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OF EXPERIMENTAL NEPHROLOGY
AND THEIR APPLICATION IN CLINICAL PRACTICE

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Program

THURSDAY APRIL 7th

Session 1: 19:00-20:30

18:00-18:30	Arrival of participants
	Eleni Frangou (Cyprus) and Christian Kurts (Germany)
18:45-19:30	Welcome <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Christina Yiannaki (Permanent Secretary, Cyprus Ministry of Health)• Kypros Stavrides (Acting CEO, State Health Services Organization, Cyprus)• Christos Nicolaou (CEO, State Health Services Organization, Limassol-Paphos Directorate)• Kyriacos Ioannou (President of the Cyprus Renal Association)• Aristos Michail (Head, Department of Nephrology, Limassol General Hospital, State Health Services Organization, Limassol)• Kleri Ioannou (President of the Cyprus Association of Patients' Friends, Limassol Department)
19:30-20:00	siRNA, a revolutionary approach to reduce LDL-C. Sharing first experience with Inclisiran Theodoros Christodoulides (Cyprus) Satellite Symposium sponsored by Novartis
20:00-20:30	Dapagliflozin in patients with chronic kidney disease - via link Dimitra Angeli (Greece) Satellite Symposium sponsored by Αλεκτωρ AstraZeneca
21:00	Dinner at the hotel

FRIDAY APRIL 8th

Session 2: 08:30-10:30

	Dora Manolakou (Greece) and Peter Boor (Germany)
08:30-09:00	Using Bayesian Networks to Simulate eGFR Trajectories Panayiotis Petousis (USA)
09:00-09:30	Artificial Intelligence-augmented nephropathology Peter Boor (Germany)
09:30-10:00	Renal Involvement in Systemic Autoimmunity: Lessons Learned Dimitrios Boumpas (Greece)
10:00-10:15	Cross-species transcriptomics and machine learning for Lupus Nephritis <i>Eleni Frangou, Panayiotis Garantziotis, Maria Grigoriou, Aggelos Banos, Dionysis Nikolopoulos, Antigone Pieta, Stavros A Doumas, Antonis Fanouriakis, Aikaterini Hadjioannou, Theodora Manolakou, Themis Alissafi, Panyiotis Verginis, Emmanouil Athanasiadis, Emmanouil Dermitzakis, George Bertsias, Anastasia Filia, Dimitrios Boumpas</i> Presented by: Eleni Frangou (Cyprus)
10:15-10:30	Comparative proteomic analysis of kidney tissues in Col4a3 knock out mice manifesting Alport syndrome towards the discovery of novel therapies <i>Orthodoxia Nicolaou, Andreas Kousios, Kleitos Sokratous, Louiza Potamiti, Lola Koniali, George Neophytou, Revekka Papacharalampous, Sotiris Ioannou, Maria Zanti, Kyriakos Ioannou, Andreas Hadjisavvas, Michalis Panagiotidis, Kyriacos Kyriacou</i> Presented by: Orthodoxia Nicolaou (Cyprus)
10:30- 11:00	Coffee break

Session 3: 11:00-13:00

	Chrysoula Pipili (Cyprus) and Lilia Abbad (France)
11:00-11:30	Innovative tools for detection and monitoring of transplant rejection Miriam Banas (Germany)
11:30-12:00	Life and death decisions orchestrated by cold shock proteins Peter Mertens (Germany)
12:00-12:30	Renal ILC3 link inflammasome activation with kidney fibrosis Christian Kurts (Germany)

12:30-12:45	<p>DNA-binding protein A (DBPA) is actively secreted in a calcium and LPS dependent manner by rat mesangial and melanoma cells and influences cell migration</p> <p><i>Gregor Hoppstock, Antonia Bock, Saskia Stolze, Cheng Zhu, Jonathan A Lindquist, Peter R Mertens</i></p> <p>Presented by: Gregor Hoppstock (Germany)</p>
12:45-13:00	<p>The role of CCN2 and cellular senescence in clinical and experimental AKI to CKD</p> <p><i>Sebastiaan Knoppert, Floris Valentijn, Mandy Keijzer-Veen, Roel Broekhuizen, Marc Lilien, Gerrit van den Berg, Lianne Haveman, Marry van den Heuvel-Eibrink, Geert Janssens, Theodoros Eleftheriades, George Pissas, Jiaqi Tang, Rohan Samarakoon, Roel Goldschmeding, Tri Nguyen</i></p> <p>Presented by: Roel Goldschmeding (The Netherlands)</p>
13:30	Lunch at the hotel

