WORKING PROGRAMME
- As of 1 November 2019, subject to change -

DAY 1 | TUESDAY, 5 NOVEMBER

07:00 - 17:30 | REGISTRATION

09:00 - 11:00 | SPECIAL INTEREST GROUP

PLenary

CLINICAL TRIALS - SIG
Facilitators: OE Nnado, Ol Alatise (Nigeria)

Programme
- A Ibraheem (United States) | Good clinical practice, ethics and regulatory issues
- D Reidy (United States) | Design, conduct, analysis, and interpretation of Phase I-II clinical studies
- J Smith (United States) | Design, conduct, analysis, and interpretation of Phase III-IV clinical studies
- G Macaulay (Nigeria) | Drug discovery/development in Africa: opportunities and challenges
- Ol Alatise (Nigeria) | Scaling up clinical trial in Africa
- C Pillai (Switzerland) | Strengthening African Research and Development: Establishing an open-access database of African clinical trials sites and capabilities

MR1

ADVOCACY - SIG
Facilitators: K Asante (South Africa), B Kithaka (Kenya)

Programme
- B Kithaka (Kenya) | How should the SIG be ran within the framework of AORTIC (leadership, target areas of interaction)
- K Asante (South Africa) | What advocacy areas should the SIG focus on in integrating the voice of the Patient – Policy, Research, Education, etc.
- B Kithaka (Kenya) | How does the AORTIC SIG meet its costs – possible cost elements and fundraising model
- K Asante (South Africa) | What other ideas should the Advocacy SIG focus on for the first year

MR2

IPOS PSYCHO-ONCOLOGY PART 1 - SIG
Facilitators: C Asuzu (Nigeria), M Henry (Canada), L Travado (Portugal)

Programme
- C Asuzu (Nigeria) | Importance of communication skills in oncology and screening for distress as an essential tool to communication
- M Henry (Canada) | Barriers and facilitators to communicating cancer diagnoses to patients in African cancer care: Study results
- S Ndiaye (Senegal) | Communication and stigma
- C Ntizimira (Rwanda) | A palliative care physician’s perspective on communication in the context of an African medical oncology practice

MR3

RADIATION ONCOLOGY: MEDICAL PHYSICS - SIG
Facilitators: S Grover (Botswana), H Simonds (South Africa), V Vanderpuye (Ghana), R Wong (Canada)

Programme
- Requests attending this session must please bring laptops
- B Ochieng (Kenya) | 2D to 3D to advanced techniques
- S Avery (United States) | The state of medical physics in Africa: results of a survey
- S Grover (Botswana) | Update on RT SIG activities
- K Naidoo (South Africa) | ENT case

MR4

PATHOLOGY: THE ROLE OF TELEMEDICINE IN MANPOWER DEVELOPMENT - SIG
Facilitators: A Aidesina (United States), M Botteghi (Italy)

Programme
- K Patel (United States) | The role of telepathology in manpower development: definition, equipment, options and cost
- D Ruhangaza (Rwanda) | Diagnostic applications of telepathology: issues with set up, quality assurance and quality control
- R Namazzi (Uganda) | The TCH Global Help experience: the recipient country experience
- N Ozuah (Malawi) | The TCH Global Help experience: Programmatic organisation, execution and challenges from a sponsor’s perspective
- V Stracca (Italy) | Diagnostic applications of telepathology: the APOF experience in the Horn of Africa

11:00 - 11:30 | REFRESHMENT BREAK AND EXHIBITION

11:30 - 13:30 | SPECIAL INTEREST GROUP

PLenary

NURSING ONCOLOGY - SIG
Facilitators: M Fitch (Canada), OA Oluwatosin (Nigeria), NO Ehene Oti (Ghana)

Programme
- M Owusu Sekyere (Ghana) | Skills in caring for persons with Lymphedema
- P Adejumoo (Nigeria) and M Fitch (Canada) | Understanding research from problem identification to publication – panel discussion with A Anarado (Nigeria), M Barton-Burke (United States), L Maree (South Africa), R Sego (Rwanda) and A Young (United Kingdom)

MR1

HAEMATOLOGY (AORTICHORG) - SIG
Facilitators: C Williams (United States)

Programme
- C Williams (United States) | Introduction: Haematological malignancies in Africa: what we know, what we need to know, and exploring prospects for progress
- S Mbulu (United States) | Opportunities for conducting genetic studies in the Epidemiology of Burkitt Lymphoma in East-African Children and Minors (EMBLEM): where we are, and where we move from here
- N Othieno-Abinya (Kenya) | Pattern of occurrence of adult acute leukaemias in Kenya and identifiable risk factors
- C Williams (United States) | Childhood acute lymphoblastic leukaemia in Nigeria: Evidence for a role for infection, and a comparison with global experience
- N Othieno-Abinya (Kenya) | Pattern of occurrence of adult acute leukaemias in Kenya and identifiable risk factors
- A Ibraheem (United States) | HTLV-I infection in health and disease: relative significance in global communities
- G Macaulay (Nigeria) | Drug discovery/development in Africa: opportunities and challenges
- M Owusu Sekyere (Ghana) | Skills in caring for persons with Lymphedema

MR2

IPOS PSYCHO-ONCOLOGY PART 2 - SIG
Facilitators: C Asuzu (Nigeria), M Henry (Canada), L Travado (Portugal)

