



EIC Cell and Gene Therapy Symposium

Friday 27th October 2023

13:30-14:30 PM CET

Time	Topic	Speaker
13:30 – 13:40 10 min	Welcome & scope of the event	<p>Iordanis Arzimanoglou, PhD (PM for Health & Biotech, EIC)</p> <p>Anna Panagopoulou (Director for ERA & Innovation, DGR&I)</p> <p>Stéphane Ouaki (Head of Department E, EIC)</p>
13:40 – 14:04 24 min	<p>Keynote speakers:</p> <p><i>Prospects for in vivo hematopoietic stem cell gene therapy</i></p> <p><i>BioNTech's oncology pipeline with focus on mRNA moieties and cell and gene therapies</i></p> <p><i>EIC portfolio an opportunity for EU science and innovative industry</i></p>	<p>Hans-Peter Kiem, MD/PhD (Stephanus Family Endowed Chair for Cell & Gene Therapy; Professor, Fred Hutchinson Cancer Center; Immediate Past President of the American Society of Gene and Cell Therapy)</p> <p>Michael Wenger, MD (Vice President, Clinical Development, BioNTech)</p> <p>Seppo Ylä-Herttuala, MD/PhD (Director of the Biocenter Kuopio, EU EATRIS-ERIC and National Virus Vector Laboratory; Professor, University East Finland)</p>
14:04 – 14:28 24 min	<p>Panel Discussion with EIC Pathfinder portfolio projects</p> <p>Moderator: John Hodgson (former Editor-at-large, Nature Biotechnology)</p> <p>Panelists:</p> <p>Mariana Werner Sunderland, PhD (Senior Scientist, Achilles Therapeutics, Ltd., UK)</p> <p>Bernhard Gentner, MD/PhD (Associate Professor & Group leader, Dept. of Oncology, Ludwig Institute for Cancer Research Lausanne)</p> <p>Luc Henry, PhD (CEO and co-founder at Limula)</p> <p>Luca Gattinoni, MD/PhD (Professor, Head of Dept., Leibniz Institute for Immunotherapy)</p> <p>Alberto Auricchio, MD/PhD (Professor, PI Molecular Therapy Program, Vice President of the ESGCT)</p>	
14:28 – 14:30 2 min	Closing remarks	Iordanis Arzimanoglou, PhD
15:00 – 17:00	Cocktail reception & Networking	North Light Building, in Simon Bolivar 34