

18-19 November | Virtual  
22 November | Milan



# EUROPEAN PHARMACOVIGILANCE CONGRESS 2024

The **European Pharmacovigilance Congress**, organized by **Pharma Education Center**, is recognized as one of the most important and appreciated **global pharmacovigilance conferences**.

EUPV congress is proud to have **high quality scientific content** as its main characteristic which has attracted growing interest from speakers, sponsors and **participants from all over the world**.

The EUPV congress gathers **PV professionals** at all career levels, including **key decision makers** (e.g. VPs, Executives and Directors,) interested in the always evolving pharmacovigilance world and its new trends, since they are always looking for new ideas to implement more efficient and effective strategies and tools for their departments.

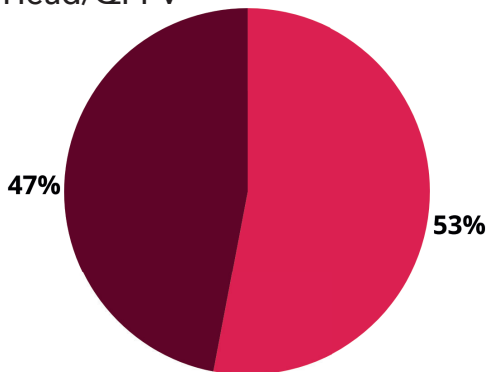
To further improve the value of the congress and continuously make it more and more interesting by bringing new ideas and scientific contents, this year the **Scientific Advisory Group** has been further widened with the addition of new PV key opinion leaders who need no introduction since their knowledge and skills are world class.

EUPV congress is the forum where all **PV stakeholders from all over the world** meet and exchange ideas.

# EUPV Congress 2023 IN NUMBERS

## EUPV 2023 - AUDIENCE

VP/Ceo/Director/  
Head/QPPV



Officer/specialist/  
Manager

380 ATTENDEES representing



120 COMPANIES



5 CONTINENTS



50 COUNTRIES



**Delegates' feedback 2023 edition**

- Extremely knowledgeable speakers and good variety of "topics".
- Very well-organized event. Excellent speakers and vast knowledge sharing forum.
- I loved the panel discussions following presentations, many relevant issues were addressed. One of the best conferences I attended!
- It was superb. Thank you for everything.

# CONFERENCE FORMAT

- 18-19 November | Virtual 9 am - 6 pm
- 21 November | APERITIF TIME, NH Milano Congress Centre 6-9 pm
- 22 November | Face to face, NH Milano Congress Centre 9.30 am - 5 pm

## **APERITIF TIME - November 21 from 6 to 9 pm** **NH Milano Congress Centre**

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### **This year the congress will include:**

- *25 Topics*
- *11 Virtual & face to face parallel sessions*
- *25 Interactives round tables*
- *2 Face to face workshops*
- *2 LECTIO Magistralis*

Our speakers are from: regulatory agencies, international pharmacovigilance organizations, patients' organizations, industry, academia. The intense, scientific interaction between speakers and delegates is a further invaluable plus of the event.

# SCIENTIFIC ADVISORY GROUP



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Deputy Director, Patient Safety  
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**Scott Proestel,**  
Senior Medical Officer | FDA (invited,  
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Health Regulatory Expert, Pharmacovigilance Adviser | Brazilian Health Surveillance Agency (Anvisa)

# AGENDA 18 NOVEMBER

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## SESSION 1 - BIOLOGICAL BASIS OF ADVERSE REACTIONS (WITH FOCUS ON SCARs)

**Arduino Mangoni**, Strategic Professor in Clinical Pharmacology | Flinders University, Senior Consultant in Clinical Pharmacology and General Medicine, Adelaide, Australia

**Chia-Yu Chu**, Prof. Department of Dermatology | National Taiwan University

**Georgios Papazisis**, Professor of Clinical Pharmacology; Medical Director, Clinical Research Unit, School of Medicine | Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Greece

## SESSION 2 - IMMUNOLOGICAL ADVERSE REACTIONS

**Mattia Calissano**, Head of Pharmacovigilance | Orchard Therapeutics

**Anne de Groot**, CEO/CSO and Director | EpiVax

**Amy Rosenberg**, Senior Director and Consultant, Immunology | EpiVax, Inc

## SESSION 3 - PARALLEL - COMMUNICATING SAFETY INFORMATION IN THE DIGITAL ERA (*in progress*)

**Amanda Alexe**, PV Policy and Liaison Lead, QPPV Office | Novartis

## SESSION 4 - SIGNAL DETECTION

**Natsiavas Pantelis**, Researcher (Grade C) | Institute of Applied Biosciences of Centre for Research and Technology Hellas (INAB|CERTH), Thessaloniki, Greece

**Gianluca Trifirò**, Full Professor of Pharmacology - Department of diagnostics and public health | University of Verona

**Vibha Jawa**, Executive Director for Biotherapeutics Bioanalysis in clinical Pharmacology, Pharmacometrics and Bioanalysis (NDB) organization | Bristol Myers Squibb

## SESSION 5 - PARALLEL - TBD

## SESSION 6 - RISK MANAGEMENT

**Robert Massouh**, Head of (PV) Risk Management and Benefit Risk Evaluation | Gsk

**Klaudija Marijanovic Barac**, Sr. Director, EU&UK QPPV deputy, Head Periodic Reports and Risk Management Unit | TEVA

**Giovanna Paolone**, Associate Professor of Pharmacology - Department of diagnostics and public health | University of Verona

