

## Strengthening the European ecosystem for equitable patient access to Advanced Therapy Medicinal Products (ATMPs)

On-line meeting  
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### SPEAKERS' LIST

#### Christian Chabannon



Christian Chabannon is board certified in Oncohematology and in Medical Oncology in France. He is a full member at the Institut Paoli-Calmettes Comprehensive Cancer Centre in Marseille. For close to 20 years, he heads and is the Qualified Person for the Centre de Thérapie Cellulaire that associates the Cell Collection Facility and the Cell Processing Facility. Christian Chabannon coordinated the efforts to prepare the onboarding of Institut Paoli-Calmettes for the delivery of approved CAR-T Cells following the first wave of approvals in Europe. Christian Chabannon is also a Professor of Medicine in Cell Biology at Aix-Marseille Université School of Medicine, where he is specifically involved in training medical and scientific students in the field of therapeutic innovations, with a focus on cell- and tissue-based therapies. From 2005 through 2023, he has been the medical coordinator for the “Centre d’Investigations Cliniques en Biothérapies de Marseille”.

#### Marc Doods



Marc Doods is Senior Orphan Drug Pharmacist at the University Hospitals Leuven. He is compounding/dispensing pharmacist in First in Men Randomized Clinical Trials. He has been a member of the Belgian Order of Pharmaceutical Sciences and the Flemish Society of Hospital Pharmacists (VZA) since 1975 and the Belgian representative to the European Union of Experts in Rare Diseases with frequent

collaboration with Orphanet, the European Society of Clinical Pharmacy, and the American Society of Health Care Pharmacists, among others, since 2000. Mr. Doms is also founding member of the Belgian National Board on Orphan Drugs within the King Baudouin Foundation and is a graduate-level teacher in dermatological compounding, drug adherence, and orphan drugs, since 2010. He is also teaching pharmaceutical technicians at Leuven Syntra School. He has co-authored a number of publications on orphan drugs.

### Hsin-Yu Kuo



Hsin-Yu Kuo is the Project Manager for EuroGCT at the University of Edinburgh's Centre for Regenerative Medicine. As a bioanalytical chemist by training, she received her Ph.D. in Chemistry from the University of Chicago and worked as a postdoctoral fellow in the Department of Biomedical Engineering at Northwestern University. In EuroGCT, she works on mapping the landscape of gene and cell therapy in Europe, collating and compiling the scientific, legal, regulatory, ethical, and societal information along the lab to clinic pathways for the research and wider communities. The European Consortium for Communicating Gene and Cell Therapy Information (EuroGCT), funded by the European Union's Horizon 2020 research and innovation programme, brings together 47 partner organisations and institutions across Europe with a goal of providing reliable and accessible information about the use of cells and genetic material to treat disease. Its work is published at: [www.eurogct.org](http://www.eurogct.org).

### Helena Lee



Helena Lee is an Associate Professor of Ophthalmology at the University of Southampton, CRF Associate Director of Emerging therapies and an Honorary Consultant Ophthalmologist at University Hospitals Southampton. She has researched the effects of idiopathic infantile nystagmus, achromatopsia and albinism on retinal development and was awarded the Fight for Sight Award in 2015 for her work on normal retinal development. She is currently researching the role of Oral Levodopa in improving Visual development in Infants and young children with Albinism (the OLIVIA study).

### Mauro Maré



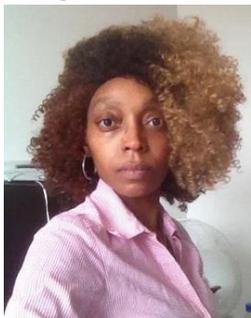
Mauro Maré is Full Professor of Public Economics at Viterbo's Tuscia University and Full Professor of Public Economics at Rome's LUISS University. He has been personal advisor of the past three mandates of Ministry of Finance, member of the supervisory board of the Human Technopole Foundation in Milan, Head (and member) of the Italian delegation in some OECD and EU working groups such as: the Network on Fiscal Relation of the OECD (Vice Chairman), the WP1, the EDRC and the working group on Quality of Public Finances of the European Commission. Visiting Professor at the Department of Economics at Harvard and President of the LUISS Osservatorio Welfare.

### Jose M. Moraleda



Prof. Jose M. Moraleda is a Professor of Haematology at the University of Murcia School of Medicine, where he served as Vice Dean from 2006 to 2009. Since 2012, he has headed the Haematology Dpt and the BMT and Advanced Therapies Program at the University Hospital Virgen de la Arrixaca, Murcia, Spain. In 2021 he was appointed coordinator of the Spanish Network of Advanced Therapies (TeraV). From 2013-2016 he served as president of the Spanish Society of Hematology and Hemotherapy. Dr Moraleda's scientific research is focused in Stem Cell transplantation, Advanced Therapies and Regenerative Medicine. He has published 239 papers, edited 5 books and written 98 book chapters.

