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Word of Welcome

Dear International Guests, Colleagues and Friends

On behalf of the SACO Scientific and Organising Committees I would like to welcome all of the delegates, international and local speakers and chairs and Industry to our First South African Congress of Oncology.

This congress and the two workshops prior, reflect how the multidisciplinary team works to the advantage of our patients and the growth of Oncology in South Africa and Africa. The congress is a collaboration of the Societies including Clinical and Radiation Oncologists, Gynaecologic Oncologists, Paediatric Oncologists, Radiation Therapists, Oncology Nurses, Oncology Social Workers, Medical Physicists and Pharmacists.

I hope that you will find the congress informative and that the social functions will provide time for the rekindling of old friendships and the building of new ones. May the congress provide us a forum for acknowledging our interdependence and building on our knowledge and care for our patients as a team.

Thank you to our International speakers for dedicating your time, knowledge and experience. We look forward to your contributions.

We would like to thank the industry for your continued support, without your on-going loyal contributions a meeting of this nature would not be possible.

Thank you to the Scientific Committee for an academic program that promises to challenge us to continue striving to provide our patients with the most updated and appropriate treatment modalities.

Lastly, thank you Rhyno Kriek and your team for managing the organising so effortlessly.

Please enjoy the SACO 2019 with us!

Prof Alicia Sherriff
SACO Chair



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The Archbishop Desmond Tutu Distinguished Lecture

Congratulations to Prof David Stones who is the distinguished speaker.

Prof David Stones was Head of the Paediatric Oncology and Haematology unit at the Universitas Hospital in Bloemfontein.

He did his undergraduate training at the University of Cape Town. After internship at Livingstone Hospital in Port Elizabeth, he embarked on a career in Paediatrics. He did a MMed (Paeds) at the University of the Free State and then, after a brief interlude in Port Elizabeth, rejoined the Department of Paediatrics and Child Health in Bloemfontein to be head of the Oncology and Haematology Unit.

He has been a member of the SACCSG from 1994 and was chairperson from 2010 until 2013. He has been involved in organizing both general Paediatric and SACCSG congresses.

He has published more than 40 articles and presented over 100 papers at local and international congresses. He has a wide interest and has presented or published on topics ranging from leukemia and other childhood malignancies to haematology and paraffin pneumonia.

He has always been interested in data and data collection and has developed a substantial database of patients seen by the Paediatric Oncology Unit at Universitas Hospital since 1985 and currently there are almost 3 000 patients on this database. He also has extensive databases on Fanconi anaemia, central venous lines in oncology patients and FNA results.

Early diagnosis has been a passion of his and part of his duties is to lecture the students on the early warning signs in paediatric Oncology. By adding this to the curriculum he hopes that future doctors will think of childhood cancers and make the diagnosis earlier, thus improving the prognosis for these children.



Meet our Invited International Speakers

Speaker	Institution	Country	Fields of expertise include:
Prof Michael Boyer (Clinical Oncologist)	University of Sydney	Australia	Management of thoracic malignancies and head and neck cancers
Prof Cai Grau (Clinical Oncologist)	Aarhus University Hospital	Denmark	Radiotherapy, proton therapy, head and neck cancer, morbidity, health services, health economics, novel technology, adaptive radiotherapy, clinical radiobiology, hypoxia & fractionation
Prof Peter Hoskin (Clinical Oncologist)	Mount Vernon Hospital Cancer Centre, Middlesex	England	Urological and gynaecological malignancies; lymphoma; CNS tumours & brachytherapy-
Prof Norm Laperriere (Radiation Oncologist)	Princess Margaret Cancer Centre and the Hospital for Sick Children, University of Toronto	Canada	Primary & secondary tumours of the CNS and paediatric tumours
Prof Marianne van de Wetering (Paediatric Oncologist)	Princess Máxima Center for Pediatric Oncology, Utrecht	The Netherlands	Paediatric oncology & supportive care
Dr Daniel Vorobiof (Medical Oncologist)	Belong.life	Israel	Breast cancer & melanoma

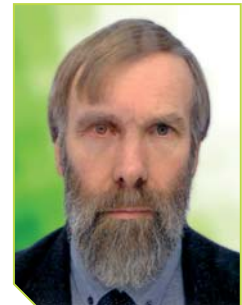


Prof Michael Boyer is a medical oncologist at Chris O'Brien Lifehouse, and holds the position of Chief Clinical Officer of that organisation. He is also a Conjoint Professor of Medical Oncology (Thoracic Oncology) at the University of Sydney and Director of the Sydney Catalyst Translational Cancer Research Centre. Following his specialty training in medical oncology at Royal Prince Alfred and Westmead Hospitals, Prof Boyer was a Research Fellow and Clinical Fellow at the Ontario Cancer Institute and Princess Margaret Hospital in Toronto, Canada, where he completed his PhD in cell biology. He was on the senior staff of the Sydney Cancer Centre and Royal Prince Alfred Hospital from 1993 to 2013, at which time he joined the newly opened Chris O'Brien Lifehouse. In addition to his clinical roles, he has held senior administrative positions during that time including Head of Department of Medical Oncology at Royal Prince Alfred Hospital, Director of the Sydney Cancer Centre, and Area Director of Cancer Services for the Sydney South West Area Health Service. In 2010 he was made a Member of the Order of Australia for his work as an educator, a clinical trials researcher and for his involvement in the development of integrated care facilities for people suffering with cancer. Prof Boyer has over 25 years of experience in the management of thoracic malignancies and head and neck cancers. His major research interest is in clinical trials of new agents in the management of lung cancer, mesothelioma and head and neck cancers. He is the author of over 160 publications and has given numerous national and international presentations.



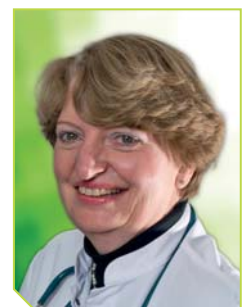
Prof Cai Grau is Professor of Radiation Oncology at the Institute of Clinical Medicine at Aarhus University and heading the interdisciplinary radiotherapy research at the Department of Oncology and the Danish Center for Particle Therapy at Aarhus University Hospital in Aarhus, Denmark. He is chairman of the Scientific Committee of the Danish Comprehensive Cancer Center (DCCC.dk) and director of the national research center DCCC Radiotherapy (DCCCRT.dk). His main area of interest is research in head and neck oncology, high precision and proton radiotherapy, and health economics in radiation oncology. Prof Grau is active in several national and international research collaborative groups, including the Danish Head and Neck Cancer Group (DAHANCA), and is currently chair of the ESTRO task forces on Health Economics in Radiation Oncology (HERO) and the European Particle Therapy Network (EPTN). He has supervised more than 20 Phd studies and has published more than 200 scientific publications.

Prof Peter Hoskin trained in clinical oncology at the Royal Marsden Hospital London and has been consultant in clinical oncology at Mount Vernon Cancer Centre, Northwood UK since 1992. He is also Professor in Clinical Oncology in the University of Manchester and Honorary consultant in clinical oncology at the Christie Hospital, Manchester. Research interests focus on radiosensitisation, biomarkers, radiotherapy quality assurance, palliative radiotherapy, and brachytherapy. He is a member of the GEC ESTRO committee and ESTRO Board. In the UK chairs the Fellowship Examination Board for the Royal College of Radiologists and sits on the RCR Council. He has published extensively and was Editor of *Clinical Oncology* for 15 years. He is now Clinical Editor for Radiotherapy and Oncology and sits on several journal editorial boards.



