Marrakech Women’s Cancer Days
- Dialogues and Implications -

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The Pan-Arabian Research Society of Gynecological Oncology

Marrakech, Morocco
- April 5-7th 2018 -
PRE-SYMPOSIUM SESSION
- April 5th 2018 -

Regional Seminar on
“Cervical and Breast Cancer Early Diagnosis and Screening in the Euro-Mediterranean region”

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Regional Seminar on April 5th 2018
“Cervical and Breast Cancer Early Diagnosis and Screening in the Euro-Mediterranean region”

9:00 Welcome:
- N. Segnan (CPO Turin), J. Sehouli (Charité Berlin)
Opening:
- M. Khalid Samadi (Ministre délégué chargé de l’Enseignement Superieure et de la Récherche Scientifique)
- Prof. Abderrahmane Maaroufi (Director of the Epidemiology and Disease Control, Moroccan Ministry of Health)
- L. Pais, (Deputy Secretary General, Union for the Mediterranean)
- Y. Chami (Lalla Salma Foundation)
- A. Ullrich (Worth-Project)

The fight against cervical cancer in the Mediterranean region: actors and actions
Chairs: L.Giordano, A. Kaufmann, J.Sehouli

9:30 am The Worth project: the state of play.................................
N. Segnan (CPO Piedmont)

9:50 am The INCA project on recruitment strategies: an overview......
L.Giordano (CPO Piedmont)

10:10 am The state of art of INCA project in participating countries:
Morocco, Albani, Montenegro..............................................
L. Belakhel, M. Dotti, K. Filipi, L. Jaramillo, and D. Ostojic

11:00 am The MorocOncoE6 project: results from pilot study.........
J. Sehouli, A. Benider, and A. Kaufmann

11:20 am Coffee break (20 min)

11:40 am Lalla Salma Foundation in promoting cancer screening in Morocco and Africa: actions and strategies............................
Y. Chami

12:00 pm The PARSGO and NOGGO contribution...........................
J.Sehouli
12.20 pm  HPV testing: challenges and opportunities in limited resources settings, the Charité initiatives on screening............
A.Kaufmann

12.40 pm  Discussion

1.00 pm  Lunch (1.5 hours)

**International alliances in the battle against cervical cancer**
*Chairs: N.Segnan, A.Ullrich*

- 2:30 pm  Moving towards joint actions: two WHO collaborating centres
  CPO and NIH CGH.................................
  T. Trimble

- 2:50 pm  NOGGO-PARSGO Cooperation.................................
  J. Sehouli

**Women Empowerment and Health – a road map to gain social equity and wellbeing**
*Chairman: L. Giordano*

- 3:10 pm  Women’s right to health: moving forward towards empowerment.................................
  F. Hassouni (UfM)

- 3:30 pm  Screening and Equity................................................
  J.Espinas (ICO)

- 3:50 pm  The UN Women Perspective...........................................
  Manal Benkirane (UN Women)

- 4:10 pm  Partnerships for effective cervical cancer control.................
  A. Ullrich

**Round table: framing a common action plan to address cervical cancer**
*Chairman: L. Giordano, J. Sehouli*

- 4:30 pm  Roundtable..........................................................
  N. Kaufmann, T. Trimble, J. Espinas, Z. Arezki, N. Segnan and M. Bellamine

- 5:10 pm  Summary and Closing Remarks
International Symposium about Ovarian and Cervical Cancer
-A global dialogue-

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GYNECOLOGIC CANCER INTERGROUP
An Organization of International Cooperative Groups for Clinical Trials in Gynecologic Cancers
Marrakech, Morocco
- April 6 - 7th 2018 -

An Initiative of the
Gynecologic Cancer InterGroup (GCIG) and the
Pan-Arabian Research Society
of Gynecological Oncology (PARSGO)

With support of the
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of Gynecological Oncology (NOGGO),
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Cooperation in Charge of Moroccans Resident Abroad
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à l'étranger et des affaires de la migration)

Under the Patronage of
Lalla Salma Foundation

Sponsored by: TESARO AstraZeneca
8:00 am  Registration

9:00 am  Welcome & Objectives..............................................
         Amzazi/Doukkali/Midaoui

9:15 am  GCIG- Who we are and what we do.............................
         Poveda (GCIG Chair)

9:30 am  PARSGO- Who we are and what we do.........................
         Sehouli (PARSGO/NOGGO)

Screening & Prevention
Chairs: duBois (AGO), Munkarah (PARSGO)

09:45 am  Principles of screening & diagnostics in ovarian cancer...
          Braicu (GCIG/NOGGO)

10:00 am  The Arabic Perspective- UAE.................................
          Aswad (UAE)

10:15 am  The Arabic Perspective- Sudan..............................
          Sid Ahamad (Sudan)

BRCA Testing in primary and relapsed ovarian cancer and clinical consequences

10:30 am  The European Approach........................................
          Sehouli (PARSGO/NOGGO)

10:45 am  The American Approach........................................
          Munkarah (PARSGO)

11:00 am  The Arabic perspective........................................
          El-Khalfaoui (Morocco)

11:15 am  Tumor Banking Projects........................................
          Braicu (GCIG/NOGGO)

11:30 am  Panel discussion................................................
          Braicu, Aswad, Sid Ahamad, Sehouli,
          Munkarah, and El-Khelfaoui
          - Current status
          - Future directions in education & challenges
          - Overcoming barriers to clinical trials & research