### Shingi Mutamba



Shingirai Mutamba is currently Lead in Advanced Therapy Medicinal Products (ATMPs). This involves ensuring that appropriate governance and procedures are in place for the safe delivery of these products. She is also the Accountable Pharmacist for the Pharmacy Advanced Therapy Unit (PATU). The PATU is the

area where 'ready to administer' doses of in vivo gene therapy products are prepared for the nurses who administer the products to patients. This means they are able to mitigate any risk associated with these products.

#### **Kateřina Podrazilov**



Kateřina Podrazilov is a Specialist in drug policy, pricing and reimbursement strategies, and drug market entry negotiations. Previously worked for a national regulatory authority and a healthcare payers' association. Her main responsibilities included managing market entries to ensure patient access to medicines while maintaining healthcare budget sustainability. Extensive hands-on experience with administrative proceedings on pricing and reimbursement of drugs and medical devices in the Czech Republic. Passionate about pharmaco-economic principles and their practical application in various projects, and a deep interest in local and European legislation.

#### **Marteen Postma**



Prof Maarten J Postma holds the chair Global Health Economics at the University Medical Center Groningen (UMCG) and the faculty of Economics & Business, both at the University of Groningen and is director of UMCG's research institute SHARE, bringing various university faculties together. Also, he is Prof in Pharmaco-economics at the Departments of Pharmacy at the University of Groningen, Pharmacology at the Airlangga University (Surabaya, Indonesia) and Pharmaceutical Care Innovation at Universitas Padjadjaran (Bandung, Indonesia). He did his MSc in econometrics and his PhD in health economics. He specifically leads a team of 100 staff, PhD and post-doc researchers in health- and pharmaco-economics, contributing to many international research networks and scientific communications. He is specialized in the role of pharmaco-economics/health economics in the reimbursement process. He serves (served) on various committees advising the Dutch government on reimbursement of drugs and vaccines. Also, he is advisor to various health-economics consultancy companies and pharmaceutical companies worldwide, Ministries of Health in neighbouring countries, member of editorial boards of scientific journals (a.o. Value in Health), on advisory boards for pharmaceutical companies and expert consultant for WHO. He is a member of UK's Joint Committee of Vaccination & Immunization since 2014. He has over 800 peer-reviewed international publications.

### Rosanna Sovani



Rosanna Sovani is an Italian Lawyer, partner of LS CUBE, with over 25 years of experience in regulatory, market access, compliance, Public Policy for the Life Sciences industry. Rosanna leads LS CUBE Legal Public Affairs Department and has developed strong expertise in ATMPs, AMR, HTA, Rare Deases, Digital Health, Health Financial Tools. Rosanna participates to many think tanks and Healthy Policy Forums, coordinated multi-stakeholder coalitions and writes on national and international outlets. Awarded by Legal 500 as Leading Individual because noted for her market access expertise in the industry.

### Mariano Votta



Mariano Votta is responsible for EU Affairs of the Italian NGO Cittadinanzattiva and the Director of its EU branch called "Active Citizenship Network" (ACN). He has over 20 years of experience in advocacy, stakeholder engagement, European projects, communication, and civic information. In 2015 he led the launch of the MEP Interest Group "EU Patients' Rights & Cross-Border Healthcare," endorsed by nearly 100 organisations across Europe, and the MEP Interest Group "SDGs for wellbeing and consumer protection" in 2021. In 2016 Mariano has won the Efhre International University Excellence Awards on patients' rights and in 2017 he was appointed as Secretary-General at European Consumer Union. Along the mandate 2016/2019, he was also appointed by the EU Commission to represent Italian Consumer Associations in the EU Consumer Consultative Group. MEPs Interest Group's secretariat: ACTIVE CITIZENSHIP NETWORK (ACN) Rue Philippe Le Bon, 46 1000 Brussels - Belgium [www.interestgroup.activecitizenship.net](http://www.interestgroup.activecitizenship.net) Mariano holds an MSc in Political Science and two post-graduate courses in EU Public Relations and Corporate Social Responsibility.

### Mariam Zaidi



Mariam Zaidi is a broadcaster and journalist who has worked in Asia and across Europe. Covers news and current affairs. EU specialist. Former Brexit Correspondent. War coverage - Ukraine & Israel-Gaza. Currently she is a news presenter for TRT World in London.

She helped steer coverage on the Ukraine war, Covid-19 pandemic and energy crisis for Euronews as a main presenter from their HQ in France. She co-hosts and moderates panels for CNBC Catalyst - the commercial arm of CNBC - from the World Economic Forum in Davos.

As a seasoned moderator and master of ceremonies for CNBC Catalyst, EU policy based Euractiv, EU institutions and global corporate clients she is a master of many trades covering tech, health, sustainability, agri-food, security, EU-US policy and more.

A law grad with an MA in Journalism from City University London, she has worked for the BBC, ITV, CGTN, APTN.

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