Dr Normand Laperriere earned his medical degree from the University of Toronto in 1978 and completed his training in Radiation Oncology at Princess Margaret in 1984. He has been a member of the Department of Radiation Oncology at Princess Margaret since 1985 and a member of the Division of Hematology/Oncology at the Hospital for Sick Children since 1998. He has developed and led one of the largest Central Nervous System Tumour programs in the world at Princess Margaret, and his research interests have focused on the integration of new technologies in innovative ways to improve outcomes in pediatric and adult patients with brain tumours, and clinical trial development and leadership. He is a Fellow of the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada and became an Honorary Fellow of the Royal Australian and New Zealand College of Radiology in 2009.

Prof Marianne van de Wetering is a pediatric oncologist and a consultant at the Princess Maxima Centre for pediatric oncology in Utrecht, The Netherlands. She completed her pediatric training in Johannesburg, South Africa. In 1995 she completed her master's project on the occurrence of infections among pediatric oncology patients in SA. Here her enthusiasm was founded to work within the supportive care field of pediatric oncology. She returned to The Netherlands in 1996 as a consultant at the AMC/EKZ Amsterdam in the pediatric oncology unit and as from 1st June 2018 she is working as a neuro oncology consultant at the Princess Maxima Centre of pediatric oncology in Utrecht. National and international she is leading in supportive care in pediatric oncology with focus on infections, prevention of catheter infections and focus on preservation of fertility. Prof van de Wetering has published several papers in this field and has many grants doing research and guidelines in this field.





Dr Daniel Vorobiof is the Medical Director of *Belong.life*, the largest worldwide social network for cancer patients. He graduated from the University of Cordoba, Argentina, and specialized at the University of Pretoria, South Africa. He joined the Department of Medical Oncology at the UP in 1980. He was the Founder and Medical Oncology Director of the Sandton Oncology Centre, Johannesburg from 1989-2017. Since 2004 he has been a Faculty Member of the International Oncology Board, Faculty of 1 000 and recently the Section Head for Oncologic Drugs. He is a member of the European School of Oncology (ESO) Core Faculty in Breast Cancer and Malignant Melanoma. Dr Vorobiof is on the Editorial Board of various international oncologic medical journals. He served as an Associate Editor for the *Annals of Oncology* and editor of *Annals of Oncology*, Southern Africa Excerpts. Since 2016 he has been the Editor of *Live for Life*, a South African magazine dedicated to cancer patients and their families. Dr Vorobiof was a founder member and Chairman of the South African Society of Medical Oncology (SASMO). He was the founder and past Chairman of the South African Melanoma Advisory Board (SAMAB), the South African Oncology Consortium (SAOC), as well the Prostate Cancer Foundation of South Africa. He has published more than 100 research articles in international journals, and has presented at numerous national and international congresses. In 2008 he received the Gynecological Oncology Award (University of the Witwatersrand). In 2013 he was the Sealy-Falkson Honorary Lecturer at the 16th National Congress of SASMO / SASCRO.

Social functions

Friday, 9 August, 18:00

Meet & Greet

Dress: Casual

Venue: Exhibition Hall

Cost: Free of charge for all registered delegates R 450 for additional guests.

Dress: Casual

Venue: Exhibition Hall

Cost: Free of charge for all registered delegates R 450 for additional guests.

Saturday, 10 August, 19:00

Dinner & Awards

If you are registered for the Dinner, you will find your ticket at the back of your name badge. Please present your ticket at the entrance of the function venue.

Dress: Smart attire

Venue: Ballroom

Cost: Free of charge for all registered delegates. R 450 for additional guests.

Seating arrangements: Seating for the Dinner may be reserved in front of the congress office.

Entertainment: Louise Day Band



General information

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www.saco2019.co.za

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Friday: 07:00 – 20:00

Saturday: 07:30 – 17:00

Sunday: 07:30 – 13:00

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Annual General Meetings

Friday, 9 August 2019

16:30	SASCRO AGM	Ballroom West
16:45	SACCSG AGM	Room 2.44 – 2.46
17:00	SAOSWF AGM	Roof Terrace
17:00	NONSA AGM	Room 1.6

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MDB001/010/06/2019	Pre-congress workshop: SNOSSA PBTW	8 August 2019	-	7	10 points / oral presentation	1
MDB001/009/07/2019	Pre-congress workshop: Supportive and Palliative Care	8 August 2019	6	-	10 points / oral presentation	1
MDB001/010/07/2019	South African Congress of Oncology	9 – 11 August 2019	15	-	10 points / oral presentation 10 points / poster	1
MDB001/011/07/2019	South African Congress of Oncology	11 August 2019	-	2	10 points / oral presentation	1

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Delegates will receive a username and password within 10 - 14 working days after the congress via e-mail that will enable them to access and download the CPD certificate from the www.mycpd.co.za website.

No hard copy certificates will be available at the congress. International delegates can request a certificate and will need to provide Discovery Health with their contact details.

Delegate attendance will be logged electronically utilizing a QR coding system or a hand-held scanner.

You must scan twice a day - once during the morning and once during the afternoon during the below times. Ethics lectures will be scanned separately outside the venue where the ethics lectures are being held.

Thursday, 8 August: (Palliative Care Workskop)

Anytime between 08:30 & 12:30 and again anytime between 13:00 & 16:00

Friday, 9 August:

Anytime between 07:30 & 12:30 and again anytime between 13:00 & 17:00

Saturday, 10 August:

Anytime between 07:30 & 12:30 and again anytime between 13:00 & 17:00

Sunday, 11 August:

Anytime between 07:30 & 13:00

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- Trade symposium



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- Trade symposium
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- Congress bags

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Neuro-Oncology, in collaboration with SNOSSA & PBTW

Pre-Congress Workshop

The River Club & GSH / CTICC

WEDNESDAY, 7 AUGUST

This workshop is a regional collaboration between SACO, SNOSSA (Society of neuro-oncology in Sub-Saharan Africa, <http://www.snoassa.org/>) and PBTW (Paediatric brain tumour workshop, <http://btw.brainchild.org.za>).

The philosophy of this programme is to represent important multi-disciplinary issues in paediatric and adult neuro-oncology in a thematic and integrated fashion.