12:00 pm  Lunch and poster session (1 hour)
**Surgical Approach**  
*Chairs: Berek (GCIG/COGI), Abu-Rustum (IGCS)*

- **1:00 pm** Surgical approach in early stage ovarian cancer  
  *Lichtenegger (NOGGO)*

- **1:15 pm** Surgery in advanced stage ovarian cancer  
  *Sehouli (PARSGO/NOGGO)*

- **1:30 pm** Surgery in relapsed ovarian cancer  
  *DuBois (AGO)*

- **1:45 pm** Surgical approach in borderline ovarian cancer  
  *Yazbek (PARSGO)*

- **2:00 pm** Clinical Practice – The Arabic Perspective  
  *Gawad (Egypt), El-Karroumi/Ennachit (Morocco), and Atallah (Lebanon)*

- **2:45 pm** Panel discussion  
  *Sehouli, Lichtenegger, DuBois, Yazbek, Gawad, El-Karroumi, and Atallah*
  - Current status
  - Future directions in education & challenges
  - Overcoming barriers to clinical trials & research

- **3:15 pm** Beverage break (45 min)

**Medical Therapies**  
*Chairs: Gabra (Astra Zeneca), Marth (GCIG/AGO-Au)*

- **4:00 pm** Current GCIG Trials in Ovarian Cancer  
  *Poveda (GCIG Chair)*

- **4:15 pm** Current status of systemic therapy in Primary OC  
  *Berek (GCIG/COGI)*

- **4:30 pm** Targeted therapy in Primary Ovarian Cancer  
  *Poveda (GCIG Chair)*

- **4:45 pm** Current concepts of maintenance therapy (ROC)  
  *Marth (GCIG/AGO-Au)*

- **5:00 pm** Clinical Practice- The Arabic Perspective  
  *Seoud (Lebanon), Benider (Morocco), and Mezghani (Tunisia)*

- **5:45 pm** Summary & Closing Remarks  
  *Sehouli (PARSGO/NOGGO), Poveda (GCIG)*

- **8:00 pm** Evening Reception and Gala Dinner
CERVICAL CANCER

April 7th 2018

Welcome & Objectives

Sehouli (PARSGO/NOGGO), Poveda (GCIG), Official

9:10 am  
Screening HPV
Kaufmann (PARSGO)

9:25 am  
The ASCO Guidelines
Trimble (NIH CGH)

9:40 am  
Political Aspects in Cervical Cancer - WHO Vision
Ullrich (WHO)

9:55 am  
Clinical Practice – The Arabic Perspective
Hanchi (Morocco), Atallah (Lebanon), Aswad (UAE), Atmani (Algeria), and Galal (Sudan)

11:10 am  
Panel Discussion
- Future directions in education and challenges
- Overcoming barriers to clinical trials & research

11:30 am  
Beverage break (15 min)

Cervical Cancer: Treatment and Trials

Chairs: Bauknecht (PARSGO), Berek (GCIG/COGI)

11:45 am  
Clinical Trials in Cervical Cancer - GCIG
Gaffney (GCIG/NRG)

12:00 am  
Current aspects of NA and concurrent Chemotherapy
Sehouli (PARSGO/NOGGO)

12:15 am  
SLN in Cancer of the Cervix
Abu-Rustum (IGCS)

12:30 am  
Evolution of the surgical management of cervix cancer
Querleu (ESGO)
12:45 am  Immunotherapy in treatment of cervix cancer

Mileshkin (GCIG/ANZGOG)

1:00 pm  Principles of radiotherapy in cervix cancer

McCormack (GCIG/NCRI)

1:15 pm  Clinical Practice - The Arabic Perspective

Bishtawi (Jordan)

1:30 pm  Panel Discussion

Gaffney, Sehouli, Abu-Rustum, Querleu, Mileshkin, McCormack, and Bishtawi

- Overcoming barriers

2:00 pm  Lunch and Poster session (1 hour)

### QoL & Patient Care in Gynecologic Cancer

*Chairs: Munkarah (PARSGO), Poveda (GCIG)*

3:00 pm  Breaking Bad News

Sehouli (PARSGO/NOGGO)

3:15 pm  Sexuality and Quality of Life

Pirmorady (NOGGO)

3:30 pm  PARSGO Projects and Activities

Nasser (PARSGO) and Schmeler (IGCS)

3:50 pm  Lymphedema in Gynecological Cancers

Barakat (IGCS)

4:05 pm  Self-help Organisations and Patient Information- The Arabic Perspective (Lalla Salma Foundation)

Chami (Morocco)

4:20 pm  Panel Discussion

Sehouli, Pirmorady, Nasser, Schmeler, Chami, and Barakat

- Future directions
- Challenges
- Overcoming communication & cultural barriers

4:50 pm  Summary and Closing Remarks

Sehouli (PARSGO/NOGGO)

and Poveda (GCIG Chair)
Participating PARSGO Countries

Algeria

Egypt

Iraq

Jordan

Kuwait

Lebanon

Libya

Morocco

Oman

Qatar

Saudi Arabia

Sudan

Syria

Tunisia

United Arab Emirates

Albania

Australia

Austria

Canada

France

Germany

Italy

Montenegro

Spain

Switzerland

United Kingdom

United State of America

Venue: Sofitel Hotel Spa and Lounge, Marrakech/Morocco