Programme
- P Parker (United States), S Banerjee (United States), L Travado (Portugal) | Doctor-patient communication skills training
### RADIATION ONCOLOGY - PART 2 - SIG
**Facilitators:** S Grover (Botswana), H Simonds (South Africa), V Vanderpuye (Ghana), R Wong (Canada)

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### UROLOGY - SIG
**Facilitators:** F Chinegwundoh (United Kingdom), SM Gueye (Senegal), M Jallow (Senegal), A Kahie (Kenya)

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### 13:30 - 14:30 | LUNCH AND EXHIBITION

### SPECIAL INTEREST GROUPS

#### PLENARY
**Breast Cancer and the Surgeon: Surgical Pathology**
**Facilitators:** B Anderson (United States), M Mutebi (Kenya)

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#### IMPROVING ACCESS TO CANCER CARE THROUGH PATIENT NAVIGATION
**Facilitators:** H Freedman (United States), E Krisel (United States), K McComb (United States)

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#### PALLIATIVE CARE - SIG
**Facilitators:** J Cleary (United States), MA Ojing (Uganda)

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#### MEDICAL ONCOLOGY - SIG
**Facilitators:** H Hammad (Canada), V Vanderpuye (Ghana)

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#### CERVICAL CANCER ELIMINATION, AN OPPORTUNITY FOR AFRICAN COUNTRIES TO MAKE A STEP-CHANGE IN ADDRESSING CANCER PREVENTION AND CONTROL
**Facilitators:** L Muchirhi (Kenya), J Torode (Switzerland)

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DAY 2 | WEDNESDAY, 6 NOVEMBER

07:00 - 17:30 | REGISTRATION

07:15 - 08:20 | ROUND TABLE DISCUSSION / EXPERT PANEL

Secure the Future of Cancer Care Network for Care, Education and Research Program: Lung Cancer in Africa
Facilitators: N Masalu (Tanzania), P Mtshali (South Africa)
Sponsored by Bristol-Myers Squibb Foundation Secure the Future

Quality of Cancer Registry Status in Africa
Facilitators: E Chokunonga (Zimbabwe), AM Nyakabu (Zimbabwe), O Ogunbiyi (Nigeria)

Early Diagnosis and Treatment in Women’s Cancer: The Case for Strengthening Primary Care
Facilitators: M McCarthy (United States), Supported by Jhpiego

Environment and Cancer
Facilitators: V McCormack (France), J Shuz (France)
Supported by IARC

Access Models for Improved Paediatric Cancer Care in Africa
Facilitators: B Scott (United States)
Sponsored by Direct Relief

08:20 - 08:30 | TRANSFER TIME

08:30 - 10:00 | CONCURRENT SESSIONS

Cancer Awareness and Screening Challenges in Africa
Facilitators: R Muwonge (France), R Saidu (South Africa)

Basic Science: From Bench to Bedside
Facilitators:  S Mohammed (United States), R Ramesar (South Africa)

Growing and Developing Psychosocial Oncology Programs in Africa: Challenges and Opportunities
Facilitators:  C Asiuu (Nigeria), M Henry (Canada), L Travado (Portugal)
Supported by IPOS

ASCO/AORTIC Joint Symposium: Value in Cancer Care
Facilitators:  N Hammad (Canada), V Vanderpuye (Ghana)

HPV Vaccination for Cervical Cancer Prevention
Facilitators:  K Brignole (United States), B Kithaka (Kenya), L Mbututhi (Kenya)
Supported by American Cancer Society

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PLENARY

TUMOUR BOARDS IN AFRICA: HOW TO OPTIMISE THE FULL PARTICIPATION OF ALL MEMBERS OF THE MULTIDISCIPLINARY TEAM
Facilitators: N Hammad (Canada), K Hopkins (Austria), L Muchiri (Kenya), N Ndlovu (South Africa)

MR1

WOMEN IN GLOBAL ONCOLOGY
Facilitators: T Abdu Kareem (Nigeria), R Anorlu (Nigeria), C Stefan (South Africa)

MR2

BURKITTS LYMPHOMA
Facilitators: S Mbulaiteye (United States), V Vedham (United States)
Supported by NCI

MR3

LIGHTNING TALKS 1: EPIDEMIOLOGY
Facilitators: P Fernandez (South Africa), M Jalloh (Senegal), D Ramogola-Masire (Botswana)

MR4

LIGHTNING TALKS 2: HIV-RELATED CANCERS; SITE-SPECIFIC CANCERS
Facilitators: D Awolude (Nigeria), N Ndlovu (Zimbabwe)

Programme
M Ezi (Kenya) | Tumour boards in Africa: an experience of an academic centre in Kenya
S Ka (Senegal) | Surgical oncology in tumour boards in Africa: our experience in Senegal
K Hopkins (Austria) and N Ndlovu (Zimbabwe) | Virtual tumour boards in Africa: an emerging vital tool
V Vanderpuye (Ghana) | Continent of the Digital Skip: My WhatsApp tumour board
M Kitonyi (Tanzania) | Tumour boards in Africa: Trainee perspectives

