

10.00 - 11.00
ROOM B

**ADVANCES IN ANAEMIA, PSA
STANDARDISATION AND
HEPATITIS B TESTING**



Workshop

Chair: *W. F. Riesen (Switzerland)*

10.00 - 10.15

Definition and clinical relevance of
EPO response to anaemia using a new
automated EPO immunoassay
P. Day (UK)

10.15 - 10.30

EPO testing to predict response to
rHuEPO therapy in cancer patients
Y. Beguin (Belgium)

10.30 - 10.45

Has PSA testing been de-sensitised
for cancer detection? Impact of PSA
assay standardisation on clinical
results
M. Meyer (Switzerland)

10.45 - 11.00

Analytical and clinical performance of
a new fully automated HBsAg assay
F. Lunel (France)

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**INNOVATION INSPIRED BY
YOUR NEEDS - INCREASING
EFFICIENCY THROUGH
ADVANCES IN PROTEIN
TESTING**

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Workshop

Chair: *L. Thomas (Germany)*

10.00 - 10.30

CDT as a marker of alcohol abuse:
advances in routine use by new
automated methods
F. Schellenberg (France)

10.30 - 11.00

Iron deficient erythropoiesis: new
aspects of diagnosis and therapeutic
monitoring
L. Thomas (Germany)



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11.30 - 12.30
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**USING LEAN TO DEFINE THE
CORRECT PATH TO
LABORATORY AUTOMATION**



Workshop

Chair: *J.S. Hegarty (USA)*

11.30 - 12.00

Overview on lean basics and approaches to lean process design
J.S. Hegarty (USA)

12.00 - 12.30

The UNC approach to automation, using the lean process excellence data-driven model
J. F. Chapman (USA)

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**LABORATORY NETWORKS:
ADDING VALUE BY SYSTEM
PLATFORM DESIGN**



Diagnostics

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Chairs: *D. Müller-Wieland (Germany)*
S. Bieger (Germany)

11.30 - 12.00

Today's challenges of a laboratory network
D. Müller-Wieland (Germany)

12.00 - 12.30

cobas® modular platform - adding value by system platform design
S. Bieger (Germany)

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**PRACTICAL CONSIDERATIONS
FOR ASSAY
STANDARDISATION AND
AUTOMATION SOLUTIONS IN
CLINICAL CHEMISTRY
LABORATORIES**



Workshop

Chair: *D. Armbruster (USA)*

13.00 - 13.10

Introduction and Welcome
D. Armbruster (USA)

13.10 - 13.40

Reference systems for enzymes: the
link to routine procedures
and practical solutions
G. Schumann (Germany)

13.40 - 14.00

Laboratory Automation, a customer's
perspective
K. Reddi (South Africa)

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**NEW APPROACH TO
WORKSTATION
CONSOLIDATION**



Workshop

Chair: *F.P.W. Tegelaers
(The Netherlands)*

13.00 - 13.05

Introduction
F.P.W. Tegelaers (The Netherlands)

13.05 - 13.30

The UniCel Family Concept: UniCel
DxC 880i
A. Piening (Switzerland)

13.30 - 14.00

Key factors for successful
implementation of workstation
consolidation
T. Rieger (Germany)

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**THE URINARY SEDIMENT:
ITS UTILITY AND A NEW
APPROACH**



Workshop

Chair: *G. Federici (Italy)*

14.30 - 14.50

The urinary sediment in clinical practice

G.B. Fogazzi (Italy)

14.50 - 15.10

A new approach to urinary sediment

G. Bayer (Hungary)

15.10 - 15.30

Evaluation of a new technology for urinary sediment: preliminary results

Z. Zaman (Belgium)

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**NEW TRENDS IN
DECENTRALISED SETTING:
TIGHT GLYCEMIC CONTROL**



Diagnostics

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Chair: *J. Krinsley (USA)*

14.30 - 15.30

Glycemic control in the critically ill patient: evidence, execution, evaluation and economics

J. Krinsley (USA)



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EXTENDED APPLICATIONS IN
ROUTINE HEMATOLOGY



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Chair: *S. Quinn (Germany)*

16.00 - 16.10

Introduction and welcome
S. Quinn (Germany)

16.10 - 16.40

Neutrophil CD64 in Sepsis diagnosis
and management
B.H. Davis (USA)

16.40 - 17.00

Extended applications in routine
hematology
C. S. Scott (Germany)



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THE GOLD STANDARD
SOLUTION FOR THE
INFECTIOUS DISEASE
LABORATORY.
AND FOR THE FUTURE?

**SIEMENS
MEDICAL SOLUTIONS
DIAGNOSTICS**

Workshop

Chair: *P. Merel (France)*

16.00 - 16.20

The gold standard solution for the
infectious disease laboratory
*A.G.M. van der Zanden
(The Netherlands)*

16.20 - 16.40

Future solutions for the infectious
disease laboratory
A. Beard (USA)

16.40 - 17.00

Panel discussion: the future of
infectious disease testing
P. Merel (France)