

2019 International HBV Meeting Program

Tuesday, October 1, 2019

12:00 pm – 4:00 pm	Full Meeting Registration
4:00 pm – 5:00 pm	Welcome Meeting Co-Organizers Peter Revill and Wenhui Li
5:00 pm – 7:00 pm	Session I: Advances in Models to Study HBV Infection, Replication, Clearance and Pathogenesis Session Chairs Helene Strick-Marchand, France and Maura Dandri, Germany
7:00 pm – 8:30 pm	Welcome Reception for the 2019 International HBV Meeting Exhibition Hall

Wednesday, October 2, 2019

8:15 am – 10:15 am	Session II: Viral Entry, cccDNA Biogenesis and Homeostasis Session Chairs Koichi Watashi, Japan and Lena Alweiss, Germany
10:15 am – 10:45 am	Refreshment Break
10:45 am – 12:45 pm	Session III: HBV Replication, Gene Expression and Egress Session Chairs Ourania Andrisani, USA and Xiaonan Zhang, China
12:45 pm – 1:30 pm	Lunch Break & Poster Viewing
1:30 pm – 3:00 pm	Poster Session I
3:00 pm – 3:40 pm	Keynote Address I: Professor Sharon Lewin, Australia “Molecular Control of HIV Persistence on Antiretroviral Therapy: Implications for HIV and HBV Cure Strategies”

3:40 pm – 4:00 pm

Refreshment Break

4:00 pm – 6:00 pm

Session IV: Hepatitis B Genotypes, Variants and Evolution

Session Chairs

Margaret Littlejohn, Australia and Anna Kramvis, South Africa

Free Evening

Thursday, October 3, 2019

8:15 am – 10:15 am

Session V: Mechanisms of HBV Related Pathogenesis and HCC

Session Chairs

Teresa Pollicino, Italy and Yasuhito Tanaka, Japan

10:15 am – 10:45 am

Refreshment Break

10:45 am – 12:45 pm

Session VI: Intrinsic Restriction and Innate Immunity to HBV Infection

Session Chairs

Dongliang Yang, China and Kumar Visvanathan, Australia

12:45 pm – 1:30 pm

Lunch Break and Poster Viewing

1:30 pm – 3:00 pm

Poster Session II

3:00 pm – 3:40 pm

Keynote Address II: Dr. Feng Shao, China

“Pyroptosis: From Innate Immunity to Cancer”

3:40 pm – 4:00 pm

Refreshment Break

4:00 pm – 6:00 pm

Session VII: Adaptive Immunity to HBV Infection

Session Chairs

Adam Gehring, Canada and Paola Fiscaro, Italy

7:00 pm – 10:00 pm

**Banquet Dinner and Presentation of Distinguished Award in Hepatitis B Research
ZINC (Federation Square)**

Friday, October 4, 2019

8:00 am – 10:15 am	Session VIII (a): New Antivirals and Targets – Direct Acting Antivirals Session Chairs Nadia Warner, Australia and Barbara Testoni, France
10:15 am – 10:35 am	Refreshment Break
10:35 am - 12:35 pm	Session VIII (b): New Antivirals and Targets – Immunotherapies Session Chairs Laura Pallet, United Kingdom and Antonio Bertoletti, Singapore
12:35 pm - 12:45 pm	Presentation from 2020 meeting organizers and closing remarks
12:45 pm – 12:50 pm	Closing remarks from Peter Revill and Wenhui Li
1:00 pm – 6:00 pm	Healesville Sanctuary Tour <i>*The Healesville Sanctuary Tour occurs at the same time as the HBV Public Forum. If you choose to attend the Healesville Sanctuary Tour, you will not be able to attend the HBV Public Forum.</i>
2:00 pm - 6:00 pm	HBV Public Forum Plenary Hall Organizers Margaret Littlejohn and Capucine Penicaud (ICE-HBV)

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