



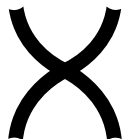
**8TH ANNUAL MEETING**  
**Online** · 2024

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# 8th Meeting of the European Hereditary Tumour Group (EHTG)

Friday, Sept 27th – Saturday, Sept 28th, 2024

**Programme**



## Invitation 8th Meeting - Online

### Dear Members, Friends, Affiliates and Sponsors,

We are delighted to invite you to the 8th annual EHTG meeting which will take place on the **27th and 28th of September 2024 – online!** Our lively programme includes selected hot and controversial topics, in depth debates, audience discussion including the opportunity to discuss challenging clinical cases. We also aim to utilise the event to further research collaboration across our members.

Day 1 (Friday) will include plenary sessions, a debate on an area of current clinical equipoise and a key note lecture on an emerging hot topic. On Day 2 (Saturday), there will be interactive working groups (WG), a Dragon's Den session where young scientists pitch their research ideas – organized by the yEHTG, and an update on chemoprevention in hereditary cancer. Furthermore, you will be able to present your most challenging cases and discuss them with an expert panel. Abstract submission will open shortly and the highest-rated abstracts will be allocated into the relevant working group for an oral presentation.

Please visit [www.ehtg.org](http://www.ehtg.org) for more information and contact [gs007@ehtg.org](mailto:gs007@ehtg.org) for all organisational queries. If you have any suggestions, please get in touch with any of the programme members.

We are excited to see you in September!

Sincerely yours  
EHTG programme committee and board members



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## Meeting Overview

### Day 1 – Friday, September 27th

Time	Event
13:00-14:15	Lynch syndrome
14:15-15:15	Fertility / Pregnancy
15:15-15:30	Coffee break
15:30-16:30	Guidance from patient organizations
16:30-17:00	Debate: Rectal cancer in 2024 – Organ preservation for everyone?
17:00-17:45	Desmoid disease
17:45-18:15	Keynote lecture

### Day 2 – Saturday, September 28th

Time	Event
09:00-10:00	yEHTG
10:00-12:00	4 parallel Working Groups
12:00-12:30	Lunch break
12:30-13:30	My most challenging/interesting case
13:30-14:00	Late breaking abstracts (hot topics)
14:00-14:15	Coffee break
14:15-15:30	Prevention Update
15:30-15:45	Meeting summary and closing remarks

## Scientific Programme

Day 1 – Friday, September 27th

13:00-14:15

### Lynch-Syndrome

Chairs: *Ingrid Winship (Australia)*  
*Kevin Monahan (UK)*

**Lynch syndrome - beyond the colon and the endometrium**  
*Sir John Burn (United Kingdom)*

**Dominantly inherited MSI cancers - an update of the PLSD**  
*Mev Dominguez-Valentin (Norway)*

**Update on the English National Lynch Syndrome Registry (National Disease Registration Service)**  
*Steven Hardy (United Kingdom)*

**Lynch syndrome guideline harmonization - report on the work in progress**  
*Giulia Cavestro (Italy)*

**Immunotherapeutic options for patients with Lynch Syndrome**  
*Andrea Cercek (USA)*

14:15-15:15

### Fertility / Pregnancy

Chairs: *NN*  
*NN*

**Management of colorectal cancer during pregnancy**  
*Jonas Ludvigsson (Sweden)*

**Fertility Preservation in Endometrial Cancer**  
*Denise Nebgen (USA)*

**Fertility preservation in patients with gastrointestinal cancer syndromes**  
*Valeria Vanni (Italy)*

**Surgery and quality of life**  
*José Gaston Guillem (USA)*

15:15-15:30

Coffee break

## Scientific Programme

Day 1 – Friday, September 27th

15:30-16:30

### Guidance from patient organizations

Details to follow soon

16:30-17:00

### Debate: Rectal cancer in 2024 – Organ preservation for everyone?

Chairs: *NN*  
*Matthias Kloor (Germany)*

Pro: *Julio Garcia-Aguilar (USA)*

Contra: *Kai-Keen Shiu (United Kingdom)*

17:00-17:45

### Desmoid disease

Chairs: *Elisabeth Half (Israel)*  
*David Liska (USA)*

**Biological background and screening: Who and how should we screen for desmoids?**

*Alona Zer (Israel)*

**How and when to treat desmoid tumors: Medical treatment options for desmoid disease**

*Silvia Stacchiotti (Italy)*

**Surgical options for treatment of desmoid tumors**

*Yann Parc (France)*

17:45-18:15

### Key note lecture

Chair: *Möslein Gabriela (Germany)*

**Targeting the Gut Microbiome for Cancer prevention and treatment**

*Phil Quirke (United Kingdom)*



## Scientific Programme

Day 2 – Saturday, September 28th

09:00-10:00

### Y-EHTG

Chairs: Saskia Haupt (Germany)  
Naim Abu-Freha (Israel)

#### Y-EHTG – who we are and what we do

Saskia Haupt (Germany)

#### Dragons' Den – update on ongoing projects

Sanne ten Broeke (The Netherlands)  
Neil Ryan (UK)  
Caroline Kahn (Denmark)

Pitch new studies and projects of Y-EHTG members

10:00-12:00

### 4 parallel Working Groups

#### Polyposis

Chairs: Dan Buchanan (Australia)  
Stefan Aretz (Germany)  
Gloria Zaffaroni (Germany/Italy)

#### Carcinogenic mechanisms and pathways / early onset cancers / novel associations

Chairs: Aysel Ahadova (Germany)  
Julian Sampson (United Kingdom)

#### Genetics Counselling & Management (incl. Lab diagnosis, RNA seq, MMR variant interpretation)

Chairs: Kelly Kohut (United Kingdom)  
Fiona Laloo (United Kingdom)

#### Extra colonic cancers in Lynch

Chairs: Neil Ryan (United Kingdom)  
Christina Therkildsen (Sweden)

12:00- 12:30

Lunch break

## Scientific Programme

Day 2 – Saturday, September 28th

12:30-13:30

### My most challenging/interesting case

Chairs: Giulia Cavestro (Italy)  
Laura Valle (Spain)  
NN

13:30-14:00

### Late breaking abstracts (hot topics)

Chairs: John Burn (UK)  
NN

14:00-14:15

Coffee break

14:15-15:30

### Prevention Update

Chairs: Elke Holinski-Feder (Germany)  
Finlay Macrae (Australia)

#### The MESACapp Study – an update on chemo-prevention for colorectal cancer with mesalamine

Ann-Sofie Backman (Sweden)

#### Risks and benefit of aspirin in prevention of hereditary colorectal cancer

Andrew T. Chan (USA)

#### Vaccine Prevention Update

Matthias Kloor (Germany)

#### The promise of liquid biopsy to reduce the burden of cancer

Harpal Kumar (United Kingdom)

15:30-15:45

### Meeting summary and closing remarks

Gabriela Möslein (Germany)  
Toni Seppälä (Finland)



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