

**VI<sup>th</sup> CONGRESS of “Societat Catalana d’Immunologia” (SCI)**  
**- IV<sup>rd</sup> SEI joint symposium-**  
*Auditorium of Acadèmia, c/ Can Caralleu 1-7.Barcelona*  
**“Cancer Immunotherapy”**

**November 22, 2012**

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14:00-14:40h Registration and documentation delivery. Posters hanging.

14:40-15:45h Opening of 2012 Congress. Award to the "Best Paper of 2011" published in the SEI's journal "Inmunología" (sponsored by Miltenyi Biotec).

14:45-16:15 h Opening Session – Educational Round Table:

**"From a basic concept to an effective treatment (From the bench to the bedside)"**

Introduction / Chair : *Dr. Eva Martínez-Cáceres.*

Dr. **Joaquin Arribas**, Oncology Program, Vall d’Hebron Research Institute.

**"Immunotherapy against breast cancer".**

- Dr. **Luis Álvarez Vallina**, Leadartis / Hospital Universitario Puerta de Hierro, Madrid.

**"Selección y producción in vivo de anticuerpos humanos. Nuevas estrategias de inmunoterapia".**

16:15-17:05h Oral Communications I : *To be selected (4 oral communications).*

*17:05-17:30h Poster viewing – Coffee Break*

17:30-18:20h Oral Communications II : *To be selected (4 oral communications).*

18:20-19:15h Plenary Session I Chair *Dr. Pablo Engel.*

- Dr. **Pablo Sarobe** [CIMA (Centro de Investigación Médica Aplicada de la Universidad de Navarra), Pamplona].

**"Adjuvant combination and blockade of immunosuppression to enhance the efficacy of anti-tumor immunotherapy".**

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8:30-9:00h Late registration.

09:00-10:00 h Plenary Session II. Chair *Dr. Maria Montoya*

Dr. **Giovanna Schiavoni**. Department of Cell Biology and Neurosciences, Istituto Superiore di Sanità, Rome, Italy

**"The multifaceted role of Type I IFN system in antitumor immune response".**

10:00-11:00h Oral Communications III : *To be selected (4 communications).*

*11:00-11:30h Poster viewing – Coffee Break*

11:30 - 12:30h Plenary Session III Chair *Dr. Manel Juan*

Dr. **Juergen Kuball**. University Medical Center (UMC) Utrecht, The Netherlands.

**"Shaping the immune system: from the allogeneic stem cell transplantation towards the engineered autologous transplantation".**

12:30-13:30h **SCI general Assembly (12:30 1<sup>st</sup> call)**

Elections of the SCI Board (President, Treasurer and 2 additional members).

*13:30-15:00 h LUNCH and Poster viewing*

15:00-16:00h Plenary Session IV Chair *Dr. Maria José Amengual*

Dr. **Anna Sureda**. Addenbrooke’s Hospital, Cambridge, UK.

**"The Impact of the Use of Reduced Intensity Conditioning Protocols in Allogeneic Stem Cell Transplantation for Haematological Malignancies".**

16:00-16:55h Oral Communications IV: *To be selected (4 communications).*

*16:55-17:20h Poster viewing – Coffee Break*

17:20-18:15 h Oral Communications V: *To be selected (4 communications).*

18:15-19:15 h Closing Session. Chair *Dr. Daniel Benítez.*

Dr. **Cees Melief**. Leiden University Medical Center, Leiden, The Netherlands.

**"Therapeutic vaccination against human papilloma virus induced malignancies".**

19:00-19:10h Award to the best communications in the congress. *Closing Ceremony.*