08:00	Registration	Venue: Zambezi Room, River Club
08:15	Welcome and introduction Alicia Sherriff (SACO) James Balogun (SNOSSA) Jeannette Parkes (PBTW)	Venue: Congo Room, River Club

Session 1: Embryonal Tumours, Ependymoma & Meningioma

Congo Room, River Club

Chairs: James Balogun and Alan Davidson

08:30	KEYNOTE: Implementing state of the art Neuro-oncology in the LMIC setting	Rakesh Jalali
09:00	Intra-operative imaging in Paediatric brain tumour surgery	Llewellyn Padayachy
09:20	Biology and management of adult ependymoma	Mark Gilbert
09:40	Medulloblastoma- can MRI predict molecular subtypes?	Tracy Kilborn
10:00	Managing meningioma	Gelareh Zadeh
10:20	REFRESHMENTS	Zambezi Room, River Club

Session 2: Gliomas (HGG and LGG)

Congo Room, River Club

Chairs: Teddy Totimeh and Thierry Muanza

10:50	LGGs: Making a case for surgical intervention	Shawn Hervey-Jumper
11:10	Neuro-oncology: Educating the next generation	Sally Rothemeyer
11:30	Changing paradigms in the management of glioblastoma	Mark Gilbert
11:50	Check point blockade in GBM management	Edjah Nduom
12:10	Understanding the blood-brain barrier to optimize neurotherapeutics for malignant gliomas	Sadhana Jackson
12:30	SNO Lecture: Neurologic complications of cancer and its treatment	Patrick Wen
13:00	LUNCH	Zambezi Room, River Club

Session 3: Ask The Experts

Congo Room, River Club

(6 cases to be presented -3 adult and 3 Paeds)

Chairs: Thurán Naiker and Marc Hendricks

14:00	Neurosurgery	Fred Lang & Patrick Bankah
14:20	Radiation Oncology	Thierry Muanza & Moawia Elhassan
14:40	Paediatric Oncology	Kristen Schreuder
15:00	Medical Oncology	Evangelia Razis & Ekokobe Fonkem
15:30	REFRESHMENTS	Zambezi Room, River Club

Session 4: Spinal and Brainstem Tumours

Congo Room, River Club

Chairs: Sally Candy and Anthony Figaji

16:00	Surgery for cervical spine tumours	Augustine Adeolu
16:20	Managing AVM's- a multi-disciplinary approach	Allan Taylor
16:40	Using neurophysiology in brainstem and spinal cord surgery	Anthony Figaji
17:00	Management of skullbase tumours	Rohan Ramakrishna
17:20	Discussion	
17:30	ADJOURN	
18:00	WELCOME NETWORKING FUNCTION KEYNOTE: Kathy Oliver from IBTA	Orange Room, River Club

Neuro-Oncology, in collaboration with SNOSSA & PBTW



Workshop continues

Session 5: Keynote

Congo Room, River Club

Chairs: Edjah Nduom and Graham Fieggen

08:00	Awake surgery and intra operative mapping	Fred Lang
08:30	DEBATE: Access to molecular treatments for BTs in LMIC ... Is it relevant?	PRO: Teddy Totimeh CON: David Reynders

Session 6: Advocacy

Congo Room, River Club

Chairs: Kathy Oliver and Ané Büchner

09:00	Running a successful neuro-oncology society	Chas Haynes
09:15	Harnessing community support for neuro-oncology advocacy	Irene Ngong
09:30	The role of broad cancer alliances	Adri Ludick
09:45	Difficult conversations with children with brain tumours and their families	Michelle Meiring
10:00	The brain tumour experience from a parent's point of view	Bonita Suckling
10:15	Health policy and oncology care	Isaac Adewole
10:30	REFRESHMENTS	i Room, River Club

Session 7: Suprasellar Tumours, Germ Cell Tumours and metastases

Congo Room, River Club

Chairs: Jason Labuschagne and Patrick Semple

11:00	Endoscopic surgery for pituitary and suprasellar tumours	Catherine Gilkes
11:20	Anaesthesia for paediatric imaging and radiotherapy	Graeme Wilson
11:40	Update on radiotherapy for germ cell tumours	Norm Laperriere
12:00	A new direction in the management of metastases	Riccardo Sofietti
12:20	Discussion	
12:30	LUNCH	Zambezi Room, River Club



Four Parallel Sessions:**RADIATION ONCOLOGY: Contouring Workshop**

Groote Schuur Hospital

- 13:30 Case contouring:
1. Craniopharyngioma
 2. Intracranial germinoma
 3. Meningioma

Norm Laperriere
Jeannette Parkes
Thurandrie Naiker
Sally Candy
Hester Burger
Natalia Ilieva
Lindsay Jaftha

16:30 CLOSURE

17:00 SNOSSA BUSINESS MEETING (UCT FHS)

NEUROSURGERY WORKSHOP

CTICC, Meeting room 2.44-2.46

Neurosurgery bootcamp under auspices of vSNSA and SBNS

- 13:30 **Neurosurgery bootcamp under the auspices of vSNSA and SBNS**
Neurosurgery bootcamp/ refresher course for Neuro-oncology (first half) and General neurosurgery (second half), conducted under the auspices of the Society of Neurosurgeons of South Africa and the British Neurosurgical Society

16:30 CLOSURE

17:00 SNOSSA BUSINESS MEETING (UCT FHS)

MEDICAL/PAEDIATRIC ONCOLOGY MDT

Congo Room, River Club

Chairs: Komala Pillay and Alan Davidson

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| 13:30 | The changing role of a neuropathologist vis-à-vis the 2016 WHO update | Jason Huse |
| | Neuro Oncology Endocrine Quiz | Ariane Spitaels |
| | Providing a neuropathology service in the LMIC setting | Babatunde Olasode |
| | Molecular classification of medulloblastoma: What clinical utility? | Dan Zaharie |
| | Small molecules and TKIs. How useful are they? | Evangelia Razis |
| | Clinical Vignettes from 4 selected abstracts | |
| | Case-based discussion. | |

16:30 CLOSURE

17:00 SNOSSA BUSINESS MEETING (UCT FHS)

ADVOCACY WORKSHOP

Berg Room, River Club

Chairs: Bonita Suckling and Adri Ludick

- 13:30 Interactive workshop to unpack access to healthcare; the importance of psychosocial care for the patient and family; and debunk stigma. We look at doing this so as to influence decisions efficaciously within political, economic and social systems and institutions

16:30 CLOSURE

17:00 SNOSSA BUSINESS MEETING (UCT FHS)

Supportive and Palliative Care

Pre-Congress Workshop

Room 1.4 (CTICC)

THURSDAY, 8 AUGUST

Patient-centeredness and effective clinical communication skills have increasingly been identified by health care training institutions as desired competencies of health care practitioners (HCP). Patients have the right to be treated with respect and empathy and to participate in decision-making around their own health care. However, it is not uncommon for patients to describe their interactions with health care practitioners as not satisfying their need for information and emotional care. Whilst there may be many causes for patient dissatisfaction, one of the reasons most commonly mentioned is the lack of effective communication and empathy on the part of HCPs. Empathy is defined as an attribute that has both cognitive and affective components. Affective empathy is largely unconscious, while cognitive empathy implicates the understanding of a patient's suffering and concerns, as well as the ability to communicate this understanding and the intention to help.