## SESSION 7 - PARALLEL - DRUG SAFETY IN MARKETING AUTHORIZATION APPLICATIONS (*in progress*)

**Maria Beatrice Panico**, Principal Consultant | Scendea

## SESSION 8 - LECTIO MAGISTRALIS

**Nicholas Moore**, Emeritus Professor of clinical pharmacology | University of Bordeaux



# AGENDA 19 NOVEMBER

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## SESSION 9 - AUTHORITIES' ASSESSMENT OF PV REPORTS

**John Joseph Borg**, Director Post-Licensing | Malta Medicines Authority

**Roxana Dondera**, Head of Pharmacovigilance and Risk Management Unit | National Agency for Medicine and Medical Devices of Romania

**Sophia Trantza**, Senior pharmacovigilance expert, PRAC member Greece

## SESSION 10 - REAL WORD DATA & REAL WORD EVIDENCE

**Lembit Rago**, Secretary-General | Council for International Organizations of Medical Sciences (CIOMS)

**Željana Margan Koletić**, Senior Manager, Risk Management Plans (RMP) Team Leader | Teva

**Fatema Alqenae**, Pharmacist | University of Manchester - Winner EUPV 2023 Award

## SESSION 11- PARALLEL - EVOLVING LANDSCAPE OF ELECTRONIC SAFETY DATA IN PV *(in progress)*

**Calin Lungu**, DDCS S.A., CEO

## SESSION 12 - MANUFACTURING & PV INTERFACES

**AIFA Representative (tbc)**

**Terenzio Ignoni**, SVP Quality and CMC | Gain Therapeutics

**Dina B. Tresnan**, Disease Area Cluster Lead - Immunology; Safety Surveillance and Risk Management, Worldwide Safety | Pfizer

**Valentina Mancini**, Senior Director Pharmacovigilance QPPV | Shionogi Europe

## SESSION 13 - PARALLEL - SAFETY IN CLINICAL TRIALS *(in progress)*

## SESSION 14 - MedDRA *(in progress)*

**Scott Proestel**, Senior Medical Officer | FDA (invited, tbc)

## SESSION 15 - PARALLEL - NON EU PV REQUIREMENTS

**Fazil Afzal**, Medical Assessor at Medicines and Healthcare products Regulatory Agency (tbc)

**Mayssa AbouGhannam**, Country Safety Team Lead, Saudi Arabia, Gulf, Pakistan, Afghanistan | Janssen

**Robert Massouh**, Head of (PV) Risk Management and Benefit Risk Evaluation | Gsk

**Geeta Shanbhag**, VP Pharmacovigilance and Medico-Regulatory Affairs | Ipca laboratories Ltd

## SESSION 16 - LECTIO MAGISTRALIS

**Glyn Belcher**, Senior Scientific Advisor - EU PV Congress

# AGENDA 22 NOVEMBER

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## SESSION 17 - EVOLVING PHARMACOVIGILANCE STRATEGIES

**Giovanni Furlan**, Worldwide Safety Site Lead - Thessaloniki (Greece), Safety Risk Lead, Director | Pfizer S.r.l.

**Felix Arellano**, Senior Vice President and the Global Head of Safety & Risk Management | Roche

**Andrew Bate**, VP Safety Innovation & Analytics | GSK

**Marcin Kruk**, Drug Safety Regional Head Europe, Africa, Middle East, Worldwide Medical & Safety | Pfizer Inc.

**Sophia Trantza**, Senior pharmacovigilance expert, PRAC member Greece

## SESSION 18 - MAIN GLOBAL AND LOCAL PV UPDATES

**Calin Lungu**, DDCCS S.A., CEO

**Ilaria Grisoni**, Exec. Dir., Head of EU/International PV & Office of QPPV, EEA QPPV | Jazz Pharmaceuticals

**Marcela Fialova**, Chief Operating Officer | iVigee

## SESSION 19 - PRACTICAL EXPERIENCE OF APPLYING ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE IN PV

**Andrew Bate**, VP Safety Innovation & Analytics|GSK

**Phil Tregunno**, Deputy Director, Patient Safety Monitoring, Safety and Surveillance | MHRA

**Gabriel Westman**, Head of Artificial Intelligence | Swedish Medical Products Agency

**Maurizio Sessa**, Associate Professor of Pharmacoepidemiology | University of Copenhagen

## SESSION 20 - AUDIT & INSPECTIONS

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21-22-23-24 *(In progress)*

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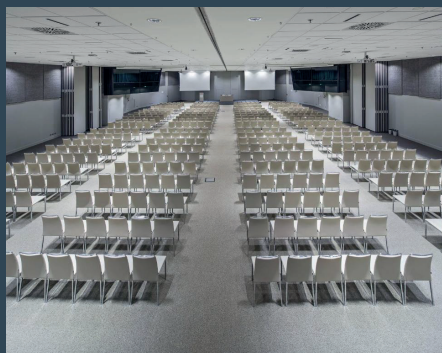
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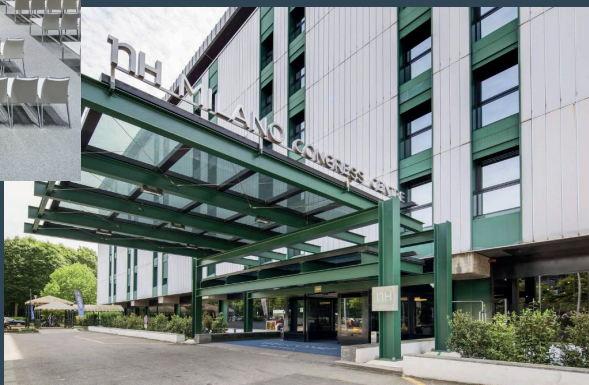
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