

2nd International Meeting on Respiratory Pathogens - Preliminary Programme [9.17]

Day One - 7 March 2018, Wednesday

Time	Programme	
0800 to 0900	Registration and Poster setup	
0900 to 0930	Welcome by Conference Chairman	
	Opening Remarks by ISIRV Chairman	
	Opening Remarks by Guest-of-Honour, Singapore	
	Introduction to Keynote Speaker	
0930 - 1015	Keynote speaker: Maria Zambon, Public Health England Challenges in Responding to Antimicrobial Resistance	
<i>1015 - 1045</i>	<i>Tea Break</i>	
1045 - 1115	Plenary I Vaccines against emerging threats	
1115 - 1145	Plenary II Pneumococcal diseases	
<i>1145 - 1300</i>	<i>Lunch</i>	
1300 - 1445	Parallel Session 1 Burden and Epidemiology of Acute Respiratory Infections	Parallel Session 2 Immunology of Respiratory Pathogens
	<i>Tea Break</i>	
1500 - 1645	Parallel Session 3 Advances in Respiratory Pathogen Vaccines	Parallel Session 4 Clinical Management and Critical Care in Respiratory Infections
	<i>Break (Transition to Plenary Setup)</i>	
1715 - 1745	Plenary III The Great Influenza: A Historical Perspective of the 1918 Pandemic - Jeffrey Rice, New Zealand	
<i>1745 - 1930</i>	<i>Poster Session I with Authors (Networking Cocktail)</i>	
<i>1930 - 2100</i>	<i>Appreciation Dinner for Invited Speakers</i>	

Day Two - 8 March 2018, Thursday

Time	Programme	
0730 to 0830	Registration and Poster setup	
0830 to 0900	Plenary IV The Role of the Microbiome in Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease	
	Plenary V Etiology of Pneumonia in Children - David Murdoch, University of Otago	
<i>0930 to 1000</i>	<i>Tea Break</i>	
1000 to 1145	Parallel Session 5 Treatment Options for Respiratory Infections	Parallel Session 6 New Advances in Diagnostics (Incorporating Presentations by Industry)
	<i>Sponsored Lunch Symposium: AMR and Infection Control</i>	
1345 - 1530	Parallel Session 7 Surveillance Systems and Public Health Prevention Strategies	Parallel Session 8 Evolution and Molecular Epidemiology of Respiratory Infections
	<i>Tea Break</i>	

1600 - 1630	Plenary VI Update on Public Health Policy to Combat Respiratory Infections
1630 - 1730	Expert Dialogue on Infection Control / Bioinformatics Workshop
1730 - 1930	Poster Session II with Authors (Networking Cocktail)

Day Three - 9 March 2018, Friday

Time	Programme	
0830 to 0900	Plenary VII Respiratory Syncytial Virus - Peter Openshaw, Imperial College London	
0900 to 0930	Plenary VIII Population Based Interventions to Prevent Respiratory Infections - Ben Cowling, The University of Hong Kong	
0930 - 1000	Awards Presentation before Tea Break	
1000 - 1145	Special Track for Policy Makers Updates on Respiratory Diseases for Policy Makers ((Including Emerging Diseases, Ebola, MERS-CoV, Avian Influenza, Anti-microbial Resistance, Pandemic Preparedness, One Health, Media Communications)	Parallel Session 9 Modelling the Spread of Respiratory Pathogens
1145 - 1345	Sponsored Lunch Symposium: Neglected Vaccines	
1345 - 1530	Parallel Session 10 Advances in Respiratory Syncytial Virus Research	Parallel Session 11 Respiratory Pathogen Co-infections (Viral-bacterial and Viral-viral Interactions)
1530 - 1545	Tea Break	
1545 - 1615	Plenary IX The Future of Combating Respiratory Pathogens - Sylvie Briand, WHO	
1615 - 1630	Meeting Conclusion Concluding Remarks and Acknowledgements by IMRP 2018 Chairperson A/Prof Gavin SMITH	