

4<sup>TH</sup> INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON

# VACCINES RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT



**FINAL PROGRAM**

**ICVRD-2026**

**APRIL 13-14, 2026**

**PARIS, FRANCE**

## DAY 01

APRIL 13, 2026

## Conference Chair

**Angela Nwabuzor Ikeme**, Co-Founder of Roots and Rise Synergy LLC, USA

## Conference Co-Chair

**Jerome Lemoine**, Founder - Messenger Biopharma, France

## Time

## Type

## Presentations &amp; Speaker

09:30 - 10:10

P

**Eric A. Scheinbart**

Immunity Redefined LLC, USA

**Title: The Clinical Application of Botanical Medicine for Immunotherapy Through Immunomodulation in Cancer and Chronic Disease: Evidence-Based Clinical Trials**

10:10 - 10:50

P

**Angela Nwabuzor Ikeme**

Co-Founder of Roots and Rise Synergy LLC, USA

**Title: Vaccine Hesitancy, a Threat to Global Health**

10:50 - 11:30

P

**Frederick Wittke**

Founder - Arthama GmbH, Switzerland

**Title: Maternal Immunization - Clinical Development Challenges and Solutions**

11:30 - 11:45

Refreshment Break

11:45 - 12:25

P

**Farah Ganjei Gron**

CCH (Certified Classical Homeopath), RSHom (NA), USA

**Title: How to Help Children and Adults on the Autism Spectrum**

12:25 - 13:05

P

**Joel Nichols**

Founder - BloT Digital Solutions, USA

**Title: Why Data Matters for AI Success**

13:05 - 14:05

Group Photo &amp; Lunch Break

14:05 - 14:45

P

**Johan Frostegard**

Karolinska Institute, Sweden

**Title: Raising Antibodies against Phosphorylcholine by a Vaccine to Prevent Cardiovascular Disease, Chronic Inflammation, and Infection**

14:45 - 15:25

P

**Jerome Lemoine**

Founder - Messenger Biopharma, France

**Title: Second-Generation Capless Messenger RNA: Development of Cheaper Vaccines**

15:25 - 16:05

P

**Lei Chen**

Founder, CEO - Yikang Biotech (Suzhou) Co., Ltd, China

**Title: Next-Generation Respiratory Syncytial Virus (RSV) Vaccine**

16:05 - 16:45

P

**Vladimir Zajac**

Cancer Research Institute, Slovakia

**Title: The Intestines Tract is the Main Reservoirs of Viruses Hidden in Carriers after Infection, Where Vaccines are not Effective. New Medicine**

16:45 - 17:00

Refreshment Break

17:00 - 17:30

K

**Darlene Labonte**

Founder & CEO, USA

**Title: Strategic Planning and Execution of Vaccine Development Program Across Global Sites**

17:30 - 18:00

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**Stefania Bambini**

GlaxoSmithKline Biologicals S.A., Italy

**Title: MenB-Containing Vaccines: A Regulatory Journey Through Innovation, Real-World Evidence, and Future Directions**

## PANEL SESSIONS FOR (60 MIN)

**Panel Chaired by Ms. Kathleen Wolf**

Founder & Principal Consultant - Biopharma Strategy, USA

**Topic: Grassroots Mobilisation: Leveraging Civil Society and Community Leadership to Bridge Gaps in Vaccine Coverage**

**Kathleen Wolf, Founder & Principal Consultant - Biopharma Strategy, USA**

**Sotiris Missailidis, Head of Vaccine Innovation Development, France**

**Angela Nwabuzor Ikeme, Co-Founder of Roots and Rise Synergy LLC, USA**

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## POSTER PRESENTATIONS

P1

**Monique Barnard-Matthee**

Stellenbosch University, South Africa

**Title: The Development and Automation of Activity Assays for Enzymes Involved in Vitro Transcription Used for mRNA Vaccine Development**

P2

**Iman Almahmis**

University Grenoble Alpes, France

**Title: Long-Term Protection Against Infectious Diseases is Associated with High Homeostatic Antigen-Specific Precursor Cells**

## VIDEO PRESENTATIONS

V1

**Mariano Votta**

Director Active Citizenship Network, Italy

**Title: Grassroots Mobilisation: Leveraging Civil Society and Community Leadership to Bridge Gaps in Vaccine Coverage**

V2

**Bernd Blobel**

University of Regensburg, Germany

**Title: Managing Healthcare Transformation towards Intelligent and Ethical Personalized, Preventive, Predictive, Participative Precision Medicine Ecosystems**

V3

**Esha Brahmabhatt**

Geisel School of Medicine at Dartmouth, USA

**Title: Reclassifying Media as an Exposure for Vaccine Hesitancy**

V4

**Antonella Di Paolo**

Istituto Zooprofilattico Sperimentale dell'Umbria e delle Marche "Togo Rosati" Italy

**Title: Application Of Zebrafish Embryo Acute Toxicity Test As Potential Quality Control Assay For Veterinary Autogenous Vaccines: Preliminary Data**

