

## Agenda

### October 1<sup>st</sup>, 2024

- 13:00 - 13:30 **Registration** – (light lunch/refreshment available)
- 13:30 - 13:35 **Welcome**  
Frank van de Veerdonk - Stichting Radboud Universitair Medisch Centrum, Netherlands
- 13:35 - 14:20 **General updates about the project, WP1 - Project management (with administrative and financial issues) and WP9 - Ethics requirements**  
Frank van de Veerdonk - Stichting Radboud Universitair Medisch Centrum, Netherlands  
Paola Cesaroni - Innovation Acta S.r.l., Italy
- 14:20 - 14:50 **WP2 - Immunotherapy with rIFN $\gamma$  for candidemia**  
Frank van de Veerdonk - Stichting Radboud Universitair Medisch Centrum, Netherlands
- 14:50 - 15:15 *Coffee break*
- 15:15 - 15:50 **WP3 - Aspergillus prospective observational trial in ICU patients with influenza**  
Joost Wauters - Katholieke Universiteit Leuven, Belgium  
Karin Thevissen - Katholieke Universiteit Leuven, Belgium
- 15:50 - 16:10 **WP4 - Central biobanking of samples and data storage**  
Frank van de Veerdonk - Stichting Radboud Universitair Medisch Centrum, Netherlands
- 16:10 - 16:45 Transport to Universiteitshallen, KULeuven
- 17:00 - 19:30 **Public PhD defense Dr. Simon Feys: “Lifting Fungal Fog in Viral Storms: Disentangling Viral-Associated Pulmonary Aspergillosis”** - (Location: Universiteitshallen, KULeuven)
- 19:30 - 22:30 *Networking discussion and dinner* (Location: restaurant De Hoorn, Leuven)

### October 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2024

- 09:00 - 09:45 **WP5 - Host factors: Interindividual genetic variation and fungal-sensing transcriptional responses**  
Agostinho Carvalho - Universidade do Minho, Portugal  
Oliver Kurzai - Julius-Maximilians-Universität Würzburg, Germany  
Mark Gresnigt - Leipzig-HKI, Germany



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09:45 - 10:30 **WP6 - Immune modulators: Dissecting interindividual variation in microbiome, fungal genetics and metabolic networks of the host and pathogen**

Christoph D'Enfert - Institut Pasteur, France

Luigina Romani - Università degli Studi di Perugia, Italy

10:30 - 10:45 *Coffee break*

10:45 - 11:30 **WP7 - Host-pathogen interaction: Identifying host pathogen interactions based on functional immunology**

Frank van de Veerdonk - Stichting Radboud Universitair Medisch Centrum, Netherlands

George Chamilos - Idryma Technologias Kai Erevnas, Greece

Jessica Quintin - Institut Pasteur, France

11:30 - 12:15 **WP8 - Dissemination, exploitation and social sciences**

Paola Cesaroni - Innovation Acta S.r.l., Italy

Julie Swillens- Radboud Universitair Medisch Centrum, Netherlands

Loek Willems - Hycult Biotechnology B.v., Netherlands

12:15 - 13:00 **Presentations from PhD students**

13:00 - 14:00 *Lunch*

### Mini-Symposium Immunology of severe infections (venue: University Hospital Leuven)

14:00 - 14:30 **Lecture Prof. Agostinho Carvalho: immunometabolism/genetica in fungal infections**

14:30 - 15:00 **Lecture Prof. Georgios Chamilos: phagolysosome biology in fungal infections**

15:00 - 15:30 **Lecture Prof. Dr. Frank van de Veerdonk: immunotherapy in infections**

15.30 - 16:00 *Coffee break*

16:00 - 16:45 Transfer to Universiteitshallen, KULeuven

17:00 - 19:30 **Public PhD defense Ing. Laura Seldeslachts: "Unravelling the pathogenic mechanism behind influenza-associated pulmonary aspergillosis"**

(Location: Universiteitshallen, KULeuven)

