, Spain

13.45 Using systems biology to predict response to therapy

Dr Simon Mitchell
University of Brighton

Catovsky Oral Presentations

- 14.15 Molecular analysis at relapse of ibrutinib and rituximab-treated CLL patients on the NCRI FLAIR study
Dr Anita Sarma
Leeds Teaching Hospitals
- 14.30 Targeting NF- κ B-inducing kinase (NIK) in chronic lymphocytic leukaemia
Dr Iona Ashworth
Brighton and Sussex Medical School
- 14.45 TGFB and FGF drive environment mediated multi-drug resistance in CLL
Dr Matthew Timmins
University of Cambridge
- 15.00 Gamma-delta T cells in newly diagnosed patients with CLL
Dr Andrea Knight
Masaryk University, Czech Republic
- 15.15 *Coffee, poster viewing and networking*
- 15.40 Announcement of Catovsky prize winner
- 15.45 **Keynote Guest Lecture**
A series of conventional and non-conventional antigen-binding events lead to the development of subset #4 CLL clones
Professor Nicholas Chiorazzi
Feinstein Institutes for Medical Research, New York
- 16.45 *Close*
- Chair: Professor Francesco Forconi**
University of Southampton

Registration:

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