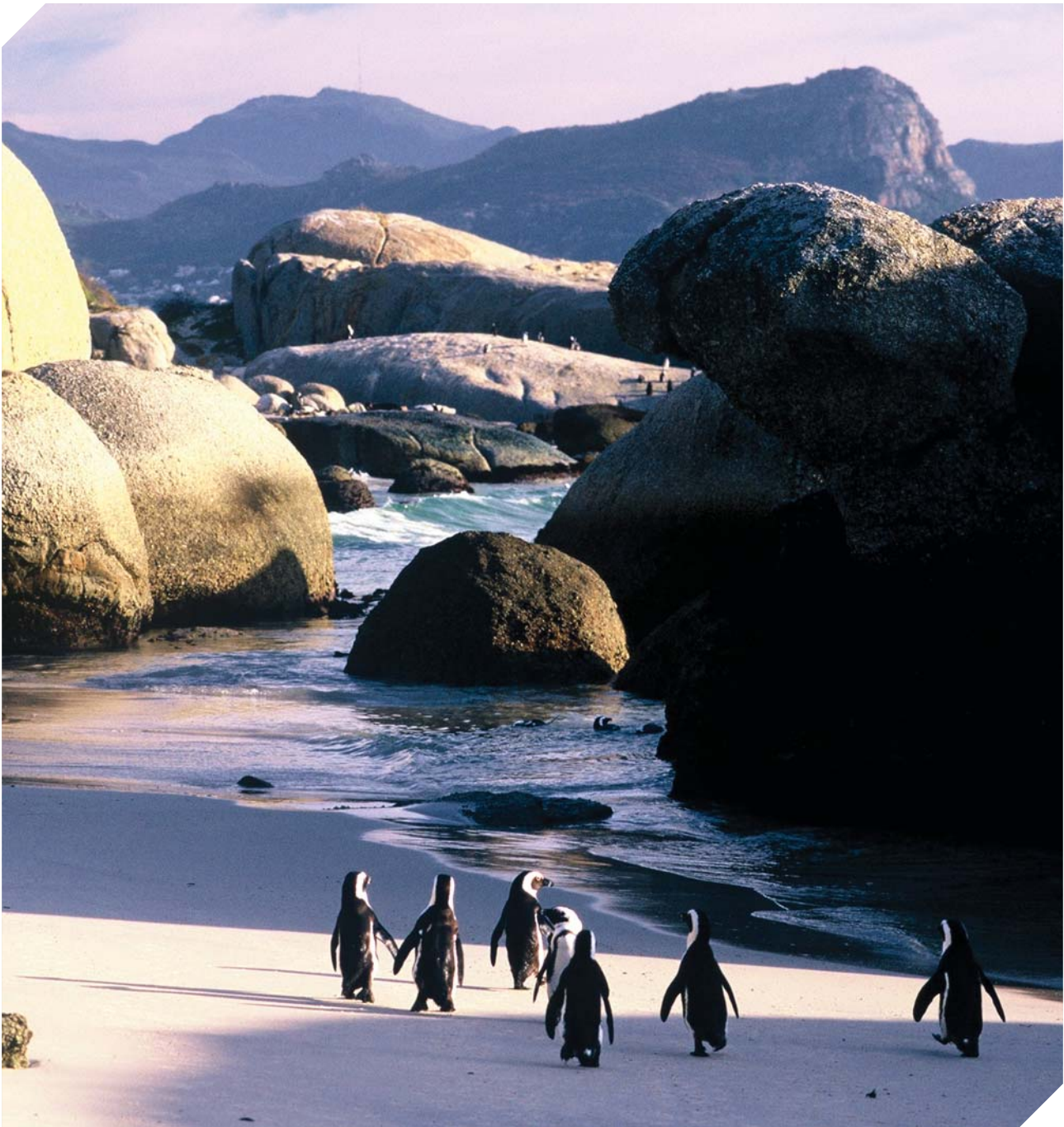
In the clinical setting empathy can influence the health care practitioner-patient relationship, as well as the diagnosis and management of the patient. Empathic HCPs who aim to understand the feelings, experiences and attitudes of their patients have a greater chance of having an effective consultation with therapeutic agreement. Studies have shown that effective clinical communication is associated with increased patient adherence to treatment recommendations, improved patient satisfaction and better resource utilization.

Cognitive empathy permits a health care practitioner to acknowledge that the patient's perspective may not always be the same as their own. This is particularly important in situations where a cognitive bias on the part of the HCP may exist away from those with different racial, religious, social or physical attributes or backgrounds towards whom affective empathy may not be an automatic response. Cognitive empathy protects against emotional over-involvement and in fact requires self-awareness and emotional intelligence.

Patient-centred communication highly relevant in all phases of cancer treatment but becomes increasingly important as the disease progresses. There is strong evidence to show that patient-centred communication is a clinical competency that can be taught and continuously developed through regular practice, role-modelling and self-reflection. Training in communication skills is mostly offered as part of undergraduate health professions curricula, but rarely forms part of post-graduate or continuous professional development.

Through this workshop we would like to offer the oncology community an opportunity to develop their skills in patient-centred communication in an interactive session in which personal reflection on every-day lived experiences will be used to strengthen theoretical knowledge.

08:30	Registration	
09:00	Welcome and introductions	Dr Elize Archer
	Session 1	
09:15	Patient-centeredness and empathy in clinical communication: Benefits and current best practise	Dr Elize Archer
10:15	Communication around information, decisional involvement and treatment preferences in the oncology practice	Dr Riette Burger
11:00	REFRESHMENTS	Foyer
	Session 2	
11:30	Practical hands on session on patient-centred communication in shared decision-making	Dr Riette Burger, Dr Elize Archer, Dr Louise Walker & Dr Margie Venter
13:00	LUNCH	Foyer



Session 3

13:45	An introduction to difficult oncology conversations in cross-cultural and cross-language settings	Dr Louise Walker
14:30	Small group discussions to explore cultural diversity in clinical communication	Dr Riette Burger, Dr Elize Archer, Dr Louise Walker & Dr Margie Venter
15:00	Group feedback & conclusion	Dr Elize Archer
15:30	ADJOURN & REFRESHMENTS	

Congress

FRIDAY, 9 AUGUST

08:00 – 18:00 Registration & Trade Exhibition

Trade Symposium 1

Ballroom

(Sponsored by AXIM)

Chair: Ms Linmari Kruger

08:45	Welcome	Ms Linmari Kruger
08:50	Advancing Radiotherapy with SGRT: Clinical benefits and outcomes	Ms Jacqui Dorney (Genesiscare, UK)
09:20	Discussion	
09:30	ADJOURN	

SESSION 1

Ballroom

(Plenary Session)

Chairs: Prof Alicia Sherriff, Dr Jan du Plessis & Ms Carien van der Merwe

08:30	REFRESHMENTS & TRADE EXHIBITION	EXHIBITION HALL
09:50	Official Opening & Plenary Session	
10:00	The Archbishop Desmond Tutu Distinguished Lecture Is early diagnosis worth it and how can we achieve it?	Prof David Stones
10:30	Proton therapy: Where to from here?	Prof Cai Grau
11:00	Guidelines in supportive care in paediatric oncology: Where do we stand?	Prof Marianne van de Wettering
11:30	Prostate brachytherapy: Current state of the art	Prof Peter Hoskin
12:00	Approaches to downstaging breast cancer in a LMIC	Dr Jenny Edge
12:30	LUNCH & TRADE EXHIBITION	EXHIBITION HALL

SESSION 2A – Breast

Ballroom East

(Parallel session)

