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Program
**General Annual
Meeting 2022**

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BHS General Annual Meeting (GAM) 2022

Friday 4 February 2022

08:30 – 08:45	Visit our Sponsors
08:45 – 09:00	Welcome Ann Janssens, BHS President
09:00 – 09:30	Highlight 1 Chairs: Timothy Devos & Dominiek Mazure Management of myelofibrosis: novel approaches and recent evolutions Jean-Jaques Kiladjian, Hôpital Saint Louis Paris, France
09:30 – 10:00	Advances in Laboratory Technology Chairs: Ivan Van Riet & Helena Devos CHIP, CHOP, ARCH: lost in translation Ann De Becker, UZ Brussel, Belgium
10:00 – 10:30	Genetic predisposition in myeloid malignancies Ine Moors, UZ Gent, Belgium
10:30 – 11:00	Coffee Break & Visit our Sponsors
11:00 – 11:20	Satellite 1 – Astra Zeneca : Recent advances in the treatment of CLL: bringing the patient into the equation Chair: Vanessa Van Hende Treatment advances for CLL patients in Belgium during the last decades Ann Janssens, UZ Leuven, Belgium
11:20 – 11:55	Making a shared treatment decision Jennifer Brown, Dana-Farber Cancer Institute Boston, USA Elke Stienissen (LVV, BHS patient committee): video testimonial
11:55 – 12:00	Q&A
12:00 – 12:30	Special Lecture 1 Chairs: Anke Verlinden & Sophie Servais Paradigm shifts in managing infections in high-risk hematology patients Johan Maertens, UZ Leuven, Belgium
12:30 – 14:00	Lunch and poster walks & Visit our Sponsors
14:00 – 15:30	Oral Abstracts Chairs: Dimitri Breems & Marc André Julien Devreux, de Duve Institute Brussels, Belgium Stef Meers, AZ Klina Brasschaat, Belgium Koen Debackere, KU Leuven / UZ Leuven, Belgium Marie-Christiane Vekemans, UC Louvain, Belgium Siska Blomme, AZ-Sint Jan Brugge, Belgium Wouter De Brouwer, UZ Brussel, Belgium
15:30 – 16:00	Special Lecture 2 Chairs: Nicole Straetmans & Cécile Boulanger Autoimmune hemolytic anemia for the hematologist Marc Michel, Hôpital Henri-Mondor Paris-Est Créteil, France

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16:00 – 16:30	Coffee Break & Visit our Sponsors
16:30 – 17:30	Pierre Strijckmans Lecture Chairs: Marc André & Ann Janssens Introduction Dimitri Breems, ZNA, Belgium AML diagnosis and treatment Bob Löwenberg, Erasmus University Medical Center, Rotterdam, the Netherlands
17:30 – 18:30	Ethics & Economy Chair: Valerie Robin Advance care planning in hematology patients Thomas LeBlanc, Duke Cancer institute, Durham, North Carolina, US Panel discussion Valerie Robin, Grand Hôpital de Charleroi, Belgium Laurent Knoops, UCL Saint-Luc, Belgium Thomas LeBlanc, Duke Cancer institute, Durham, North Carolina, US
18:30 – 18:45	Best Oral and Poster Awards Dimitri Breems

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Saturday 5 February 2022

08:30 – 09:00	General Assembly (for BHS members only) Ann Janssens, BHS President Helena Devos, BHS Treasurer
	Satellite 2 – Gilead : Mantle cell lymphoma in 2022: challenges and opportunities Chair: Marc André
09:00 – 09:05	Introduction Marc André, CHU UCL Namur, Belgium
09:05 – 09:25	Mantle cell lymphoma in Belgium: state of affairs and unmet medical need Sylvia Snauwaert, AZ Sint Jan Brugge-Oostende, Belgium
09:25 – 09:45	Implementing novel treatment strategies in mantle cell lymphoma Sunil Iyengar, The Royal Marsden London, UK
09:45 – 10:00	Q&A
	Highlight on novel cellular therapies Chairs: Koen Theunissen & Philippe Lewalle
10:00 – 10:30	CAR T-cells experience in Belgium Sophie Servais, CHU Liège, Belgium Barbara De Moerloose, UZ Gent, Belgium
10:30 – 11:00	Redirecting T-cells against EBV Daan Dierickx, UZ Leuven, Belgium
11:00 – 11:30	Coffee break & Visit our Sponsors
	Satellite 3 – Janssen : Healthcare anywhere? How a pandemic accelerated innovations optimizing disease management & patient care beyond hospital walls Chair: Ann Janssens
11:30 – 12:00	Keynote session: Bringing care to the patient, anywhere, anytime Koen Kas, UZ Gent, Belgium
12:00 – 12:30	Panel discussion: Home care today, home care of the future Annemarie Coolbrandt, UZ Leuven, Belgium Pascale Frère, CHR Verviers, Belgium Walter Van Dyck, Vlerick Business School, Belgium Koen Van Eygen, AZ Groeninge Kortrijk, Belgium Koen Kas, UZ Gent, Belgium
12:30 – 13:00	PACE, SAFYHR & Gilead Awards Dominiek Mazure Marc André Philippe Lewalle Closure Ann Janssens, BHS President

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Nurse Symposium at the GAM 2022



Friday 4 February 2022

09:00 – 09:15	Welcome Cristina Baiana, Chair BHS nurse committee Marijke Quaghebeur, Board member BHS nurse committee
09:15 – 10:00	Myeloma: disease and treatment Nicolas Kint, UZ Brussel, Belgium
10:00 – 10:30	Patient experience myeloma Agnes Vandenborne, CMP, Belgium
10:30 – 11:00	Coffee break
11:00 – 11:45	CAR T-cells: overview and nursing role Sophie Servais, CHU Liège, Belgium
11:45 – 12:30	BiTEs: overview and nursing role Koen Theunissen, Jessa Ziekenhuis Hasselt, Belgium
12:30 – 13:30	Lunch Break
13:30 – 14:15	Antibiotics resistancy Franky Buyle, UZ Gent, Belgium
14:15 – 15:00	Peripheral neuropathy Johan De Munter, UZ Gent, Belgium
15:00 – 15:15	BHS patient committee Elke Stienissen, chair BHS patient committee
15:15 – 15:30	Closure Cristina Baiana, Chair BHS nurse committee Marijke Quaghebeur, Board member BHS nurse committee

You can also join the GAM Meeting afterwards, especially the Ethics & Economy Session at 17:30

Parallel session at the GAM 2022

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10:45 – 11:45	Joint BeSHG-BHS meeting in collaboration with the Belgian Society of Human Genetics (BeSHG) Chairs: Helena Devos & Cécile Boulanger How to detect predisposition: technique, type of tissue, turn around time Carlijn Brekelmans, UZ Leuven, Belgium Predisposition in lymphoid malignancies Esme Waanders, Princes Maxima Center Utrecht, the Netherlands
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