Discussion
Programme
R Saids (South Africa) | Advancing Global Oncology by African women
E Baker (United States) | Advancing Global Oncology by African women
ZS Bagudu (Nigeria) | Advancing Global Oncology by African women

Programme
R Siebert (Germany) | DNA methylation profiling reveals epidemiological variants of Burkitt Lymphoma
M Gouveia (United States) | Genetic susceptibility to Burkitt Lymphoma: exome sequencing of endemic, familial, and sporadic Burkitt Lymphoma
N Dzahal (Malawi) | Pathways to Cure: Strategies to Increase Intensity for Children with Burkitt Lymphoma in Sub-Saharan Africa
S Gopal (Malawi) | Burkitt lymphoma in adolescents and adults
L Leoncini (Italy) | The tumor micro environment in Burkitt Lymphoma: relation to EBV latency program, progression of disease and prognosis

Programme
Ngie (Gambia) | CLINICAL MANIFESTATION, STAGING AND PROGNOSIS OF HEPATOCELLULAR CARCINOMA IN GAMBIAN PATIENTS
N Kisulu (Kenya) | TRENDS AND INCIDENCE OF MALE BREAST CANCER IN MOI TEACHING AND REFERRAL HOSPITAL, ELDORET-KENYA. JAN 1997-DEC 2017
D Menya (Kenya) | DENTAL FLUOROSIS, ORAL HEALTH AND RISK OF OESOPHAGEAL CANCER IN KENYA: A CASE-CONTROL STUDY
T Minas (United States) | DISTINCT CIRCULATING IMMUNO-ONCOLOGICAL MARKERS IN MEN OF AFRICAN DESCENT
T Nloedibe (Botswana) | SOLAR EXPOSURE, HIV, AND RISK OF MELANOMA IN BOTSWANA: A CASE-CONTROL STUDY
G Glorunfemi (South Africa) | SOCIO-DEMOGRAPHIC DETERMINANTS OF MORTALITY FROM BREAST, CERVICAL AND OVARIAN CANCER IN SOUTH AFRICA
S Peprah (United States) | RISK FACTORS FOR BURKITTS LYMPHOMA IN THE EPIDEMIOLOGY OF BURKITTS LYMPHOMA IN EAST-AFRICAN CHILDREN AND MINORS (EMBLEM) CASE-CONTROL STUDY IN UGANDA, KENYA, AND TANZANIA

Programme
C Campbell (United Kingdom) | USE OF THERMAL ABLATION WITHIN A ‘SCREEN AND TREAT’ CERVICAL CANCER SCREENING SERVICE IN MALAWI - OUTCOMES AT ONE YEAR, CLIENT EXPERIENCE AND PROFESSIONAL PERSPECTIVES
TG Dhokotera (South Africa) | SECOND PRIMARY CANCERS AMONGST HIV POSITIVE AND NEGATIVE CANCER PATIENTS IN SOUTH AFRICA, 2004-2014
M Dykstra (United States) | THE ASSOCIATION BETWEEN HIV AND CHANGE IN QUALITY OF LIFE AMONG WOMEN SURVIVING BREAST CANCER
N Mugisha (Uganda) | HUMAN PAPILLOMA VIRUS TYPES AND LINEAGES IN UGANDA CERVICAL CARCINOMA PATIENTS
G Murenzi (Rwanda) | RELATIVE CLINICAL PERFORMANCE OF CERVICAL CANCER SCREENING AND TRIAGE TESTS IN RWANDAN WOMEN LIVING WITH HIV
E Seremba (Uganda) | PREDICTORS OF IMMUNORESPONSE OF HIV-INFECTED ADULTS IN UGANDA TO THE HEPATITIS B VACCINE
A Towlerton (United States) | DISSECTION OF THE KAPOSI SARCOMA TUMOUR MICROENVIRONMENT AT THE SINGLE CELL LEVEL
S de Sanjose (United States) | HPV SELF-SAMPLING AS A PRIMARY CERVICAL CANCER SCREENING STRATEGY: LESSONS FROM CENTRAL AMERICAN PUBLIC HEALTH SYSTEMS
I Nkele (Botswana) | HIV, SMOKING AND RISK OF HEAD AND NECK CARCINOMA IN BOTSWANA: A CASE-CONTROL STUDY
L Schnipper (United States) | HR-HPV SUBTYPE PREVALENCE IN RURAL ZIMBABWE IN HIV-POSITIVE AND HIV-NEGATIVE WOMEN
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THE BENCHMARK FOR CANCER REGISTRIES IN AFRICA
Facilitators: F Bray (France), E Chokunonga (Zimbabwe), M Parkin (United Kingdom)

E. Singh (South Africa) | Cancer in sub-Saharan Africa Volume III
E. Jedy-Agba (Nigeria) | Trends in cancer of the cervix in sub-Saharan Africa
M. Sengayi (South Africa) | Survival from cancer of the cervix in sub-Saharan Africa
Y. Joko (Cameroon) | Treatment and outcome for breast cancer in sub-Saharan Africa
E. Chokunonga (Zimbabwe) | Staging with Essential TNM in African registries
L. Hämmerli (Germany) | Cancers attributable to infections in Africa
C. Ingabire (Rwanda) | The development of childhood cancer registries in Africa