Chairs: Dr Shona Bhadree & Dr Rika Pienaar

13:30	Waiting times: Impact on outcomes, what to do about it	Prof Cai Grau
14:00	Medical treatment of early breast cancer	Dr Daniel Vorobiof
14:30	Investigation of potential skin toxicity for patients receiving breast IORT using EBT3 Gafchromic® film [1]	Ms Michelle van Heerden
14:40	Evolution in breast cancer knowledge and management: The last four decades [2]	Dr Maria Antonia Coccia-Portugal
14:50	Human cytolytic fusion proteins targeting CSPG4 for the treatment of triple-negative breast cancer [3]	Ms Neelakshi Mungra
15:00	REFRESHMENTS & TRADE EXHIBITION	EXHIBITION HALL



SESSION 2B – Neurology

Ballroom West

(Parallel session)

Chairs: Dr Chris Trauernicht & Dr Marthinus Kahl

13:30	Linac-based stereotactic radiosurgery: Plan optimization holds the key to quality [4]	Dr Willie Shaw
13:45	Neuropathology: A focus on gliomas	Dr Dan Zaharie
14:05	Stereotactic radiotherapy for brainmetastases	Dr Ingo de Mûelenaere
14:20	Discussion	
14:30	Elderly glioblastoma	Prof Norm Laperierre
15:00	REFRESHMENTS & TRADE EXHIBITION	EXHIBITION HALL

SESSION 2C – Paediatric Oncology

Room 2.44 – 2.46

(Parallel session)

Chairs: Dr Gita Naidu & Dr Jan du Plessis

13:20	Opening & welcome	Dr Gita Naidu & Jan du Plessis
13:30	Paediatric oncology in Africa in the 21st century: Making a difference, but keeping it real	Prof Alan Davidson
13:45	Carboplatin-based chemotherapy delivers superior results in children and adolescents with extracranial germ cell tumours: First report by the South African Children's Cancer Study Group, 1990-2015 [5]	Dr Marc Hendricks
14:00	The management of neuroblastoma in South Africa between 2000 and 2014 [6]	Dr Jaques van Heerden
14:15	Favourable outcomes for South African children and adolescents with mature and immature teratomas (1990 -2015): First report by the South African Children Cancer Study Group [7]	Dr Marc Hendricks
14:30	Favourable outcomes in children and adolescents with sex cord stromal tumours (1990-2015): First report by the South African Children's Cancer Study Group [8]	Dr Marc Hendricks
14:40	Paediatric solid tumours in low to middle income countries: A decade of experience from a South African Hospital [9]	Dr Sithandweyinkosi Mushunje (Fellow Award)
14:50	Discussion	
15:00	REFRESHMENTS & TRADE EXHIBITION	EXHIBITION HALL

SESSION 2D – Radiation Therapy

Room 1.4

(Parallel session)

Chairs: Dr Deirdré Long & Prof Hesta Friedrich-Nel

13:30	Setting up a new radiotherapy facility in Kenya: The Eldoret experience [10]	Mr Paul Khayega Alusa
13:40	Demonstration of a 3D graphics, interactive radiotherapy simulator for training and teaching [11]	Mr Kobus Botha
13:55	Optimal skin markings for positioning in radiotherapy: Are tattoos the only option? [12]	Mrs René Botha
14:05	Image guided radiotherapy (IGRT) A Life Hilton Private Hospital: Radiotherapy unit experience [13]	Ms Natalie Clarke
14:15	The evaluation of an algorithmic model, created for the image guided radiotherapy treatment couch for integration into the pinnacle treatment planning system [14]	Mr Kobus Botha
14:25	HDR brachytherapy: Thinking out of the box! [15]	Ms Ameera Heetun
14:35	Netcare pre-treatment patient specific QA for IMRT & VMAT [16]	Mr Hein Fourie
14:45	Discussion	
15:00	REFRESHMENTS & TRADE EXHIBITION	EXHIBITION HALL

SESSION 2E – Psychosocial

Roof Terrace

(Parallel session)

Chair: Ms Avril de Beer

13:30	Empowering CHOC psychosocial support staff with knowledge and skills to support children and teenagers before and during medical treatment procedures in order to prevent trauma [17]	Ms Alta Bence
13:50	Discussion	
14:00	Building a psychosocial and spiritual care service for children with cancer and their families [18]	Dr Marc Hendricks
14:20	Discussion	
14:30	Using art and music in the process of inner healing and recovery of cancer patients	Dr Welly Den Hollander
14:50	Discussion	
15:00	REFRESHMENTS & TRADE EXHIBITION	EXHIBITION HALL



SESSION 2F – Nurses & AHP's

Room 1.6

(Parallel session)

Chair: Ms Florence Arends

13:30	Developing an in-facility intervention to manage compassion fatigue in oncology nurses, Durban, South Africa [19]	Dr Dorien Wentzel
13:45	The prevalence and genotypes of human papilloma virus in ocular surface squamous neoplasia at Dr George Mukhari Academic Hospital, Gauteng, South Africa [20]	Ms Lucia Naddy Mhlongo
14:00	What to do when a competent patient refuses treatment [21]	Ms Andrea Brummer
14:15	Discussion	
14:20	Lymphoedema Workshop Practical session to introduce the art of Lymphoedema to nursing staff	Ms Colleen Marco
15:00	REFRESHMENTS & TRADE EXHIBITION	EXHIBITION HALL

SESSION 3A – Registrars

Ballroom East

(Parallel session)

Chairs: Dr Hildah Napo & Dr Leon Marais

15:30	A cohort study of treatment outcomes after radiotherapy in vulvar carcinoma patients [22]	Dr Thobile Goba-Mjwara
15:40	A retrospective review of patients with stage 3 cervical cancer treated with radical radiotherapy at Universitas Hospital Annex from 2001 to 2010 [23]	Dr Mariette Rothman
15:50	Sexual quality of life in locally advanced cervical cancer patients treated with definitive concurrent chemoradiation [24]	Dr Prinitha Pillay
16:00	Retrospective study of the treatment outcomes of cervical cancer in young women treated at a single institution [25]	Dr Chuma Njovu
16:10	Gestational Trophoblastic Neoplasm: A retrospective review in a South African population [26]	Dr Kern Pemberton
16:20	Training Rad Oncs for LMIC countries: Have we made any impact? A 20 year study at University of Cape Town [27]	Prof Jeannette Parkes
16:30	ADJOURN	
16:45	SASCRO AGM	BALLROOM WEST
18:00	MEET & GREET	EXHIBITION HALL

SESSION 3B – Haematology

Ballroom West

(Parallel session)

Chairs: Dr Zainab Mohamed & Dr Pelham Piek

15:30	Radiotherapy for lymphoma: How much volume & how much dose?	Prof Peter Hoskin
16:00	Managing aggressive B-cell lymphoma in the South African setting	Dr Jacques Malherbe
16:20	Discussion	
16:30	ADJOURN	
16:45	SASCRO AGM	BALLROOM WEST
18:00	MEET & GREET	EXHIBITION HALL

SESSION 3C – Paediatric Oncology

Room 2.44 – 2.46

(Parallel session)

