

European Medicines Research Training Network

EMTRAIN PhD Workshop 2015

"Translational medicine"

26-29 April 2015

Janssen, Beerse, Belgium





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April 26-29, Antwerp & Beerse, Belgium

Day 1 Sunday April 26th – Hotel Ibis Antwerp Centrum

Chair: Frederik Wittock	
13.00 – 13.30	Welcome and registration
13.30 – 14.15	Introduction to EMTRAIN and IMI Anita Aperia and Mike Hardman, EMTRAIN
14.15 – 15.00	Let's develop a new medicine Mike Hardman, VP IMI Collaborations, Astra Zeneca
15.00 – 15.30	Coffee break
15.30 – 17.30	Drug Discovery Game Keith Williams, KW Drug Development Ltd
17.30 – 17.45	Extra time and short introduction of the senior EMTRAIN students
17.45 – 19.00	Guided tour in the city Frederik Wittock
19.00	Dinner



Day 2 Monday April 27th – Janssen, Beerse

8.15	Buss transfer from hotel	
Chair: Frederik Wittock & Lena Scott		
9.00 – 9.30	Janssen, a large global company with many block-busters Frederik Wittock, Janssen	
9.30 – 10.30	Student Presentations (See Student Presentations Agenda for session specifics)	
10.30 – 11.00	Coffee break	
11.00 – 11.45	"Insights into Alzheimer disease discovery programs at Janssen" Mark Mercken, Scientific Director, Neurosciences, Janssen	
11.45 – 12.30	"Insights into Alzheimer disease development programs at Janssen" Luc Van Nueten, Vice President, Neurosciences Janssen	
12.30 – 13.15	Lunch	
Chair: Anita Aperia & Matthias Gottwald		
13.15 – 14.45	Student Presentations (See Student Presentations Agenda for session specifics)	
14.45 – 15.30	"Insight in Janssen Global Public Health" Wim Parys, Vice President Global Public Health, Janssen	
15.30 – 16.00	Coffee break	
16.00 - 17.30	Tour of the Janssen facility	
17.30 – 18.15	Student Presentations (See Student Presentations Agenda for session specifics)	
18.15 – 19.00	Pre-dinner interactive session – senior EMTRAIN students	
19.00	Dinner in Janssen Guest House	
21.30	Bus transfer to Ibis Hotel Antwerp	



Day 3 Tuesday April 28th – Janssen, Beerse

8.15	Buss transfer from hotel	
Chair: Jeff Kipling & Lena Scott		
9.00 – 10.30	Student Presentations (See Student Presentations Agenda for session specifics)	
10.30 – 11.00 30 min	Coffee break	
11.00 -11.45	"Discovery of SIRTURO, a new antibiotic for treatment of drug resistant tuberculosis." Anil Koul, Scientific Director Fellow, Infectious Diseases, Respiratory Infections Discovery, Janssen	
11.45 – 12.30	Vaccines discovery, research and development at GSK Philippe Denoel, External R&D & Open Innovation, GSK Vaccines	
12.30 – 13.15 45 min	Lunch	
13.15 – 14.45	Panel Discussion, Ebola – Challenges and Possibilities Discussion between students and scientists from pharma industries. Moderator from Janssen: Johan Van Hoof, M.D., Global Head Infectious Diseases & Vaccines	
Chair: Jørgen Dirach & Anita Aperia		
14.45 – 15.30	"Janssen Diagnostics – On track for personal medicines." Jorge Villacian, Chief Medical Officer, Janssen Diagnostics	
15.30 – 16.00	Coffee break	
16.00 – 16.45	"Diabetes – Invokana: the preclinical story" Sandra De Jonghe, Scientific Director Fellow, and Petra Vinken, Senior Principal Scientist, Preclinical Development & Safety, Toxicology	
16.45 – 17.30	How to create a medicine from a natural hormone with a T½ of 2 minutes? Jørgen Dirach, Director, Novo Nordisk	
17.30 – 18.45	Student Presentations (See Student Presentations Agenda for session specifics)	
18.45	Reception & walking dinner at Janssen	
	Dinner speakers, Thomas Steckler and Anja Gilis	
21.30	Buss transfer to Ibis Hotel Antwerp	



Day 4 Wednesday April 29th – Janssen, Beerse

8.15	Buss transfer from hotel	
Chair: Mike Hardman & Lena Scott		
9.00 – 10.00	Student Presentations (See Student Presentations Agenda for session specifics)	
10.00 – 10.45	Cancer care – From a-specific cytotoxic agents to targeted therapies Lieven Meerpoel, Senior Director, Oncology Discovery Medicinal Chemistry	
10.45 – 11.15	Coffee break	
11.15 – 12.00	Developing personalised medicines for cancer. Louise Leong, Science Relations Director, Astra Zeneca	
12.00 – 12.45	IMI and the evolving R&D landscape of the biopharma sector Magda Chlebus, Director Science Policy, European Federation of Pharmaceutical Industries and Associations-EFPIA	
12.45 – 13.15	Student feedback session	
13.15 – 13.45	Final remarks	
13.45 –	Lunch and departure	