Session 4: 15:00-17:00

	Stefanie Steiger (Germany) and Helene Francoise (France)
15:00-15:15	<p>Urinary CCL14 biomarker to predict renal replacement therapy initiation in critically ill patients with severe acute kidney injury?</p> <p><i>Khalil Chaïbi, Sandrine Placier, Guillaume Louis, Laurent Martin Lefevre, Dimitri Titeca, Béatrice La Combe, Sébastien Besset, Julio Badie, Guillaume Chevrel, Nicolas Chudeau, Saber Barbar, Christophe Vinsonneau, Jean-Marie Forel, Didier Thevenin, Guillaume Lacave, Saad Nseir, Florent Poirson, Julien Mayaux, Kada Klouche, Jean Reignier, Jean-Pierre Quenot, Juliette Hadchouel, Didier Dreyfuss, Stephane Gaudry</i></p> <p>Presented by: Khalil Chaïbi (France)</p>
15:15-15:30	<p>Identification of the pathways driving the transformation of renal progenitor cells into clear cell renal cell carcinomas</p> <p><i>Anna Julie Peired, Giulia Carangelo, Maria Elena Melica, Roberto Semeraro, Paola Romagnani</i></p> <p>Presented by: Anna Julie Peired (Italy)</p>
15:30-15:45	<p>Kidney tubule polyploidization drives chronic kidney disease after acute kidney injury</p> <p><i>Letizia De Chiara, Elena Lazzeri, Paola Romagnani</i></p> <p>Presented by: Letizia De Chiara (Italy)</p>
15:45-16:00	Asymptomatic hyperuricemia promotes recovery from ischemic organ injury by modulating tubular epithelial cell and macrophage function

	<p><i>Viviane Gnemmi, Qiubo Li, Qiuyue Ma, Letizia De Chiara, Giulia Carangelo, Chenyu Li, Mireia Molina-Van den Bosch, Paola Romagnani, Hans-Joachim Anders, Stefanie Steiger</i></p> <p>Presented by: Stefanie Steiger (Germany)</p>
16:00-16:15	<p>EPAC1-mediated cAMP signaling in podocytes protects kidneys from the progression of glomerulonephritis</p> <p><i>Lilia Abbad, Panagiotis Kavvadas, Maximin Detrait, Lisa Melis, Niki Prakoura, Christos E. Chadjichristos, Frank Lezoualch, Christos Chatziantoniou</i></p> <p>Presented by: Lilia Abbad (France)</p>
16:15-16:30	<p>L-WNK inhibition protects from glomerular injury in mice</p> <p><i>Cyril Mousseaux, Tiffany Migeon, Perrine Frère, Juliette Hadchouel</i></p> <p>Presented by: Cyril Mousseaux (France)</p>
16:30-17:00	<p>Mediators and Markers of Proximal Tubule Pathologies</p> <p>Mark Dockrell (UK)</p>
17:00-17:30	<p>Coffee break</p>

