



3rd Human Challenge Trials in Vaccine Development

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AGENDA – FEBRUARY 3, 2020

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THURSDAY FEBRUARY 6th

- 08:00 Registration
- 8:30 Introduction
Andrew POLLARD, co-Chair Scientific Committee; University of Oxford, United Kingdom
Robert SAUERWEIN, Radboud University Medical Center, Nijmegen, The Netherlands
Pieter NEELS, Chair Human Vaccine Committee, International Alliance for Biological Standardization (IABS)

Session 1 - The Role of Challenge Models

Chairs: Andrew POLLARD, University of Oxford, United Kingdom

- 09:00 Overview: What is the role of challenge studies?
Myron LEVINE, University of Maryland School of Medicine, U.S.A. –
- 09:15 Case study: Group A Streptococcus
Joshua OSOWICKI, University of Melbourne, Australia
- 09:30 The Role of Challenge Models: case study on Typhoid/Paratyphoid
Andrew POLLARD, University of Oxford, United Kingdom
- 09:45 Case study: RSV
Andrew CATCHPOLE, hVIVO, United Kingdom
- 10:00 Development, use and refinement of Shigella controlled human infections
Chad PORTER, Naval Medical Research Center, Maryland, U.S.A.
- 10:15 Discussion
Lynda STUART, Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation, U.S.A.
- 10:40 Coffee break

Session 2 - Regulation – GMP and the Trial Challenge

Chairs: Pieter NEELS, Chair Human Vaccine Committee, International Alliance for Biological Standardization (IABS)

- 11:10 European survey of regulation
Nele BERTHELS, Federal Agency for Medicines and Health Products (FAMHP), Belgium
- 11:25 Global variation in regulation
Pieter NEELS, Chair Human Vaccine Committee, International Alliance for Biological Standardization (IABS)
- 11:40 GMP and the Challenge Agent: Leishmaniasis
Paul KAYE, University of York, United Kingdom
- 11:55 Case study: Malaria
Robert SAUERWEIN, Radboud University Medical Center, Nijmegen, The Netherlands
- 12:10 Discussion
- 12:25 Lunch

Session 3 - Ethics

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Chairs: Robert SAUERWEIN, Radboud University Medical Center, Nijmegen, The Netherlands

- 13:45 Philosophical perspective for HIC and LMIC
Michael SELGELID, Monash University, Australia
- 14:00 Controlled infection studies: ethical issues and LMICs
Susan BULL; Michael PARKER, University of Oxford, United Kingdom

- 14:15 Guidelines for ethics committees in HIC
Hugh DAVIES, University of Oxford, United Kingdom
- 14:30 WHO Roadmap to ethics
Katherine LITTLER, World Health Organization (WHO), Switzerland
- 14:45 Experimental human gonococcal infection: Advances and challenges
Marcia HOBBS, University of North Carolina, U.S.A.
- 15:00 Ethics Case Study: Dengue
Anna DURBIN, Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health, U.S.A.
- 15:15 Case study: Schistosomiasis
Meta ROESTENBERG, Leiden University Medical Center, The Netherlands
- 15:30 Discussion
Led by Simon KOLSTOE, University of Portsmouth, United Kingdom
- 15:50 Tea break

Session 4 – Children

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Chairs: Claudia EMERSON, McMaster University, Canada

- 16:15 Human challenge models in Paediatric populations
Kate EMARY, University of Oxford, United Kingdom
- 16:30 Philosophy & ethics of challenging children
Claudia EMERSON, McMaster University, Canada
- 16:45 Regulatory perspective
Dominique PLOIN, Hospices Civils de Lyon, France
- 17:00 Discussion
- 17:25 Summary of the day
Chairs
- 17:30 hVIVO - Regulatory guidance for challenge agents
Alex MANN, hVIVO, United Kingdom
- 17:45 Networking Reception