20 BEST OF THE BEST - PART 1
Facilitators: D Abuidris (Sudan), L Muchiri (Kenya), T Ngoma (Tanzania), W Ngwa (United States)

C. Selemane (Mozambique) | FORMAÇÃO EM ONCOLOGIA NOS PALOPS: UM PROGRAMA DE AÇÃO
D. Lounsbury (United States) | SIMULATION-SUPPORTED RESEARCH DESIGN: A SYSTEM DYNAMICS APPROACH TO PLANNING AND IMPLEMENTING A PAN-AFRICAN STUDY OF PROSTATE CANCER SURVIVAL
M. Giattas (Tanzania) | SCREEN AND TREAT: REACHING WOMEN WITH SUSTAINABLE CERVICAL CANCER PREVENTION SERVICES IN TANZANIA
K. Mossanda (Canada) | REVERSE PHARMACOLOGY APPROACH FOR ANTI-CANCER DRUG DEVELOPMENT FROM AFRICAN MEDICINAL PLANTS
M. Painschab (United States) | PROSPECTIVE STUDY OF BURKITT LYMPHOMA TREATMENT IN ADOLESCENTS AND ADULTS IN MALAWI
W. Phipps (United States) | SINGLE CELL EVALUATION OF KAPOSI SARCOMA TUMOURS REVEALS COMPLEX IMMUNE INFILTRATE
A. Semeere (Uganda) | TOWARDS THE DEVELOPMENT OF A POINT-OF-CARE DIAGNOSTIC TEST FOR CANCER: QUANTIFICATION OF KSHV DNA FOR THE DIAGNOSIS OF KAPOSI SARCOMA IN AFRICA
P. Shindiapina (United States) | EVALUATION OF IMMUNE RECOVERY FOLLOWING AUTOLOGOUS HEMATOPOIETIC STEM CELL TRANSPLANTATION IN HIV-RELATED LYMPHOMA: RESULTS OF THE BMT CTN 0803/AMC 071 TRIAL
P. Mbengei (Kenya) | NON PROFIT-INDUSTRY PARTNERSHIPS: A MODEL FOR SUSTAINABLE CAPACITY BUILDING IN CANCER CARE IN LOW AND MIDDLE INCOME COUNTRIES
A. Denburg (Canada) | POLITICAL PRIORITY AND PATHWAYS TO SCALE-UP OF CHILDHOOD CANCER CARE IN FIVE NATIONS

16:30 - 17:00 | AORTIC MEMBERS TEA
PLENARY VENUE - 17:00 - 18:00 | AORTIC GENERAL ASSEMBLY

19:30 | DOCUMENTARY NIGHT at Radisson Blu Maputo: No Evidence of Disease
DAY 3 | THURSDAY, 7 NOVEMBER

07:00 - 17:30 | REGISTRATION

07:15 - 08:20 | ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSION / EXPERT PANEL

GROWING YOUR CAREER IN AFRICA: THE OPPORTUNITIES AND INNOVATIVE STRATEGIES FOR OVERCOMING THE LIMITATIONS
Facilitators: L Hessissen (Morocco), A Figaji (South Africa)

PROGRAMME
Z Mohamed (South Africa) | My experiences and innovative strategies employed for success in Africa as a Researcher

10:00 - 10:30 | REFRESHMENT BREAK AND EXHIBITION

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PLENARY

GLOBAL ONCOLOGY
Facilitators: DC Stefan (South Africa)

PROGRAMME
N Kozlakidis (France) | Discussion on specimen repositories and biobanking

CANCER IN FRANCOPHONE AFRICA: GROWING YOUR CAREER IN AFRICA: THE TOOLKIT FOR MANAGING ADOLESCENTS IN BREAST CANCER MOLECULAR PROFILING AND MR2

EXPERT PANEL - ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSION
Facilitators: Z Ali (Kenya), G Rodin (Canada)

PROGRAMME
Z Ali (Kenya) | Session introduction

A Tutorials on voice and communication: the impact of clinical oncology programmes in Africa
Facilitators: A Adeniji Sofoluwe (Nigeria), A Figaji (South Africa)

PROGRAMME
A Adeniji Sofoluwe (Nigeria) | My experiences and innovative strategies employed for success in Africa as an Industry oncologist

A Toolset for managing adolescents in cancer
Facilitators: L Hessissen (Morocco)

PROGRAMME
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PLENARY

BREAST CANCER MOLECULAR PROFILING AND ITS PRACTICABILITY FOR AFRICA
Facilitators: S Mwanzi (Kenya), O Balogun (United States)

PROGRAMME
S Sayed (Kenya) | Tumour infiltrating lymphocytes in molecular subtypes of breast cancer

HUMAN RIGHTS AND CANCER
Facilitator: K Asante (South Africa), J Torode (Switzerland)

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S Sayed (Kenya) | Tumour infiltrating lymphocytes in molecular subtypes of breast cancer

CNS TUMOURS
Facilitators: J Balogun (Nigeria), A Figaji (South Africa), F Phipps (United States)

PROGRAMME
A Adeniji Sofoluwe (Nigeria) | My experiences and innovative strategies employed for success in Africa as a Clinician

CANCER IN FRANCOPHONE AFRICA: INNOVATION, STRATEGIES, IMPLEMENTATION
Facilitators: J Didi-Kouko Coulibaly (Ivory Coast), L Soanes (United Kingdom)

