



9<sup>th</sup> ADVANCES AGAINST  
**ASPERGILLOSIS AND  
MUCORMYCOSIS**

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## Meeting Goals

- Assemble the world's leading clinicians and scientists to advance the scientific and medical research agenda in *Aspergillus*, aspergillosis, and mucormycosis
- Present the very latest advances and thoughts on aspergillosis and mucormycosis from speakers who are actively advancing the field with new discoveries
- Engender collaborative relationships amongst clinicians, scientists, as well as industry to further advance the field

## Who Should Attend

Infectious Disease Specialists  
Mycologists  
Haematologist/Oncologists  
Transplantation Specialists  
Clinical Microbiologists  
Molecular Biologists  
Environmental/Facility Specialists  
Public Health Specialists

Immunologists  
Basic Scientists  
Geneticists  
Pharmacists  
Allergists  
Epidemiologists  
Chest Physicians  
Veterinarians



## Programme Content:

Lectures (a mixture of invited talks and those highly selected from submitted abstracts) will cover the following areas:

- Basic aspects (molecular, physiology)
- Pathogenesis and virulence
- Epidemiology
- Immunology and allergy
- Diagnosis
- Clinical presentations and at-risk populations
- Therapy

## Sessions including:

- Special morning 'Meet the Professor' sessions
- *Aspergillus*: Modelling the host and beyond
- Management for the next decade
- Airways and diseases
- *Aspergillus*: Entering the host and beyond
- Emerging aspergilli
- *Aspergillus* & the hosts' challenge
- Resistance in *Aspergillus*
- Molecular mechanisms
- Mucormycosis update
- *Aspergillus*-related diseases: clinical hot spots
- Poster sessions



## Co-Organizers

**David W. Denning, MBBS** / University of Manchester, UK

**William J. Steinbach, MD** / Duke University, USA

**David A. Stevens, MD** / Stanford University, USA

## Scientific Committee

**Elaine Bignell, PhD** / University of Manchester, UK

**Oliver Cornely, MD** / University of Cologne, Germany

**David B. Corry, MD** / Baylor College of Medicine, Houston, USA

**Hubertus Haas, PhD** / Innsbruck Medical University, Austria

**Nina Khanna, MD** / University Hospital Basel, Switzerland

**Frederic Lamoth, MD** / Lausanne University Hospital, Switzerland

**Cornelia Lass-Flörl, MD PhD (Chair)** / Innsbruck Medical University, Austria

**Yoshitsugu Miyazaki, MD PhD** / National Institute of Infectious Diseases, Tokyo, Japan

**Richard B. Moss, MD** / Stanford University, USA

**Teresa Zelante, PhD** / University of Perugia, Italy

**Li-Ping Zhu, PhD** / Fudan University, China

## Accreditation

CPD/CME will be applied for through the UK Royal College of Physicians



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## Scholarships Deadline: 31<sup>st</sup> October 2019

We will again offer scholarships to individuals requiring financial assistance, with preference given to those in training and applicants from developing countries. Scholarship applicants **MUST** also submit an abstract before 31<sup>st</sup> October 2019.

Visit [www.AAAM2020.org](http://www.AAAM2020.org) for further scholarship information.

## Abstract Submission Deadline:

**15<sup>th</sup> November 2019**

Online abstract submissions are now open.

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## Venue Information

### Palazzo dei Congressi Lugano, Lugano, Switzerland

Lugano is extremely easy to reach by means of both public and private transportation. It has a very convenient regional airport with direct connections. Furthermore, the international airport of Milano-Malpensa is located at only 60 km from Lugano and is served by means of a coach service.

Travel advice can be found at <http://www.luganoconventions.com/en/23/our-location.aspx>

Lugano, the largest town in the region of Ticino, is not only Switzerland's third most important financial centre and a conference, banking and business centre, but also a town of parks and flowers, villas and sacred buildings. With Mediterranean flair, Lugano offers all the advantages of a world-class city, combined with the cachet of a small town.

