



Draft Programme

Day 1: Thursday 6 February

09h00 – 10h00 **Registration**

10h00 – 10h05 **Welcome**
Gilles Vassal, ACCELERATE Chair

1. Update on ACCELERATE activities over the last 12 months

10h05 – 10h20 **Goals and projects of ACCELERATE**
Gilles Vassal, ACCELERATE Chair

2. Prioritizing therapeutic innovations in the new regulatory environment: the Paediatric Strategy Forums initiative

Chairpersons: **TBC**

10h20 – 10h35 **The ACCELERATE Paediatric Strategy forum initiative and further development**
Andy Pearson, ACCELERATE

10h35 – 11h05 **Prioritizing drugs for children with paediatric acute myeloid leukaemia**

- 1. Therapeutic targets and unmet medical needs in children with acute myeloid leukaemia**
Todd Cooper, Seattle Children's Hospital
- 2. The PedAL/EUPAL consortium to speed up innovation and prioritize**
Edward Anders Kolb, Nemours Al DuPont Hospital for Children
Dirk Reinhard, University Childrens Hospital Essen
- 3. Proofs of Principle: Innovation Acceleration for 2020 and clarifying past developments (CD123 and FLT3)**
Michel Zwaan, Prinses Maxima Centrum

11h05 – 11h25 **Prioritizing drugs for children with mature B-Cell malignancies**

- 1. The International ITCC European intergroup For Childhood NHL COG platform trial**
Amos Burke, Cambridge University Hospitals
- 2. Paediatric developments of anticancer drugs for non-Hodgkin lymphoma in adults: current landscape**
Dominik Karres, European Medicines Agency

11h25 – 11h55 Panel discussion

11h55 – 12h05 **Choosing the topic of the next Paediatric Strategy Forums (presentation of the new method, results of the surveys, vote)**
Andy Pearson, ACCELERATE

3. Recent scientific breakthrough in anticancer drug development (Lecture)

12h05 – 12h30 **NTRK inhibitors: what we learned and where to go**
Michela Casanova, Fondazione IRCCS Istituto Nazionale dei Tumori

Discussion

12h30 – 13h30 Lunch

4. Progress in the ACCELERATE Working Groups

Chairs: *Patricia Blanc, Imagine for Margo / Ruth Ladenstein, Children Cancer's Research Institute*

13h30 – 13h45 **The Fostering Age Inclusive Research (FAIR) project**
Nathalie Gaspar, Gustave Roussy
Chris Copland, University of York

13h45 – 14h00 **The Fit for Filing project**
Pamela Kearns, University of Birmingham
Elly Barry, Pfizer

14h00 – 14h15 **Long-term Follow-up (LTFU) platform project**
Danielle Horton Taylor, Unite2Cure
Mark Kieran, Bristol-Myers Squibb

14h15 – 14h30 **The International Cooperation initiative**
Greg Reaman, Food and Drug Administration
Nicole Scobie, Zoe4Life

14h30 – 14h45 **The ACCELERATE-AACR Think-Tank meeting**
Darshan Wariabharaj, Janssen

14h45 – 15h00 **Discussion**

15h00 – 15h30 Coffee break (including group photo)

5. New private sector initiatives to accelerate paediatric oncology drug development

Chairpersons: *TBC*

15h30 – 15h45 **Day One Therapeutics**
Sam Blackman

15h45 – 16h00 **OncoHeroes**
Cesare Spadoni

16h00 – 16h15 **Y-mAbs**
Lene Worsaae Dalby

16h15 – 16h35 **Q&A**

6. The global perspective

Chairpersons: *TBC*

16h35 – 16h55 **Developing therapeutic innovations for children with cancer in Australia**
Peter Wejbora, Children's Cancer Institute

16h55 – 17h15 **The Canada Initiative**
Patrick Sullivan, Ac2orn and Coast to Coast Against Cancer Foundation
Alysha Crocker, Health Canada

17h15 – 17h35 **Q&A**

18h00 – 19h00 *Cocktail reception – Steigenberger Wiltcher's*

20h00 – 23h00 *Networking dinner (for registered participants only) - La Quincaillerie Restaurant*
(Rue du Page 45, Brussels)

Day 2: Friday 7 February

08h00 – 08h30 **Registration**

7. Preparing for the new regulatory environment

Chairpersons **TBC**

8h30 – 08h45 **Implementation of the Race for Children ACT**
Greg Reaman, Food and Drug Administration

08h45 – 09h00 **Perspectives for the European Regulatory Environment**
Fabio D'Atri, European Commission

09h00 – 09h30 **Assets to generate biological and preclinical data**
1. The IMI2 ITCC-P4 public private partnership project
Louis Stancato, Eli Lilly Company
2. The FNIH public private partnership project
Stacey J. Adam and David Wholley, FNIH

09h30 – 10h00 **Panel discussion**

10h00 – 10h30 **Coffee break**

8. Breakout sessions (10h30 – 12h30)

- 1. Challenges in prioritisation – The way forward**
- 2. Beyond randomized controlled trials: 'non-conventional' data sources for regulatory decision-making**
- 3. Preclinical testing in order to benefit children**
- 4. Implementing the Race for Children Act**

12h30 – 13h30 **Lunch**

9. Keynote speech

Chairperson: **Gilles Vassal**

13h30 – 14h00 **The European Agenda for children and adolescents with cancer**
Pam Kearns, SIOPE President

10. Report from Breakout sessions

Chairpersons: **Gilles Vassal + TBC**

14h00 – 16h00 **Report from Breakout sessions and discussion**

11. Wrap-up and 2019 Action Plan

16h00 – 16h20 **Defining the 2020 ACCELERATE Action Plan**

16h20 – 16h30 **Conclusions and end of Conference**