



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

8.30 – 9.55	Frequency	Virtual Microscopy
10.00 – 11.25	Haematology	Nomenclature
11.30 – 12.55	Haemostasis	Microbiology

Coffee and refreshments in the exhibition area 08.30 – 13.00

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	The role of Microbiology EQA in protecting community health	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**

Exhibition and Refreshment 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
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Social Event 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
Exhibition and Refreshment		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	t.b.a.	
11.45 – 12.00	t.b.a.	
12.00 – 12.15	t.b.a.	
12.15 – 12.30	t.b.a.	
Lunch		12.30 – 13.30
EQALM General Assembly		13.30 – 15.30
End of the meeting		15.30