Chairs: Dr Ané Büchner & Dr Rajendra Thejpal

15:30	The role of surgery and radiotherapy in the management of Neuroblastoma in South Africa [28]	Dr Jaques van Heerden
15:45	Complications in the placement of central lines for paediatric oncology patients at Universitas Academic Hospital, from 1992 to March 2018 [29]	Dr Lizette Brits
15:55	Poor prognostic features of children diagnosed with Osteosarcoma over a 20 year period in a Hospital in Johannesburg [30]	Dr Thandeka Ngcana (Fellow Award)
16:05	Paediatric pulmonary leiomyosarcoma [31]	Dr Kamalina Coopasamy (Fellow Award)
16:15	Developing a national nutritional study in Paediatric Oncology units in South Africa [32]	Ms Judy Schoeman
16:30	ADJOURN	ROOM 2.44 – 2.46
16:45	SACCSG AGM	ROOM 2.44 – 2.46
18:00	MEET & GREET	EXHIBITION HALL

SESSION 3D – Radiation Therapy

Room 1.4

(Parallel session)

Chairs: Mrs Tamlyn Abbott & Mrs Melané Marchio-Barnard

15:30	Volumetric Modulated Arc Therapy (VMAT): A clinical and patient-orientated experiential review [33]	Mrs Marelize Neethling
15:40	A retrospective report on the use of Cone beam CT for adaptive radiotherapy for lung cancer [34]	Ms Jeunesse Thompson
15:50	Optimising prostate conformal radiotherapy planning with a prioritised list of parameters [35]	Mr Joseph Steyn
16:00	Efficiency index: Reporting method for stereotactic treatment plans [36]	Mrs Nicola Fourie
16:10	A novel treatment planning model for total skin electron irradiation [37]	Mr Karl Sachse
16:20	Treating Chaos the Lion and other cats: A roaring experience! [38]	Ms Hanri Reynolds
16:30	The Cape Town Access to Care Course: What we have learned and what the future holds [39]	Mrs Natalia Vowles
16:40	Discussion	
16:50	ADJOURN	
18:00	MEET & GREET	EXHIBITION HALL





SESSION 3E - Psychosocial (Parallel session)

Roof Terrace

Chair: Dr Memory Munodawafa

15:30	Aggressive end-of-life care vs palliative care interventions in patients with haematological malignancies: A social work perspective [40]	Ms Avril de Beer
15:50	Discussion	
16:00	The psychosocial impact of mastectomy and reconstruction on breast cancer patients	Dr Allan Wayne Smith
16:20	Discussion	
16:30	ADJOURN	
17:00	SAOSWF AGM	Roof Terrace
18:00	MEET & GREET	EXHIBITION HALL

SESSION 3F – Nurses & AHP's (Parallel session)

Room 1.6

Chair: Ms Florence Arends

15:30	Lymphoedema workshop continues	Ms Colleen Marco
16:20	Discussion	
16:30	ADJOURN	
17:00	NONSA AGM	ROOM 1.6
18:00	MEET & GREET	EXHIBITION HALL

TRADE SYMPOSIUM 2

Ballroom East

(Sponsored by Varian)

Chair: Mr Tim Clark

08:00	Adaptive Intelligence: Varian's solution for adaptive RT	Mr Vincent Lengkeek, Product Marketing Manager, Varian
08:25	HyperArc high definition radiotherapy	Ms Yvette Wilbur, Product Marketing Manager, Varian
08:35	Bravos: A brave new world in brachytherapy	Mr Tim Clark, Director Marketing EMEA, Varian
08:45	ADJOURN	

TRADE SYMPOSIUM 3

Ballroom West

(Sponsored by Astellas)

Chair: Dr Leon Marais

08:00	Welcome	Dr Leon Marais
08:10	DEBATE: A Clinical Guide to Treatment Decision Making in First-Line m-CRPC <i>Hormone (or) Chemotherapy</i> Who What When Where Why	Dr Ingo de Mûelenaere & Dr Greg Hart
08:40	Discussion	Dr Leon Marais
08:45	ADJOURN	

SESSION 4A – General

Ballroom East

(Parallel session)

Chairs: Dr Laura Stopforth & Dr Brent Green

09:00	Systemic therapies for head and neck cancer	Prof Michael Boyer
09:30	The outcome of patients with squamous cell carcinoma of the oropharynx treated with chemoradiotherapy at Groote Schuur Hospital over an eight-year period [41]	Dr Julie Wetter
09:40	Descriptive epidemiological study of head and neck cancers at a single institution in Southern Africa [42]	Dr Komeela Naidoo
09:50	Care, ethics and society: Supportive Governance [43]	Prof Raymond Abratt
10:10	Discussion	
10:15	REFRESHMENTS & TRADE EXHIBITION	EXHIBITION HALL

SESSION 4B - Gynae Oncology

Ballroom West

(Parallel session)

Chairs: Dr Nomonde Mbatani, Prof Greta Dreyer & Prof Hannah Simonds

09:00	The HPV vaccination programme: Where are we now?	Prof Hennie Botha
09:30	Discussion – The burden of HPV in South Africa	Prof Greta Dreyer
09:40	Image guided brachytherapy for cervical cancer comes of age	Prof Peter Hoskin
10:10	Discussion	
10:15	REFRESHMENTS & TRADE EXHIBITION	EXHIBITION HALL

SESSION 4C – Paediatric Oncology

Room 2.44 – 2.46

(Parallel session)

Chairs: Prof Janet Poole & Dr Yasmin Goga

09:00	Report of 1st National Retinoblastoma Treatment Protocol in South Africa	Prof Mariana Kruger
09:15	Tuberculosis in children with cancer: Experience from a South-African center [44]	Dr Gita Naidu
09:30	Respiratory virus-infections in children with febrile neutropenia: Experience from a South African center [45]	Dr Gita Naidu
09:45	Immune reconstitution viral disease mimicking relapse with haematological malignancy [46]	Dr Rajendra Thejpal
10:00	Discussion	
10:15	REFRESHMENTS & TRADE EXHIBITION	EXHIBITION HALL

SESSION 4D - Psychosocial

Roof Terrace

(Parallel session)

Chair: Ms Lauren Smith

09:00	WORKSHOP: Guided by Narrative Therapy in conversations with the dying and bereaved	Dr Elize Morkel
10:00	Discussion	
10:15	REFRESHMENTS & TRADE EXHIBITION	EXHIBITION HALL

SESSION 4E – Nurses & AHP's

Room 1.6

(Parallel session)

Chair: Ms Petra Fördelmann

09:00	Getting communication right What is communication excellence and how does it transpire within the health care setting? A better understanding of the underpinnings of effectiveness and efficiency in communication supports in improving communication practices within a health care setting. This session will address common communication	Mr GP van Rhee de van Oudtshoorn
10:00	Discussion	
10:15	REFRESHMENTS & TRADE EXHIBITION	EXHIBITION HALL

SESSION 4F – Pharmacists

Room 1.4

(Parallel session)

Chair: Ms Carien van der Merwe

09:00	Radiography 101 for pharmacists	Dr Dinoshan Chetty (Radiation Oncologist)
10:00	Discussion	
10:15	REFRESHMENTS & TRADE EXHIBITION	EXHIBITION HALL

SESSION 5

Ballroom

(Plenary session)