FRIDAY FEBRUARY 7th

- 07:30 Registration

Session 5 – Threat to the Community and Environmental Safety Session

Chairs: Adrian WILDFIRE, SGS Life Sciences, Belgium

- 08:30 Challenges in safety of enteric challenge in Asia
Cherry KANG, Christian Medical College, Vellore, India
- 08:45 Containment of respiratory viruses: a case study of unexpected HPIV infection during an A/Belgium/4217/2015 [H3N2] influenza challenge study
Adrian WILDFIRE, SGS Life Sciences, Belgium
- 09:00 Case study: Norovirus
Robert FRENCK, University of Cincinnati, U.S.A.
- 09:15 Discussion

Session 6 – Recruitment, Engagement, Advertising and Incentive

Chairs: Helen McShane, University of Oxford, United Kingdom

- 09:55 Attitudes towards payment and payment practices in controlled human infection model (CHIM) research
Olivia GRIMWADE, University of Oxford, United Kingdom
- 10:10 Factors influencing participation in controlled human infection models: a pooled analysis from six enteric fever studies
Blanché OGUTI, University of Oxford, United Kingdom
- 10:25 Coffee break
- 10:55 Community and public engagement for challenge studies in Kenya: Stakeholders, strategies, ethical issues and lessons learnt
Primus CHI, KEMRI Wellcome Trust Research Programme, Kenya
- 11:10 Case study: Influenza; impact of pre-existing immunity on study end points
Roma CHILENGI, Center for Infectious Disease Research, Zambia
Cherry KANG, Christian Medical College, Vellore, India
- 11:25 Discussion

Session 7 – Pre-existing Immunity

Chairs: Peter OPENSHAW, Imperial College of London, United Kingdom

- 11:50 Where should we go for our challenge studies?
Shobana BALASINGAM, Wellcome Trust, United Kingdom
- 12:05 A Controlled Human Malaria Infection study to examine naturally-acquired immunity
CHMI – SIKA Study Team
Philip BEJON, KEMRI Wellcome Trust Research Programme, Kenya
- 12:20 Pre-existing immunity case study: Zika virus
Anna DURBIN, Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health, U.S.A.
- 12:35 Discussion
- 13:00 Lunch
- 13:00 The Global Health Network – An Introduction to the knowledge sharing hub for human
infection studies
13:20 Trudie LANG, TGHN, University of Oxford, United Kingdom

Session 8 – Clinical, Immunological, and Microbiological Endpoints

Chairs: Anna DURBIN, Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health, U.S.A.

Paul KAYE, University of York, United Kingdom

- 14:00 Immunological endpoints in challenge studies
Helen McShane, University of Oxford, United Kingdom
- 14:15 Case study: RSV immunity and human challenge
Peter OPENSHAW, Imperial College of London, United Kingdom
- 14:30 Microbiological endpoints for a Group B Streptococcal human challenge model
Kirsty E.K MEHRING-LE DOARE, St. George's, University of London and
MRC/UVRI @LSHTM, Uganda
- 14:45 Case study: Influenza; impact of pre-existing immunity on study end points
Rebecca COX, University of Bergen, Norway
- 15:00 Case study: Malaria
Robert SAUERWEIN, Radboud University Medical Center, Nijmegen, The Netherlands
- 15:15 Discussion

Session 9 – What is the future

Chairs: Andrew Pollard, co-Chair Scientific Committee; University of Oxford, United Kingdom

Robert Sauerwein, co-Chair Scientific Committee, Radboud University Medical Center, Nijmegen

Pieter Neels, Chair Human Vaccine Committee, International Alliance for Biological Standardization (IABS)

- 15:40 Summing up – Funding challenges**
 Wellcome Trust, United Kingdom
- 15:40 Summing up – Ethical and regulatory challenges**
 Pieter Neels, Chair Human Vaccine Committee, International Alliance for Biological
 Standardization (IABS)
- 15:50 Final word**
 Chairs
- 16:00 Close**