Masterclass in Clinical Oncology for Residents of Oncologic Specialties: Workshops and Case Presentations

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Dear Faculty experts, Dear trainees,

It is a pleasure and honour to welcome you all to Ioannina, the capital of Epirus and active cultural and scientific hub. Together, we shall provide focused training and information in key areas which are often not adequately covered in Oncology Curriculae or are by their nature difficult to teach in structured educational programs. We hope you enjoy this initiative, as well as the mountainous landscape of Epirus with its monuments, lakes, castles and churches.

This year’s Masterclass will be held in collaboration with the Department of Medical Oncology of the University of Ioannina DMO -UOI) and the Swiss Group for Clinical Cancer Research (SAKK) with the support of the Hellenic Group of Young Oncologists (ONEO). Critical thinking and analysis, interaction and networking are the foundations and also the aims of this educational outreach, emanating from an academic oncology department of the Greek North-West. We are looking forward to social/scientific networking between young Greek and Swiss trainees and faculty, as well as an exchange of variations and common patterns in way oncology and research are practiced. We hope you enjoy and that we will see you again in further masterclass events.

Yours truly,

George Pentheroudakis
Professor of Oncology, DMO-UOI

Roger Von Moos
SAKK President
Rationale

**WORKSHOPS:**
To provide focused training and information in key areas of interest to oncology trainees, which are often not adequately covered in Oncology Curriculae or are by their nature difficult to cover in structured educational programs, as they necessitate interaction and specialized expertise. (Examples: Medical Statistics, Why choose Oncology, Training experiences abroad, Breaking Bad News, Research Ethics, Drug development etc.)

**CLINICAL CASE PRESENTATIONS AND DISCUSSION:**
The basic concept here is to bring the Resident to the podium. A Patient Case with history, presentation, pathology and imaging and 4-6 Multiple Choice Questions is prepared by a Faculty member and handed over to the Trainee a month before the Masterclass. The Trainee will have to study it, study relevant literature and present the Case with his/her proposed Answers to the MCQ and proposals for diagnostic/therapeutic strategies, that he/she should be able to justify and defend. A Discussion with the Expert Panel and the audience will take place either during the Case Presentation or immediately after it. Lively discussion and interaction are encouraged and should be elicited by the Experts in the panel.

**OVERALL AIM:**
An additional aim is to promote scientific interaction and social/scientific networking between young Greek and Swiss trainees and faculty, as well as an exchange of variations and common patterns in way oncology and research are practiced.
FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 29th 2019

16:00-16:30 Welcome Addresses

16:30-18:45 1st SESSION
GI Case Presentations and Multidisciplinary Tumor Board
Expert Panel: E. Saloustros (GR), G. Glantzounis (GR),
A. Andrianopoulou (GR), I. Metaxas (CH), A. Gousia (GR)

16:30-17:15 1st CASE
58-year old female patient with right-sided colonic adenocarcinoma, T3N1a, 9 lymph nodes resected,
tumour MSI present, microscopic vascular invasion present.
K. Perivoliotis (GR)

17:15-18:00 Critical Discussion

18:00-18:45 3rd CASE
42-year old male patient with pancreatic adenocarcinoma metastatic to the liver.
S. Gkoura (GR)

18:45-19:00 Coffee Break

19:00-21:00 2nd SESSION
Basic Principles of Medical Statistics for Physicians and Examples-Vignettes
Coordinators: O. Dafni (GR), E. Kampletsas (GR), M. Pless (CH)

19:00-19:30 Basic principles of medical statistics: null hypothesis,
p-value, power, Hazard Ratios and multiple comparisons:
VIGNETTES AS EXAMPLES
G. Koliou (GR)

19:30-19:50 Randomized phase III trials: superiority vs non-inferiority,
sample size, randomization-stratification, interim analysis,
subgroup analysis
D. Karlis (GR)

19:50-20:20 Statistical trial designs in the era of targeted therapies
O. Dafni (GR)

20:20-21:00 How to read and critically comment/discuss a medical paper from a physician perspective: Three Vignettes and discussion
M. Pless (CH)
SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 30th 2019

