

Friday November 19, 2021

08:00 **Registration**

08:50 **Opening**

Session Chair

Prof Bernard PIROTTE
(ULIÈGE, Liège, Belgium)

09:00 **Title to be announced**

Dr Gilles BERGER
(ULB, Brussels, Belgium)

09:30 **Purines and Trypanosomatids – a Neglected Match for New Therapeutics?**

Dr Fabian HULPIA
(JANSSEN PHARMACEUTICA, Beerse, Belgium)

10:00 **Modulating Protein-Protein Interactions by Means of Rigidified Peptidomimetics**

Prof. Steven BALLEET
(VRIJE UNIVERSITEIT BRUSSEL, Brussels, Belgium)

10:30 **Coffee break and Exhibition**

11:00 **Discovery of GLPG2451, a novel Potentiator for the Treatment of Cystic Fibrosis**

Dr Hans KELGTERMANS
(GALAPAGOS NV, Mechelen, Belgium)

11:30 **Discovery of Novel Small Molecule Modulators of TNF? Binding and Signalling**

Dr Dan BROOKINGS
(UCB, Slough, United Kingdom)

12:00 **ConfoBody Technology Suite: Unleashing the Full Therapeutic Potential of GPCR Targets**

Dr Christel MENET
(CONFO THERAPEUTICS, Brussels, Belgium)

12:30 **Lunch, Exhibition and Poster session**

Session Chair

Prof. Serge VAN CALENBERGH
(UGENT, Ghent, Belgium)

14:00 **UAMC1110 as the Starting Point for a new Generation of Diagnostics and Therapeutics Targeting Fibroblast Activation Protein (FAP)**

Prof. Pieter VAN DER VEKEN
(UANTWERP, Antwerp, Belgium)

14:30 **Step by Step Towards Fully Modified Aptamers | Chemistry Europe Talk**

Prof. Eveline LESCRINIER
(REGA INSTITUTE - KU LEUVEN, Leuven, Belgium)

15:00 **Scaffold Development for the Inhibition of FXIIa, a Promising Therapeutic Target**

Programme

Dr Lionel POCHET
(UNAMUR, Namur, Belgium)

15:30 Coffee break and Exhibition

16:00 Meddling with Cell Death Control: Development of MCL-1 Inhibitors for the Treatment of Cancer

Dr Frederik ROMBOUTS
(JANSSEN PHARMACEUTICA, Beerse, Belgium)

16:30 Interrogating the Lactate Dehydrogenase (LDH) Tetramerization Site with (stapled) Peptides

Prof. Raphaël FREDERICK
(UCLOUVAIN, Brussels-Woluwe, Belgium)

17:00 Development of Positive Allosteric Modulators for Glutamate Ionotropic Receptors

Dr Pierre FRANCOTTE
(ULIÈGE, Liège, Belgium)

17:30 Closing Remarks