Chairs: Dr Pieter du Toit, Prof Jeannette Parkes & Dr Memory Munodawafa

11:00	Reirradiation for diffuse intrinsic pontine gliomas	Prof Norm Laperriere
11:30	Robust radiotherapy planning: The case for coverage probability dose optimization	Dr Willie Shaw
11:45	The role of the nurse in modern oncology	Mrs Petra Fördelmann
12:00	The impact of targeted therapies in lung cancer	Prof Michael Boyer
12:30	LUNCH, POSTER SESSION & TRADE EXHIBITION	EXHIBITION HALL

SESSION 6A – Urology & Lung

Room 2.6

(Parallel session)

Chairs: Prof Raymond Abratt & Dr Riette Burger

13:30	Hypofractionation in urological malignancies	Dr Wilhelm van Zijl
13:45	Theranostics in prostate carcinoma	Prof Annare Ellmann
14:00	The management of urethral cancer	Dr Riette Burger
14:15	Discussion	
14:25	The evolving role of immunotherapy for lung cancer	Prof Michael Boyer
15:00	REFRESHMENTS & TRADE EXHIBITION	EXHIBITION HALL

SESSION 6B – Radiation

Ballroom West

(Parallel session)

Chairs: Dr Willie Shaw & Dr Wilhelm van Zijl

13:30	The significance of delays in radiotherapy [47]	Dr Alistair Hunter
13:40	CBCT images used for dose calculation in adaptive radiotherapy at Netcare Olivedale Hospital [48]	Ms Khombo Eunice Dumela
13:50	Planning and treatment of a total skin electron irradiation patient: A case study [49]	Ms Demaré Potgieter
14:00	Development, validation and first results of a new comprehensive tool for digitally testing accuracy of multi-leaf collimators on megavoltage units [50]	Mr Willie Boonzaaier
14:30	Measured and calculated doses in the “Claws” [51]	Dr Chris Trauernicht
14:40	Conformal radiation therapy for breast cancer [52]	Prof Vinay Sharma
14:50	Discussion	
15:00	REFRESHMENTS & TRADE EXHIBITION	EXHIBITION HALL

SESSION 6C – Paediatric Oncology

Room 2.44 – 2.46

(Parallel session)

Chairs: Prof Alan Davidson & Prof Mariana Kruger

13:30	Surgery and reirradiation for paediatric ependymomas	Prof Norm Laperriere
14:00	Neurooncology and poor prognostic tumors in pediatric oncology such as ATRT and pontine glioma: What is new?	Prof Marianne van de Wetering
14:25	Neuro-imaging: The Radiation oncology perspective	Prof Jeannette Parkes
14:40	Low grade gliomas treated at the University of Cape Town Academic Hospital Complex: 2001-2017 [53]	Dr Gisela Kahl (Fellow Award)
14:50	Anaplastic ependymoma in early childhood [54]	Dr Johann Riedeman (Fellow Award)
	Discussion	
15:00	REFRESHMENTS & TRADE EXHIBITION	EXHIBITION HALL

SESSION 6D – Gynae Oncology

Room 2.41 – 2.43

(Parallel session)

Chairs: Dr Samuel Fourie & Prof Trudy Smith

13:30	Utilisation of radiotherapy in the management of Vulval warts	Dr Poovan Govender
13:45	Gestational Trophoblastic Disease managed at Grey's Tertiary Hospital	Dr Bongumusa S Makhathini
14:00	Women's sexuality post gynaecological cancer treatment at Groote Schuur Hospital: A qualitative, descriptive study using a comprehensive framework [55]	Dr Nazia Fakiie
14:15	Groin lymph node status in operable vulva carcinoma among HIV negative versus HIV positive patients [56]	Prof Greta Dreyer
14:30	The outcome of patients with uterine carcinosarcoma	Dr Langanani Mbodi
14:45	PET-CT in the staging and planning of HIV-positive cervical cancer patients [57]	Prof Hannah Simonds
15:00	REFRESHMENTS & TRADE EXHIBITION	EXHIBITION HALL

SESSION 6E – Psychosocial

Roof Terrace

(Parallel session)

Chair: Ms Nadia Booysen

13:30	WORKSHOP TO BE CONTINUED: Guided by Narrative Therapy in conversations with the dying and bereaved	Dr Elize Morkel
14:50	Discussion	
15:00	REFRESHMENTS & TRADE EXHIBITION	EXHIBITION HALL

SESSION 6F – Nurses & AHP's
 (Parallel session)

Room 1.6

Chairs: Ms Petra Fördelmann

Congress

13:30	<p>Getting leaders to communicate</p> <p>The pressures of balancing managerial and leadership demands can really be a challenge. When a leader knows how to communicate with and within a team, team members know, understand and live out their roles with greater ease. This interactive session tackles leadership communication within the nursing environment head on, and is valuable to both aspiring and current leaders.</p>	Mr GP van Rheede van Oudtshoorn
14:50	Discussion	
15:00	REFRESHMENTS & TRADE EXHIBITION	EXHIBITION HALL



SESSION 7A – Registrars (Parallel session)

Room 1.4

Chairs: Dr Julie Wetter & Dr William Chabane

15:30	Evaluating palliative care training in the oncology registrar programme [58]	Prof Jeannette Parkes
15:45	Retrospective analysis of the therapeutic utility of capecitabine plus oxaliplatin in patients with colorectal cancer at Tygerberg Hospital [59]	Dr Solomon Kibudde
15:55	Delays in the referral and primary management of cutaneous malignant melanoma at Tygerberg Hospital [60]	Dr Seshini Naidoo
16:05	Patterns of practice of breast cancer irradiation in the Department of Radiation Oncology, Charlotte Maxeke Johannesburg Academic Hospital 2010-2012 [61]	Dr Antonia Bunga
16:15	Clinician and patient reported outcomes for severe late bladder and gastrointestinal toxicity in locally advanced cervical cancer patients treated with chemoradiation [62]	Dr Prinitha Pillay
16:25	Using a two phase electron radiotherapy technique to manage early stage Dupuytren's disease: Outcomes of a case series [63]	Dr Odirile Obuseng
16:35	Discussion	
17:00	ADJOURN	
19:00	DINNER & AWARDS	BALLROOM

SESSION 7B – Paediatric Oncology (Parallel session)

Room 2.44 -2.46

Chairs: Dr Marc Hendricks & Prof David Stones

15:30	Cytogenetics in B-lineage Acute Lymphoblastic Leukemia (ALL); translocation t(1;19) (q23;p13.3) E2a-Pbx1 is a poor prognostic criterion in children of African descent [64]	Prof Janet Poole
15:45	Paediatric anaplastic large cell lymphoma: A single unit experience in Kwa-Zulu Natal, South Africa [65]	Dr Yasmin Goga
16:00	Single-centre experience of B-cell lymphomas in children at the height of the HIV epidemic in South Africa [66]	Dr Gisela Kahl (Fellow Award)
16:15	Rare relapsed / second NHL in an HIV infected child [67]	Dr Hamida van Staden
16:30	A cost comparison of rasburicase versus dialysis in the management of children with acute leukaemia and lymphoma at a South African centre [68]	Dr Morné Kahts
16:45	Discussion	
17:00	ADJOURN	
19:00	DINNER & AWARDS	BALLROOM

SESSION 7C – Psychosocial (Parallel session)