08:30-12:00  3rd SESSION
Patenting, Drug Approval and Reimbursement in Europe in 2019
Coordinators: G. Pentheroudakis (GR), J. Bogaerts (BE), R. Von Moos (CH)

08:30-09:30 Legal aspects of Patent Protection for Pharmaceutical Products in Greece
Ch. Paraskevopoulos (GR)

09:30-10:30 The regulatory process of drug approval by EMA in Oncology, with clinical examples
J. Bogaerts (BE)

10:30-11:15 Systems of HTA and for considering drug reimbursement in European countries, with clinical examples.
D. Trapani (IT)

11:15-12:00 Biosimilars in oncology: What are they and how are they developed and approved.
A parallel glimpse to the Samsung pipeline
C. Kim (KR)

12:00-12:30 Coffee Break

12:30-14:30  4th SESSION
Breaking Bad News, the Art and Science
Coordinators: T. Hyphantis (GR), L. Kostadima (GR), C. Sessa (CH)

12:30-13:00 Basic principles and strategies for communication with the patient
I. Metaxas (CH)

13:00-13:30 Personal wisdom and experience from the mentor
A. Stathis (CH)

13:30-14:00 Role Playing Scenario 1: The unaware patient
S. Schelb (CH) as Physician
E. Saloustros (GR) as Patient

14:00-14:30 Role Playing Scenario 2: The angry patient
S. Häfliger (CH) as Physician
E. Saloustros (GR) as Patient

14:30-16:00 Lunch Break

16:00-18:40  5th SESSION
Breast Cancer, Gynaecological Cancer, Lymphoma
Expert Panel: D. Mauri (GR), A. Stathis (CH), C. Sessa (CH), R. Von Moos (CH), H. Harissis (GR)

16:00-16:40  4th CASE
50-year old premenopausal female patient presents with cT2N0 ER/PgR-negative, HER2 FISH-positive breast adenocarcinoma, LVI+, Grade 3, Ki67 50%, no distant metastases, for optimal sequence of systemic and surgical/radio therapiess.
K. Reiner (CH)

Critical Discussion
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<td>53-year old lady, with a negative family history for malignancy, diagnosed with FIGO stage III high grade serous ovarian cancer managed with debulking surgery and platinum/taxane CT, first recurrence in peritoneum &gt; 6 months after the last CT cycle, gBRCA1 mutated</td>
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<td>6th CASE</td>
<td>72-year old lady, PS 1 with cardiovascular comorbidity, with resected (Wide Local Excision and Sentinel Node Biopsy, 2 out of 3 positive lymph nodes) pT2N1 Luminal-like type B invasive ductal breast adenocarcinoma, grade 2, Ki67 25%, no distant metastases.</td>
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<td>44-year old woman, fit PS 1, premenopausal, presents with primary breast lymphoma, right-sided, B-DLBCL, and with evidence of metastatic deposits in bone marrow, mediastinum, liver.</td>
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<td>Expert Panel: A. Konstantinidis (GR), D. Petrakis (GR), S. Agelaki (GR), M. Pless (CH)</td>
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<td>19:00-19:40</td>
<td>8th CASE</td>
<td>Male ex-smoker, aged 59, diagnosed with bilateral lung and liver metastases from bronchial adenocarcinoma, significant symptoms and respiratory distress. History of resection of right-sided bronchial adenocarcinoma, PDL1 IHC 5% at primary without EGFR/ALK aberrations, 18 months ago.</td>
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<td>9th CASE</td>
<td>68-year old male never smoker presents with exon 21 EGFR-mutated lung adenocarcinoma with liver and mediastinal involvement, PS1 and wants to be informed of 1st and 2nd line treatment options.</td>
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<td>10th CASE</td>
<td>48-year old male smoker presents with oropharyngeal squamous cell carcinoma with left-sided enlarged 3 cm cervical lymph node and lung metastases, and wished to be informed of 1st and 2nd line therapy options and outcome.</td>
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<td>S. Steck (CH)</td>
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