



EQALM symposium 2017

October 19 – 20, Dublin, Ireland

Program

Thursday 19 October 2017

Registration 8.00 – 14.00

Working Group Meeting (parallel sessions) 8.30 – 13.00

	<i>The Executive Board room</i>	<i>Room 18</i>
8.30 – 9.55	Frequency	Virtual Microscopy
10.00 – 11.25	Haematology	---
11.30 – 12.55	Haemostasis	Microbiology

Lunch 13.00 – 14.00

Symposium: The role of EQA in protecting community health

14.00 – 14.10 **Opening** **Anne Stavelin**

Microbiology **Moderator: Michael Noble** 14.10 – 15.30

14.10 – 14.40	Enhancing trueness and accuracy of procedures for food, feed and environmental samples	Hilde S. Norli
14.40 – 15.00	EQA and Chlamydia; protecting the community from the spread of STIs	Rosanna Peeling
15.00 – 15.20	Pre and post examination of microbiology	Michael Noble
15.20 – 15.30	Questions and discussion	

Round Table **Moderator: Finlay Mackenzie** 15.30 – 16.00

15.30 – 16.00 Support and education

Break with refreshments 16.00 – 16.30

Adam Uldall Lecture **Moderator: Anne Stavelin** 16.30 – 17.30

16.30 – 17.30 The role of EQA in the verification of in-vitro medical diagnostics **Mauro Panteghini**

Social Event Congress dinner in city center 18.30 – 23.00



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Plenary lecture	Moderator: Piet Meijer	9.00 – 9.30
9.00 – 9.30	EQA for developing countries, the role of WHO	Willy Urassa
Statistics in EQA	Moderator: Piet Meijer	9.30 – 10.15
9.30 – 9.55	A critical view on ISO standard 13528	Wim Coucke
9.55 – 10.15	Statistical approach for optimization of EQA studies of molecular and serological viral diagnostics	Matthias Niedrig
Break with refreshments		10.15 – 10.45
Members' session	Moderator: Stephanie Albarède	10.45 – 11.30
10.45 – 11.05	Definition of EQAS allowable limits for HbA1c: a candidate method.	Anne Vassault
11.05 – 11.25	Quality Monitoring of pre-analytical sample labelling	Ann Leonard
Abstract presentations	Moderator: Erika Sarkany	11.30 – 12.30
11.30 – 11.45	Biochemical assays of human seminal plasma: the experience of a French EQA program	Safouane Hamdi
11.45 – 12.00	Assessment of Laboratory Performance in the Molecular Detection of Influenza A, Influenza B and RSV methods through International EQA Scheme for Multiplex Assays	Niina Kivi
12.00 – 12.15	IHC Breast Audit	Tony Badrick
12.15 – 12.30		
Lunch		12.30 – 13.30
EQALM General Assembly		13.30 – 15.30
End of the meeting		15.30