PROGRAMME
A Kinyanjui (Kenya) | Challenges in communicating end of life care with patients and families: an African perspective

10:00 - 10:30 | REFRESHMENT BREAK AND EXHIBITION

10:30 - 11:30 | MORNING HOUR

PLENARY

GROWING YOUR CAREER IN AFRICA: THE OPPORTUNITIES AND INNOVATIVE STRATEGIES FOR OVERCOMING THE LIMITATIONS
Facilitators: N Ndlovu (Zimbabwe), M Radebe (South Africa), F Rubagumya (Rwanda)

PROGRAMME
A Kinyanjui (Kenya) | Challenges in communicating end of life care with patients and families: an African perspective

A Toolset for managing adolescents in cancer
Facilitators: L Hessissen (Morocco)

PROGRAMME
A Kinyanjui (Kenya) | Challenges in communicating end of life care with patients and families: an African perspective

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MR1 | HEAD AND NECK TUMOURS
Facilitators: H Ayettey (Ghana), B Beadle (United States), H Simonds (South Africa)

Programme
B Beadle (United States) | Radiotherapy advances in head and neck cancer
N Sharma (United Kingdom) | Setting up an international collaboration to improve cancer outcomes: the ICOnIC Collaborative
R Mugabo (Rwanda) | Head and neck surgery: success in a low resource setting
L Muchiri (Kenya) | Pathology: common subtypes in Africa

MR2 | TIMELY DIAGNOSIS OF SYMPTOMATIC CANCER: THE AWACAN STUDY
Facilitators: J Moodley (South Africa), A Mwaka (Uganda), F Walter (United Kingdom)
Sponsored by AWACAN

Programme
FM Walter (United Kingdom) | Introduction
J Moodley (South Africa) | Development and validation of the breast and cervical AWACAN tool
J Moodley (South Africa) | Breast and cervical cancer symptom and risk factor awareness, help-seeking behaviour and barriers to seeking care in South Africa and Uganda
AM Mwaka (Uganda) | Women’s appraisal of potential breast and cervical cancer symptoms
FM Walter (United Kingdom) | Using lessons from the United Kingdom to develop and implement public health and primary care interventions to promote timely presentation with possible cancer symptoms in low and middle-income countries

MR3 | EXPANDING ACCESS TO HIGH QUALITY CANCER CARE IN AFRICA
Facilitators: J-M Valentim (Switzerland)
Sponsored by Varian

Programme
V Ronfle (France) | Radiotherapy solutions for Africa
T Clark (United Kingdom) | Varian technology solutions for advanced cancer care
H Burger (South Africa) | Halcyon implementation and first user experience
Q&A
J-M Valentim (Switzerland) | Closing remarks

MR4 | LIGHTNING TALKS 5: PAEDIATRIC ONCOLOGY; PALLIATIVE-CARE | PSYCHO-ONCOLOGY
Facilitators: C Asuzu (Nigeria), M Mwachiro (Kenya)

Programme
R Boateng (Canada) | ACCESS TO WHO ESSENTIAL MEDICINES FOR CHILDHOOD CANCER CARE IN GHANA: A HEALTH SYSTEM ANALYSIS OF BARRIERS AND ENABLERS
A Dumas (France) | HEALTH BEHAVIOURS AND THEIR DETERMINANTS AMONG ADULT SURVIVORS OF CHILDHOOD CANCER
S Mukkada (United States) | DEVELOPMENT OF A FEVER MANAGEMENT ALGORITHM FOR PAEDIATRIC ONCOLOGY PATIENTS IN A LOW-INCOME AFRICAN SETTING
P Insua | RADICAL HYSSTERECTOMY FOR OPERABLE EARLY CERVICAL CANCER IN HIV POSITIVE AND HIV NEGATIVE WOMEN IN WESTERN KENYA
C Smith-Togobo (Ghana) | HIGH FREQUENCIES OF TUMOUR-INFILTRATING AND CIRCULATING Vδ1+ ΓΔ T CELLS IN ENDEMIC BURKITT LYMPHOMA PATIENTS
G Eke (Nigeria) | EXPERIENCE OF PARENTS WITH TREATMENT OF CHILDHOOD CANCER IN SOUTHERN NIGERIA
N Germans (Uganda) | EXPLORING EXPERIENCES OF WOMEN LIVING WITH ADVANCED CERVICAL CANCER
G Omulogoli (Kenya) | IMPROVING THE CANCER PATIENT EXPERIENCE IN KENYA: COMPARISON OF FOLLOW-UP AND BASELINE DATA FROM KENYATTA NATIONAL HOSPITAL’S PATIENT NAVIGATION PROGRAM
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T Onyeka (Nigeria) | ENHANCING PALLIATIVE CARE IN ENUGU, NIGERIA: USE OF AN APP FOR SYMPTOM MANAGEMENT
M Chaila (Zambia) | POLICY DEVELOPMENT FOR UNIVERSAL HEALTH COVERAGE IN CANCER & PALLIATIVE CARE: LESSONS FROM ZAMBIA
**Programme**

V. Moyo (United States) | Pre-clinical development of Leaf-1401 and the Leaf-1700 series: A novel class of potent nanouposomal polyglutamated antimitabolites

R. Said (South Africa) | Selecting HPV genotypes to optimize performance of genexpert and linear array in South Africa

K. Abdella (Ethiopia) | Expansion of breast cancer treatment to six regional hospitals in Ethiopia: Effect on patient numbers and waiting period to initiate chemotherapy

J. Bore (Kenya) | Strengthening post chemotherapy patient follow-up using unstructured supplementary service data (USSD) in resource-limited setting.

