



# INVITATION

16<sup>th</sup> SWISS SUMMIT ON HEMATO-ONCOLOGY

Thursday, SEPTEMBER 4, 2025

MAIN CENTER:

**Istituto Oncologico della Svizzera Italiana (IOSI)**  
**Bellinzona**

Auditorium OSG

## MAIN CHAIRS

**Prof. Dr Georg Stüssi**  
**Prof. Dr Davide Rossi**

## INTERNATIONAL SPEAKERS

**Prof. Dr Caron A. Jacobson**  
Dana-Farber Cancer Institute  
Boston, USA

**Prof. Dr Barbara Eichhorst**  
Cologne, Germany

**Prof. Dr Stefano Luminari**  
Reggio Emilia, Italy

**Prof. Dr Davide Rossi**  
IOSI Bellinzona



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Dear colleagues,

We are delighted to extend a warm invitation to the **16<sup>th</sup> Swiss Summit on Hematologic Oncology (SSHO)**, taking place on **Thursday, September 4, 2025**. It is a great honor for us to serve as this year's **Co-Main Chairs** and to welcome you to this prestigious event, hosted at our **Main Center**, the *Istituto Oncologico della Svizzera Italiana* in **Bellinzona**.

Held under the theme **"Advancing Knowledge, Empowering Patient Care in Lymphoma and Beyond,"** the summit will bring together leading national and international experts to share the latest clinical research, engage in case-based discussions, and explore future directions in hematologic oncology.

To foster broad participation from all regions of Switzerland, the summit will once again be held in an **in-person format**, connecting multiple **satellite centers** live with the Main Center and with each other. This setup promotes dynamic dialogue and the exchange of knowledge.

Register now for the **16<sup>th</sup> SSHO 2025** — join us in **Bellinzona** or at one of our Satellite Centers across Switzerland.

We look forward to your active participation and valuable contributions!



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# SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM

12:15 – 13:00

*Registration & Welcome Desk* (incl. Coffee &)

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13:00 – 13:05

## **Welcome & Introduction**

Prof. Dr Georg Stüssi   Prof. Dr Davide Rossi  
Co-Main Chairs

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### **Session 1:**

## **Chronic Lymphocytic Leukemia (CLL)**

13:05 – 13:30

### **Innovations in CLL in the Era of Precision Medicine: Past, Present, and Emerging Therapies to Combat CLL in Frontline and Relapsed Settings**

Prof. Dr Davide Rossi, IOSI Bellinzona

13:30 – 13:40

### **Case Presentation: CLL**

Dr Michael Gregor, LUKS Lucerne

13:40 – 13:50

### **Discussion**

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### **Session 2:**

## **Relapsed/Refractory DLBCL**

13:50 – 14:15

### **Navigating Challenges in R/R DLBCL: Innovations in Second-Line and Earlier Treatment Strategies**

Prof. Dr Caron A. Jacobson, Dana-Farber Cancer Institute, Boston, USA

14:15 – 14:25

### **Case Presentation: CAR T-Cell Therapy in R/R DLBCL**

Prof. Dr Andreas Holbro, USB Basel

14:25 – 14:35

### **Discussion**

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14:35 – 14:45

*Networking Coffee Break 1*

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### **Session 3:**

## **Richter Transformation (RT)**

14:45 – 15:10

### **Practical Management of Richter Transformation in 2024 and Beyond: Is there Light at the End of the Tunnel?**

Prof. Dr Barbara Eichhorst, Cologne, Germany

15:10 – 15:20

### **Case Presentation: RT**

Dr Ilaria Romano, IOSI Bellinzona

15:20 – 15:30

### **Discussion**

**Session 4: Mantle Cell Lymphoma**

15:30 – 15:55 **MCL: Evolving Standards of Care**

Dr Martin Fehr, KSSG St. Gallen

15:55 – 16:05 **Case Presentation: MCL**

Dr Maria Cristina Piroso, IOSI Bellinzona

16:05 – 16:15 **Discussion**

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16:15 – 16:25 *Networking Coffee Break 2*

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**Hot Topic 1: Follicular Lymphoma (FL)**

16:25 – 16:45 **FL: Progress in the Management of Patients**

Prof. Dr Stefano Luminari, Reggio Emilia, Italy

16:45 – 16:55 **Discussion** (moderated by Davide Rossi)

**Hot Topic 2: Peripheral T-Cell Lymphoma (CTCL)**

16:55 – 17:15 **Cutaneous T-Cell Lymphomas: Advancing Diagnosis and Treatment**

Prof. Dr Emmanuella Guenova, CHUV Lausanne (t.b.c.)

17:15 – 17:25 **Discussion**

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17:25 – 17:30 **Closing Remarks**

Prof. Dr Davide Rossi

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17:30 *Networking Apéro Riche*

## MAIN CENTER BELLINZONA



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