Roof Terrace

Chair: Dr Welly den Hollander

15:30	WORKSHOP TO BE CONTINUED: Guided by Narrative Therapy in conversations with the dying and bereaved	Dr Elize Morkel
16:50	Discussion	
17:00	ADJOURN	
19:00	DINNER & AWARDS	BALLROOM

SESSION 7D – Gynae Oncology

Room 2.6

(Parallel session)

Chairs: Dr Linda Rogers, Dr Shanaaz Bassa & Prof Leon Snyman

15:30	Pre-operative CA 125 levels accurately predicts lymphatic metastases among South African endometrium cancer patients at high risk for late stage [69]	Dr MC van Aardt
15:45	Bone metastases in cervical cancer: A cohort study	Dr Jenny Butt
16:00	A seamless solution for image guided adaptive radiotherapy verification and dose summation [70]	Dr Willie Shaw
16:15	Implementing HPV-based screen and treat for cervical cancer prevention in South Africa	Dr Rakiya Saidu
16:30	Review on hyperthermia techniques used for the management of cervical cancer and the treatment outcomes [71]	Ms Carrie Minnaar
16:45	Equity in access of cervical cancer treatment services in Harare	Dr Oscar Tapera
17:00	ADJOURN	
19:00	DINNER & AWARDS	BALLROOM

SESSION 7E – Nurses & AHP's

Room 1.6

(Parallel session)

Chair: Ms Petra Fördelmann

15:30	Getting the most out of team communication When a team communicates well, they are in a much better position to perform well. The nursing environment, however, challenges the traditional solutions to team communication. This interactive session explores ways in which to improve team communication through formal protocols as well as through informal, inspirational means.	Mr GP van Rheede van Oudtshoorn
16:45	Discussion	
17:00	ADJOURN	
19:00	DINNER & AWARDS	BALLROOM

SESSION 7F – Pharmacists

Room 2.41 – 2.43

(Parallel session)

Chair: Mr Johan Labuschagne

15:30	SASOPh meeting	Mr Johan Labuschagne
Chair: Mrs Hayley Gower		
16:15	Clinical case presentation workshop	Mrs Hayley Gower
17:00	ADJOURN	
19:00	DINNER & AWARDS	BALLROOM

SUNDAY, 11 AUGUST

TRADE SYMPOSIUM 4

Ballroom West

(Sponsored by AstraZeneca)

08:00	Welcome & introduction	
08:05	Treating the Target: New Approaches in the Management of EGFR+ Non-Small Cell Lung Cancer	Prof Michael Boyer
08:35	Discussion	
08:45	ADJOURN	

TRADE SYMPOSIUM 5

Room 1.4

(Sponsored by Novartis South Africa (Pty) Ltd)

Chair: Dr Gary Sopher

08:00	Welcome & introduction	Dr Gary Sopher
08:05	Treatment of BRAF mutation positive metastatic melanoma: A focus on dual inhibition	Dr Daniel Vorobiof
08:40	Discussion	
08:45	ADJOURN	

SESSION 8A – General

Ballroom West

(Parallel session)

Chairs: Prof Vinay Sharma & Dr Ingo de Mûelenaere

09:00	Immunotherapy for malignant melanoma	Dr Daniel Vorobiof
09:30	Latest updates from the DAHANCA studies	Prof Cai Grau
10:00	Discussion	
10:15	REFRESHMENTS & TRADE EXHIBITION	EXHIBITION HALL

SESSION 8B – Paediatric Oncology

Room 2.44- 2.46

(Parallel session)

Chairs: Dr Jan du Plessis & Dr Gita Naidu

09:00	Research in supportive care in pediatric oncology: What is done at the Princess Maxima Centre in Utrecht, The Netherlands	Prof Marianne van de Wetering
09:30	Use of palliative chemotherapy in South Africa: National survey of paediatric oncologists [72]	Dr Ané Büchner
09:40	Use of palliative chemotherapy in South Africa: Experience in a single unit [73]	Dr Ané Büchner
09:50	Collaborative National Protocol Design	Dr Marc Hendricks & Dr Jacques van Heerden
	Discussion	
10:15	REFRESHMENTS & TRADE EXHIBITION	EXHIBITION HALL



SESSION 8C – Psychosocial, Nurses & AHP’s
(Parallel session)

Room 1.4

Chair: Ms Petra Fördelmann

09:00	Life-world meets the Bio-technical world: Patients’ expectations and experiences of the Computed Tomography (CT) localisation event [74]	Mrs Germaine Lovric
09:20	Discussion	
09:30	Panel discussion: Unpacking the dynamics of home care for palliative patients	Dr Memory Munodawafa & Ms Monique Daniels
10:00	Discussion	
10:15	REFRESHMENTS & TRADE EXHIBITION	EXHIBITION HALL

SESSION 9 - Ethics
(Plenary Session)

Ballroom West

Chairs: Dr Poovan Govender, Dr Rene Krause & Ms Linda Greeff

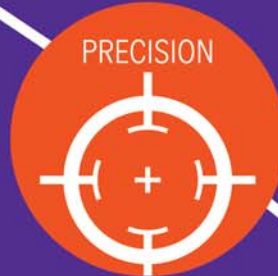
11:00	Informed consent is a myth	Prof Allan Taylor
11:30	Panel discussion	
11:45	Ethics in education	Dr Reno Morar
12:15	Discussion	
12:30	CONGRESS CLOSURE	BALLROOM WEST
12:45	ADJOURN	
13:00	SHUTTLES DEPART TO AIRPORT	

POSTER PRESENTATIONS

Impact of various parameters on isodose coverage in HDR brachytherapy for cervix cancer [75]	Dr Acharya Acharya
Combining markers of hypermethylation with cytology or HPV based cervical cancer screening in HIV-positive South African women [76]	Prof Greta Dreyer
Preliminary study on the design of a novel pelvic prosthesis spiral phantom for advanced radiotherapy verification [77]	Ms Khombo Eunice Dumela
The impact of venous thromboembolism on the outcomes of patients with cervical carcinoma: A retrospective audit from January 2015 to December 2016 [78]	Dr Preyesh Goven Shiba
Stereotactic radiosurgery for recurrent glioblastoma multiforme [79]	Mrs Thiresha Govender
The use of HDR-Endobronchial Brachytherapy (EBB) in rare adenoid cystic carcinoma tracheal recurrence: A case presentation [80]	Dr Firzana Hendricks
Radiophotoluminescence glass dosimetry end to end audit of high dose rate gynaecological brachytherapy at Charlotte Maxeke Johannesburg Academic Hospital [81]	Ms Yulenda Lekganyane
The role of hyperthermia in radiotherapy [82]	Ms Sarah Moore
Volumetric Modulated Arc Therapy (VMAT) for recurrent malignant synovial sarcoma [83]	Mr Theo Nair
Correlation between PSA and bone scan findings in patients with prostate cancer at Greys Hospital, Kwazulu-Natal: A retrospective chart review [84]	Dr Farag Omar
Case study of a secondary meningioma in a previously irradiated field [85]	Dr Gerald Paris
The advantages of using daily CBCT for prostate and head and neck cancer patients [86]	Ms Nancy Tshishimbi
Measured anisotropy and radial dose functions of the OncoSeed 6711 I-125 seed [87]	Mr Chris Trauernicht



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