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REGISTRATIONS FEES	Early Registration Up to 14 August	Standart After 15 August
Only Registration (no accommodation)	723,00€	850,00€
Registration + Single room	846,00€	995,00€
Registration + Double room	776,00€	910,00€

(*) Meals mentioned on program are provided and hotel room from 23rd to 25th November 2018.

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The number of participants is foreseen in 100. In case the number of applications should exceed the number of available places, a selection of applications may be made on the basis of the chronological order of arrival and the judgement of the course coordinators.

TRANSFUSION- TRANSMITTED INFECTIOUS DISEASES AND BLOOD SAFETY

Barcelona (Spain), November 23rd to 25th 2018

SCIENTIFIC COORDINATORS:

M. Schmidt (Germany)

S. Sauleda (Spain)

RESIDENTIAL COURSE ORGANIZED BY:

ESTM Barcelona Operational Center
(Technical Coordination: E. Muñiz-Diaz).



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Friday 23/11/18

Afternoon (Chair: M. Schmidt)

15.00-15.30	Introduction and presentation of the participants (<i>M. Schmidt, Germany; S. Sauleda, Spain</i>)
15.30-16.00	Opening lecture Transfusion-transmitted infectious diseases: The ECDC view (<i>D. Domanovic, Sweden</i>)
16.00-16.30	Session 1 Hepatitis C virus: New therapeutic opportunities (<i>Jl. Esteban, Spain</i>)
16.30-17.00	Risk Transfusion transmitted infections – which screening parameters are needed today (<i>M. Funk, Germany; TBC</i>)
17.00-17.15	Discussion
17.15-17.45	Coffee break
17.45-18.15	Session 2 Hepatitis B transfusion-transmissions despite highly sensitive HBV NAT (<i>D. Candotti, France</i>)
18.15-18.45	Investigation of transfusion-transmitted hepatitis E virus in England (<i>P. Hewitt, UK</i>)
18.45-19.00	Discussion
20.30	Dinner

Saturday 24/11/2018

Morning (Chair: S. Sauleda)

09.30-10.00	Session 3 Hepatitis E virus in humans: the two faces of the infection (<i>M. Riveiro, Spain</i>)
10.00-10.30	Hepatitis E virus blood donor screening strategy in Sanquin (<i>B. Hogema, The Netherlands</i>)
10.30-11.00	Quality management in the screening laboratory (<i>L. Birtxinaga, Spain</i>)
11.00-11.15	Discussion
11.15-11.45	Coffee break
11.45-12.15	Session 4 Epidemiology of HIV-1 and pre-exposure prophylaxis (<i>T. van de Laar, The Netherlands</i>)
12.15-12.45	HTLV and blood transfusion safety in 2017 (<i>S. Laperche, France</i>)

12.45-13.00 Discussion

13.00-15.00 **Lunch**

Afternoon (Chair: D. Prati)

15.00-15.45	Session 5 Risk of arbovirus infections and vector control (<i>N. Becker, Germany</i>)
15.45-16.15	West Nile Virus management in blood donors (<i>D. Prati, Italy</i>)
16.15-16.30	Discussion
16.30-17.00	Coffee break
17.00-17.30	Session 6 Outbreaks of arboviruses and impact in non-endemic areas (<i>S. Sauleda, Spain</i>)
17.30-18.00	Blood safety and donor's questionnaire (<i>J. Fernández-Sojo, Spain</i>)
18.00-18.30	Discussion
20.30	Dinner

Sunday 25/11/2018

Morning (Chair: M. Schmidt)

09.30-10.00	Session 7 Malaria risk in non-endemic countries (<i>J. Gascón, Spain</i>)
10.00-10.30	Chagas disease and blood transfusion (<i>C. Niederhauser, Switzerland</i>)
10.30-10.45	Discussion
10.45-11.15	Coffee break
11.15-11.45	Residual risk of bacterial contaminations in blood components and current strategies to improve blood safety (<i>C. McDonald, UK</i>)
11.45-12.15	Pathogen reduction technologies: State of the art (<i>M. Schmidt, Germany</i>)
12.15-12.30	Discussion
12.30-13.15	Closing lecture Global perspective from the WHO on blood and plasma safety (<i>M. Nübling, Switzerland</i>)
13.15-13.30	Closing ceremony
13.30-15.00	Lunch

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