S. Sabahi (Nigeria) | Malignant testicular tumours in Sokoto, North-Western, Nigeria: Analysis of 12 cases

T. Maniragaba (Tanzania) | Neutropenia in breast cancer patients on chemotherapy in Tanzania.

A. Oyekunle (Botswana) | Design and implementation of a spreadsheet-based clinical decision support system for busy chemotherapy clinics in a resource-limited setting.

B. Gulelat (Ethiopia) | Impact of global partnership on surgical care for patients with cervical cancer in Ethiopia

O. I. Alatise (Nigeria) | Clinicopathologic comparison of Nigerian and South African colorectal cancer patients

D. Abudris (Sudan) | Patient's characteristics and cytochrome P4501A1 genetic polymorphism and breast cancer risk in Sudanese women

**Programme**

N. Dharsee (Tanzania) | Needs assessment for developing survivorship services for breast cancer survivors in Tanzania and Ghana

A. Asomand (United States) | Feasibility of endoscopic retrograde cholangiopancreatoigraphy for management of malignant biliary obstruction in Nigeria: A specialized intervention in resource limited setting, our 1-year experience.

R. Bhatia (United States) | Radiation therapy current practice capacity and needs assessment in Africa: AORTI 2017 survey results

M. Cira (United States) | Global oncology research and training collaborations in the Africa region: Results from the 2018 U.S. National Cancer Institute (NCI)/American Society of Clinical Oncology Global Oncology survey of U.S. NCI designated cancer centers

S. Donaldson (Switzerland) | Strengthening the health workforce in Africa through fellowships to advance cancer control

J. Fokom Domgue (Cameroon) | Connecting frontline cervical cancer prevention providers in Cameroon with distant experts to improve patient care through ECHO: A telementoring program

M. Ogun (Nigeria) | Prospects of an educational intervention to improve knowledge of breast cancer and breast self-examination among female secondary school students in Oyo State Nigeria

N. Tapela (Botswana) | Improved time to treatment and cancer stage with provider education and care navigation: Results from the controlled, non-randomized prospective Potlako pilot in rural Botswana

N. Kugbey (Ghana) | Shared decision making and health outcomes among breast cancer patients in Ghana: implications for communication in oncology practice

**Programme**

K. Schmeler (United States) | The IGCS global curriculum for gynaecologic oncology training

M. Sidat (Mozambique) | Preparing future medical doctors to care for oncological patients: the role of medical schools

M. Saide (Mozambique) | The Maputo Central Hospital: capacity build in oncology

S. Sayed (Kenya) | Improving anatomic pathology in Sub-Saharan Africa to support cancer care: the experience of Kenya workshops

A. Jhinhran (United States) | A training program for clinical oncology in Zambia

E. Baker (United States) | Project ECHO for cancer prevention and treatment in Africa

**Programme**

M. Adyl (Morocco) | The need for Gammaknife radiosurgery in Africa: common indications and outcomes

B. Taş (Turkey) | Clinical experience by using Elekta

B. Taş (Turkey) | Precision radiation medicine by Elekta MR-Linac

M. T. Mors (The Netherlands) | Elekta's vision on the role of brachytherapy to serve cancer patients
### MR3

**Facilitator:**
- ROCHE

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**Programme**
- RI van Eeden (South Africa) | Cancer immunotherapy: Development, efficacy and safety
- M Brandão (Belgium) | Clinical decision making: Diagnostics and patient selection for cancer immunotherapy
- NM Homian, (Cote d’Ivoire) | Discussion on addressing the burden of cancers in Sub-Saharan Africa through public-private partnerships
- L Dsane-Selby (Ghana) | Discussion on addressing the burden of cancers in Sub-Saharan Africa through public-private partnerships
- F Miguel (Angola) | Discussion on addressing the burden of cancers in Sub-Saharan Africa through public-private partnerships
- C Ngoh (Kenya) | Discussion on addressing the burden of cancers in Sub-Saharan Africa through public-private partnerships

### MR4

**Facilitators:**
- J Didi-Kouko Coulibaly (Ivory Coast), N Masalu (Tanzania), H Simonds (South Africa)

**Programme**
- G Demetriou (South Africa) | Review of state of the art in targeted agents
- SC Msadabwe (Zambia) | Systemic therapy in gynaecology malignancies
- N Othieno-Abinya (Kenya) | Lymphoma management in East Africa
- B Gyawali (United States) | Cost-effective chemotherapy use in a low resource setting
- D Amadori (Italy) | Evolution of medical treatment in cancer: from chemotherapy to immune checkpoints inhibitors