Session 5: 17:30-19:00

	<p>Kyriacos Kyriacou (Cyprus) and Pierre-Louis Tharaux (France)</p>
17:30-17:45	<p>TRPC6 mediate autophagy flux blockade and podocyte injury through calpains activation in Diabetic Nephropathy</p> <p><i>Yann Salemkour, Daan 't Hart, Léa Dionet, Kim A T Verheijden, Tom Nijenhuis, Johan van der Vlag, Pierre-Louis Tharaux, Olivia Lenoir</i></p> <p>Presented by: Pierre-Louis Tharaux (France)</p>
17:45-18:00	<p>Impact of ischemia/reperfusion on BTBR WT and diabetic ob/ob mice kidneys</p> <p><i>Reichert-Wurm, Sandrine Placier, Lilia Abbad, Christos Chatziantoniou, Markus Kretz, Elke Eggenhofer, Lena Knauss, Kathrin Holler, Bernhard Banas, Miriam Banas</i></p> <p>Presented by: Simone Reichelt-Wurm (Germany)</p>
18:00-18:30	<p>Cyprus: a personal journey</p> <p>Kostas Petrides (Cyprus)</p>
18:30-19:00	<p>Brief history of gastronomy: a 40 000 years Odyssey</p> <p>Christos Chatziantoniou (France)</p>
20:00	<p>Transport to Limassol - Traditional dinner</p>

SATURDAY APRIL 9th

Session 6: 08:30-10:30

	Kyriakos Ioannou (Cyprus) and Aristidis Charonis (Greece)
08:30-09:00	Update on Membranous Nephropathy Pierre Ronco (Paris)
09:00-09:30	Therapeutic targeting of acquired and genetic nephrotic syndromes, using small molecule and gene therapy approaches Moin Saleem (UK) <i>The Cyprus Renal Association Lecture</i>
09:30-10:00	(Renal-) cell tropism and consequences of SARS-CoV-2 Tobias Huber (Germany)
10:00-10:30	Mineralocorticoid receptor drives proliferative and sclerotic failed glomerular repair through parietal epithelial cell activation <i>Hélène Lazareth, Olivia Lenoir, Sheerazed Boulkroun, Florian Garo, Angélique Rocha, Isabelle Giscos-Douriez, Léa Guyonnet, Marcus J. Moeller, Carole Hénique-Gréciet, Maria-Christina Zennaro, Pierre-Louis Tharaux</i> Presented by: Pierre-Louis Tharaux (France)
10:30-11:00	Coffee break

Session 7: 11:00-11:30

	Adonis Ioannides (Cyprus) and Anna Julie Peired (Italy)
11:00-11:30	Taking the kidney to a new dimension: 3D cellular models for regenerative medicine, disease modeling and drug discovery Binyamin Dekel (Israel) <i>The University of Nicosia Medical School Lecture</i>
11:30-12:00	The role of thyroid hormone signaling in the pathobiology and repair of diabetic kidney Christodoulos Xinaris (Italy)
12:00-12:15	hiPSC-derived podocytes from Alport disease patients present metabolic and cell cycle alterations compared to normal podocytes <i>Ricardo Romero-Guevara, Orthodoxia Nicolaou, Eleni Frangou, Chris Sutton, Kyriacos Kyriacou, Adonis Ioannides, Christodoulos Xinaris</i> Presented by: Ricardo Romero-Guevara (Cyprus)
12:15-12:30	Crescents derive from single podocyte progenitors and a drug enhancing their differentiation attenuates crescentic glomerulonephritis <i>Maria Elena Melica, Giulia Antonelli, Roberto Semeraro, Maria Lucia Angelotti, Gianmarco Lugli, Anna Peired, Laura Lasagni and Paola Romagnani</i>

	Presented by: Maria Elena Melica (Italy)
12:30-13:00	Tubule recovery upon AKI: An unexpected role of HMGB1 inside cycling tubular epithelial cells - <i>via link</i> Hans Joachim Anders (Germany)

Session 8: 13:30-17:30

Visit: Limassol Castle

Lunch at the Limassol Castle

Visit: Kourio

Cultural event by Diastasis Children Choir at the Old Port, Limassol

Session 9: 19:00-20:30

	Aristides Charonis (Greece) and Christos Chatziantoniou (France)
19:00-19:30	"Kidney International": challenges of the Editor in Chief Pierre Ronco (France)
19:30-20:00	Business meeting – Malcolm Davies (UK) will join us <i>via link</i> In the memory of Jan Weening Discussion on the format of the current meeting Decision on the site of the next (35th) ERCSG meeting
21:00-	Closing dinner at the hotel and farewell party

Speakers (in alphabetical order)

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Chairs and welcome (in alphabetical order) (not included in the list of Speakers)

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