

CONGRESS PROGRAM

Tuesday, 25 November

11.00 Pre-Congress Meeting

REUNIÃO DA ASPIC COM ASSOC. DE DOENTES

Chairs: Manuel Sobrinho Simões, Jorge Soares,

Alfredo Carrato, Leonor David

12.30 Registration and Poster mounting

Lunch

13.30 Opening Session

Symposium I

EARLY CANCER DETECTION

Chairs: António Dias Pereira, Carla Oliveira

14.00 Rebecca Fitzgerald . United Kingdom

Changing the face of cancer through early detection: examples of new technologies for oesophageal cancer.

15.00 6 selected oral presentations

16.30 Coffee-break

Symposium II

NEW RESEARCH APPROACHES FROM ASPIC -ASEICA

Chairs: Alfredo Carrato, Leonor David

17.00 Manuel Serrano . Spain

Pre-clinical and clinical data on the efficacy of anti-Notch

therapies for lung adenocarcinomas.

18.00 Paula Soares . Portugal

Telomerase promoter mutations in cancer: an emerging molecular biomarker?

18.30 Goreti Sales . Portugal

New biosensors to monitor cancer biomarkers.

19.00 19:30 ASPIC General Assembly

20.30 Congress Dinner

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Symposium III

CANCER GENES: WHAT DID WE LEARN FROM THEM?

Chairs: Sergio Dias, João Nuno Moreira

09.00 Moshe Oren . Israel

The many faces of P53.

10.00 4 selected oral presentations

11.00 Coffee-break

11.30 Manuel Teixeira . Portugal

Li-Fraumeni syndrome: the prime example of pleiotropism in cancer predisposition.

12.00 Branca Cavaco . Portugal

Identification of familial cancer susceptibility genes – novel genomic approaches.

12.30 Lunch

13.30 Poster Session

Symposium IV

MECHANISMS AND IMPLICATIONS OF TUMOUR HETEROGENEITY

Chairs: João Barata, José Dinis Silva

14.30 Samuel Aparicio . Canada

EACR sponsored lecture:

Clonal evolution and cancer medicine.

15.00 4 selected oral presentations

16.00 Luís Costa . Portugal

Cancer Metastases: is bone a useful paradigm?

16.30 Coffee-break

17.00 Closing Session

EACR Awards