**16:30 - 18:00** | POSTER SESSION TWO

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### Roundtable Discussion
**NCCP STATUS AND EXAMPLES TO BE LEARNT**
Facilitators: A Ilbowi (Switzerland), C Lorenzoni (Mozambique), T Romero (Switzerland)
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#### Programme
- Tsambem (Mozambique): Lessons learned in developing palliative care in a rural setting
- L Raadit (South Africa): Caring for carers
- L Kimani (Kenya): Psychological and emotional needs of cancer patients
- M Rathikana-Moloko (South Africa): Spirituality, pain and quality of life among cancer patients
- C Blanchard (South Africa): Factors associated with place of death of patients with advanced cancer
- J Elias (Kenya): Intergating palliative care into primary care

### Roundtable Discussion
**SURVIVORSHIP AND QUALITY OF LIFE ISSUES**
Facilitators: K Asante (South Africa)

#### Programme
- Salomao (Mozambique): A broad overview of survival and survivorship: what does it mean to be a "cancer survivor" in Africa
- Asante (South Africa): Quality of life issues: living with long term adverse effects and the impacts of cancer financial toxicity
- B Kithaka (Kenya): African cancer caregiving challenges and opportunities, and new global discussions on the needs of cancer survivors
- V G Salomo (Ghana): Familial breast cancer and the value of peer navigators in the context of cancer care

### Roundtable Discussion
**The Need for Surgical Oncology in Africa and Suggested Modules**
Facilitators: J Adewole (Nigeria), S Gueye (Senegal), B Leith (Nigeria), S Osehinde (Nigeria)

#### Programme
- Salama (Mozambique): Discussion around the models of running surgical oncology throughout Africa
- Francis (United States): Discussion around the models of running surgical oncology throughout Africa
- Gueye (Senegal): Discussion around the models of running surgical oncology throughout Africa
- Mutebi (Kenya): Discussion around the models of running surgical oncology throughout Africa
- Osehinde (Nigeria): Discussion around the models of running surgical oncology throughout Africa

### Expert Panel - MR1
**FURTHER EDUCATION IN AFRICA**
Facilitators: C Stefan (South Africa)

#### Programme
- Stefan (South Africa): Need for further management education for leaders in Africa
- Geraghty (United States): The value of mentorship

### Expert Panel - MR2
**BASIC SCIENCE RESEARCH IN AFRICA**
Facilitators: S Mohammed (United States)

#### Programme
- Lyn-Cook (United States): Discussion on basic science research in Africa
- Hammons (United States): Discussion on basic science research in Africa
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### PLENARY
**NCCP STATUS AND EXAMPLES TO BE LEARNT FROM SUCCESSFUL PLANS IN AFRICA**
Facilitators: A Ilbowi (Switzerland), C Lorenzoni (Mozambique), T Romero (Switzerland)
Sponsored by NCI

#### Programme
- Barango (Zimbabwe): The role of WHO in providing technical assistance for the development of National Cancer Control Plans
- M Manjari (Mozambique): NCCP in Mozambique and implementation of cervical screening programme
- Lishimi (Zambia): Status of NCCP in Zambia with radiotherapy as the entry point
- Keita (Guinea): The success story of NCCP in Guinea
- Ngoma (Tanzania): NCCP status in Tanzania: examples to be learnt

### MR1
**REFLECTION ON THE ACCOMPLISHMENTS AND FUTURE OF BIG CAT INITIATIVE**
Facilitator: J Alaro (United States)
Sponsored by NCI

#### Programme
- Alaro (United States): BIG Cat evaluation results
- Mutyaba (Uganda): Presentation by previous awardee on BIG Cat accomplishments
- Fernandez (South Africa): Presentation by previous awardee on BIG Cat accomplishments
- Asuzu (Nigeria): Presentation by previous awardee on BIG Cat accomplishments
- B Miller (United States) and Tim Rebbeck (United States): BIG Cat 2.0, the future

### MR2
**IMPROVING SAFE HANDLING AND ADMINISTRATION OF CHEMOTHERAPY**
Facilitators: M O’Brien (United States)
Sponsored by American Cancer Society

#### Programme
- Kintu (Uganda): Safe handling of chemotherapy in Africa
- Wegsa (Ethiopia): Incorporating safe handling of chemotherapy into national guidelines and policies
- Mabili (Zambia): Strengthening cancer treatment facilities to improve safe handling of cytotoxic medicines
- Wuri (Kenya): Healthworker training and education to improve occupational safety in cancer treatment centers
- Bechawa (Ethiopia): Improving access to essential personal protective equipment

### MR3
**DEBATES ON OVARIAN CANCER IN AFRICA**
Facilitators: G Dreyer (South Africa), H Simonds (South Africa)
Sponsored by SASGO

#### Programme
- Dreyer (South Africa): Welcome and introduction
- Bazzett-Matebele (Rwanda): Cytoreduction surgery is feasible and beneficial in resource limited settings
- Botha (South Africa): Cytoreduction surgery is NOT feasible and beneficial where resources are limited
- Schmeler (USA): Histology before chemotherapy in ovarian carcinoma: PRO
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PLENARY | THE REAL WORLD IMPACT OF LOCAL POSTGRADUATE ONCOLOGY TRAINING | S Berry (Canada), N Dharsee (Tanzania), N Hamad (Canada) | N Hamad (Canada) and S Berry (Canada) | Principles of program evaluation |
|         |       |              | K Hamad (Sudan) | Overview of current efforts in program evaluation: Sudan clinical oncology training program |
|         |       |              | N Dharsee (Tanzania) | Overview of current efforts in program evaluation: Tanzania clinical oncology training program |
|         |       |              | N Othieno-Abinya (Kenya) | Overview of current efforts in program evaluation: Kenya clinical oncology training program |
MR1 | EXPLORING THE ROLE OF CIVIL SOCIETY IN ADDRESSING THE GROWING CANCER BURDEN  
Facilitators: K McComb (United States)  
Sponsored by American Cancer Society

