

EASL CLINICAL SCHOOL OF HEPATOLOGY 2021

FRANKFURT, GERMANY: ACUTE-ON-CHRONIC LIVER FAILURE

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Dr. Robert Schierwagen
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Invited Speaker:

Prof. Dr. Paolo Angeli, Padova, Italy
Prof. Dr. Manuela Merli, Rome, Italy

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AGENDA

Friday, September 3rd 2021

8:00 – 8:30 Registration at Haus 11, Room 320

8:30 – 9:00 Welcome and Introduction on the format of the EASL School

9:00 – 10:40 Short summary talks (15 minutes talk + 5 minutes discussion):

1. Predisposing factors and precipitating events for ACLF – J. Trebicka
2. Role of etiological treatment in ACLF patients – A. Pathil-Warth
3. Infections and multi-drug resistance bacteria in ACLF – P. Ferstl
4. Management of organ failures – K.-H. Peiffer
5. Liver transplantation for ACLF – W. Bechstein

10:40 – 11:00 coffee break

11:00 – 12:30 State of the art lecture I:

Hepatic encephalopathy and nutrition in ACLF patients

Prof. Dr. Manuela Merli, Rome, Italy

12:30 – 13:30 Lunch

13:30 – 14:00 Group allocation of the students and instructions for the development of the clinical cases with special emphasis on

- analysis of the predisposing factors, etiological treatment
- treatment of portal hypertension and infections
- nutrition and management of hepatic encephalopathy
- artificial organ support and liver transplantation

14:00 – 16:30 Development of the clinical cases in groups with a tutor

Group 1: J. Trebicka
Group 2: M. Welker
Group 3: G. Dultz
Group 4: C. Welsch

16:30 – 18:30 Presentation of the cases and Quiz questions by the groups (25 minutes presentation and 10 minutes discussion)

19:00 Dinner and end of 1st Day

Saturday, September 4th 2021

8:30 – 10:00 State of the art lecture II:

Pathogenesis and management of ACLF

Prof. Dr. Paolo Angeli, Padova, Italy

10:00 – 10:30 coffee break and networking

10:30 – 13:00 Hands-on Session

- Echography and Elastography (V. Knop/C. Graf)
- ICU-management in skills lab (K.H. Peiffer/M. Schulz),
- TIPS live case and HE-assessment (P. Ferstl/W. Gu),
- Translational research laboratory (R. Schierwagen/S. Klein).

13:00 – 14:00 Lunch

14:00 – 15:00 Prizes for the quiz and post-quiz comments

15:00 – 15:30 Evaluation and Concluding remarks

15:30 Farewell and end of 2nd Day