

Workshop and Conference Schedule at a Glance

Workshop in Buzios- September 13-16, 2008			
13	14	15	16
18:00 hr Opening Session	9:00 - 12:00 Informal discussion of results and preparation of presentations of summaries for Open Thematic Forum and Conference		
	12:00 - 15:00: Time to relax and enjoy Buzios		
	15:00 - 18:00: Open Thematic Forum Plenary sessions		
Welcome Reception		Councillor's Dinner	Brazilian Party and HLA Show

Conference in Rio de Janeiro- September 17-20, 2008				
Opening Ceremony: September 17 6:00 pm Conference: Contribution of International Workshops for Histocompatibility and Immunogenetics. Erik Thorsby				
		18	19	20
Parallel sessions	09:00 - 10:30 Mini-symposia*	Antibodies and transplantation Immunogenetics Genetic susceptibility to diseases	Hematopoietic stem cell transplantation Genetics of type 1 diabetes KIR polymorphism and function	MICA and minor antigens in transplantation Genetic Diversity
	10:30 - 11:00	Coffee Break & Poster Viewing	Coffee Break & Poster Viewing	Coffee Break & Poster Viewing
Plenary Sessions	11:00 - 12:00 Conferences*	The molecular basis of allorecognition	KIR-HLA interactions in the susceptibility to diseases	Demographics and natural selection
	12:00 - 13:30	Technical Luncheon/s	Technical Luncheon/s	Technical Luncheon/s
Plenary Sessions	14:00 - 15:00 WS Results Reports	Solid organ transplantation <i>P Terasaki, P Stastny, E Goulmy, I Doxiadis</i>	Anthropology/ Genetic Diversity (I) <i>S Marsh, D Middleton, S Mack, G Doxiadis</i>	Anthropology/ Genetic Diversity (II) <i>A Sanchez-Maza, N Mehra, D Middleton, A Arnaiz-Villena</i>
Plenary Sessions	15:00 - 16:00 WS Results Reports	Immunogenicity of HLA molecules <i>A Zachary, R Duquesnoy, M Fernandez-Viña</i>	Hematopoietic stem cell transplantation <i>E Petersdorf, M Leffell</i>	Genetic polymorphisms & immune response & diseases <i>J Mytilineos, T Cabrera, E Naumova, M Askar, N Mehra, M Varla-Leftherioti</i>
	16:00 - 16:30	Coffee Break & Poster Viewing	Coffee Break & Poster Viewing	Coffee Break & Poster Viewing
Plenary Sessions	16:30 - 18:00 Symposia*	HLA and solid organ transplantation Anti-HLA antibodies and chronic rejection Transplantation tolerance	KIR polymorphism & evolution Immunogenetics and epigenetics Immunology of pregnancy	HLA and HIV Polymorphism of TLR Non HLA polymorphism and diseases
Welcome Reception			Gala Dinner with Carnival Show	

*speakers to be announced soon.