Programme  
K McComb (United States) | Welcome and Introduction  
R Wender (United States) | Opening Remarks  
Z Bernacca (Uganda) | Panel Discussion  
S Guma (Uganda) | Panel Discussion  
J Orem (Uganda) | Panel Discussion  
J Kilonzo (Kenya) | Panel Discussion  
C Wachira (Kenya) | Panel Discussion  
G Omulogoli (Kenya) | Panel Discussion

Mr2 | THE ROLE OF PATHOLOGY IN CANCER DIAGNOSIS AND CONTROL IN AFRICA: OPPORTUNITIES AND CHALLENGES  
Facilitators: J-M Kabongo-Mpolesha (DR Congo), O Ogunbiyi (Nigeria)

Programme  
A Adesina (United States) | Comprehensive cancer diagnostics, the ultimate challenge of the pathologist  
M Diomande (Ivory Coast) | Cancer management challenges for the Pathologist in sub-Saharan Africa

Mr3 | LIGHTNING TALKS 7: REGISTRIES | ECONOMICS | NCCP; OTHER  
Facilitators: E Chakunanga (Zimbabwe), AM Nyakabau (Zimbabwe), OI Alatise (Nigeria), N Tapela (Botswana)

Programme  
P Boyle (France) | THE AFRICAN CODE AGAINST CANCER: THE BEACON FOR CANCER PREVENTION IN AFRICA  
A Korir (Kenya) | UTILITY OF CANCER REGISTRY DATA IN INFORMING CANCER CONTROL INTERVENTIONS: THE MERU COUNTY BLUEPRINT FOR SUCCESS PROGRAM  
M Little (South Africa) | THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN TOBACCO TAXES AND ILLICIT TOBACCO TRADE IN DEVELOPING COUNTRIES  
L Maille (United States) | CANGEO: AN OPEN SOURCE TOOL FOR MEASURING ACCESS TO CANCER CARE  
E Odoyo (Kenya) | PUBLIC PRIVATE PARTNERSHIPS FOR INTEGRATED APPROACH TO NON - COMMUNICABLE DISEASES IN SUB-SAHARAN AFRICA: A CASE OF BLUEPRINT FOR SUCCESS PROJECT – MERU COUNTY, KENYA  
R Oyesegun (Nigeria) | ACCESS TO CARE AND FINANCIAL BURDEN FOR PATIENTS WITH BREAST CANCER IN GHANA, KENYA, AND NIGERIA  
K Brignole (United States) | DRIVING THE UPTAKE OF HPV VACCINATION AS CERVICAL CANCER PREVENTION THROUGH INNOVATIVE INTERVENTIONS AND PARTNERSHIPS  
M Lubwama (Uganda) | MULTIDRUG RESISTANT BACTERIA ARE COMMON CAUSE OF NEUTROPENIC FEVER AND INCREASE MORTALITY AMONG PATIENTS WITH HEMATOLOGIC MALIGNANCIES IN UGANDA  
P Mlaba (South Africa) | THE SOCIAL BURDEN AND EXPERIENCES OF FAMILIES CARING FOR MEMBERS LIVING WITH CANCER IN KWAZULU-NATAL, SOUTH AFRICA  
S Gopal (Malawi) | RITUXIMAB FOR DIFFUSE LARGE B-CELL LYMPHOMA IN MALAWI: PRELIMINARY RESULTS FROM A PHASE 2 CLINICAL TRIAL

Mr4 | LIGHTNING TALKS 8: BIOMEDICAL ENGINEERING; RADIATION ONCOLOGY | MEDICAL PHYSICS | RADIOLOGY  
Facilitators: S Avery (United States), L Incrocci (The Netherlands), K Lishimpi (Zambia), M Obajimi (Nigeria)

Programme  
R deBoer (United States) | EXPERIENCE AND VIEWS OF PROVIDERS AND PROGRAM LEADERS ENGAGED IN RADIOTHERAPY ALLOCATION AT BUTARO HOSPITAL IN RWANDA  
O Balogun (United States) | DEVELOPMENT AND IMPLEMENTATION OF A TELEMEDICINE PLATFORM BASED ON WAIDX FOR RADIATION ONCOLOGY TRAINING AND PEER REVIEW  
A Donkor (Australia) | EXPERIENCES OF BARRIERS AND FACILITATORS TO ESTABLISHING AND SUSTAINING RADIOTHERAPY SERVICES IN LOW- AND MIDDLE-INCOME COUNTRIES: A QUALITATIVE STUDY  
J Einck (United States) | SAFETY AND FEASIBILITY OF A PRAGMATIC PRE-PLANNED, HYPOFRACTIONATED HIGH DOSE RATE BRACHYTHERAPY APPROACH TO CARCINOMA OF THE CERVIX IN SENEGAL  
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