## END OF THE DAY 1 CONFERENCE

## DAY 02

APRIL 14, 2026

| Time          | Type                      | Presentations & Speaker                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
|---------------|---------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 09:30 - 10:10 | P                         | <b>Makobetsa Khati</b><br>Executive Head: Strategic Investments, Innovation and Impact (SIII), National Research Foundation, South Africa<br><b>Title: South African Vaccine Initiatives: Strategic Research, Development and Innovation (RDI) Priorities</b> |
| 10:10 - 10:50 | P                         | <b>Sotiris Missailidis</b><br>Head of Vaccine Innovation Development, France<br><b>Title: Establishing Local and Regional R&amp;D&amp;I and Production Capacity and the Importance of Academic-Industrial Partnerships in Vaccine Development</b>             |
| 10:50 - 11:30 | P                         | <b>Ljudmila Stojanovich</b><br>Belgrade University, Serbia<br><b>Title: Influenza Vaccination of Patients with Autoimmune Rheumatic Disease</b>                                                                                                               |
| 11:30 - 11:45 | Refreshment Break         |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
| 11:45 - 12:25 | P                         | <b>Karin Kanewske Turner</b><br>Senior Consultant HALO Research, UK<br><b>Title: Last-Mile Vaccine Access: Innovative Financing and Business Models to Close the Gap in Low-Middle-Income Countries</b>                                                       |
| 12:25 - 13:05 | P                         | <b>Meenakshi Koul</b><br>Wolfsburg, Germany<br><b>Jan Godeke</b><br>Managing Senior Physician and Deputy Clinic Director, Germany<br><b>Title: Video-Based Medical Evaluation and AI as Emerging Public Health Instruments</b>                                |
| 13:05 - 14:05 | Group Photo & Lunch Break |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
| 14:05 - 14:35 | K                         | <b>Sohrab Ahmadvand</b><br>Ludwig-Maximilians-Universitat Munchen, Germany<br><b>Title: Self-Assembling Protein Nanocages for Advanced Vaccine and RNAi Therapeutics</b>                                                                                      |

14:35 - 15:05

K

**Georgios Stathopoulos**

Technical Officer - World Health Organization, Switzerland

**Title: Vaccine Market, Market Shaping and Regional Initiatives for Vaccine Production**

15:05 - 15:35

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**Guiseppe Greach**

La Sapienza University, Italy

**Title: Randomized Controlled, Clinical Blinded Study to Evaluate the Main Cause of Periodontal Disease, the Predominant Presence of Bacteria in Percentage, and the Total Bacterial Load Before and After Non-Surgical Therapy**

15:35 - 16:05

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**Li Shi**

Board Chairman - Immune-Path Bio, China

**Title: Will be Updated Soon.....**

16:05 - 16:20

**Refreshment Break**

16:20 - 16:50

K

**Tsvetelina Mandova Demetrio**

Horto TH, France

**Title: Combatting Emerging Arboviruses: Integrating Computational Dynamics and QbD in Novel API Production**

16:50 - 17:20

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**Paris N. Johnson**

Marshall University, USA

**Title: Invisible Strain in Plain Sight**

17:20 - 17:40

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**Ify Nwiwu**

University of Sunderland, UK

**Title: Women's Lived Experiences of Female Genital Mutilation (FGM) and Breast Ironing (BI): An Interpretative Phenomenological Analysis (IPA)**

17:40 - 18:00

I

**Michaela Greenlee**

Harvard T.H. Chan School of Public Health, USA

**Title: Assessing Conditional Cash Transfers for Tuberculosis Patients in India: An Extended Cost-Effectiveness Analysis**

## POSTER PRESENTATIONS

P3

**Whegang Youdom Solange**

Department of Public Health, Faculty of Medicine and Pharmaceutical Sciences, University of Dschang, Cameroon

**Title: Identifying Reasons and Strategies to Reduce Missed Opportunities for Vaccination: A Mixed-Methods Study in the Mifi Health District, Cameroon**

P4

**Maria Angela Doronzo**

**Juan Rodriguez Garcia**

Son Espases University Hospital, Palma de Mallorca, Spain

**Title: Knowledge, Attitudes, Practices and Implementation Barriers in Vaccination in Hematology: A National Survey in Spain**

P5

**Oneka Scott**

Ministry of Health Guyana, Guyana

**Title: Public Health Interventions to Improve HPV Vaccine Uptake Among Adolescents in Latin America and the Caribbean (2020–2025): A Systematic Review**

## VIDEO PRESENTATIONS

V5

**Johnson J H Wang**

CEO and Chief Scientist WEO, USA

**Title: Prevention, Diagnosis, and Treatment of Diseases Using Newly Developed Scientific Traditional Chinese Medicine Based on Chee Theory Integrated with Modern Medicine**

V6

**Suriyadeo Tripathi**

Center for Morality Promotion (PO), Thailand

**Title: The Moral Matter: Navigating Morality in a Changing World**

V7

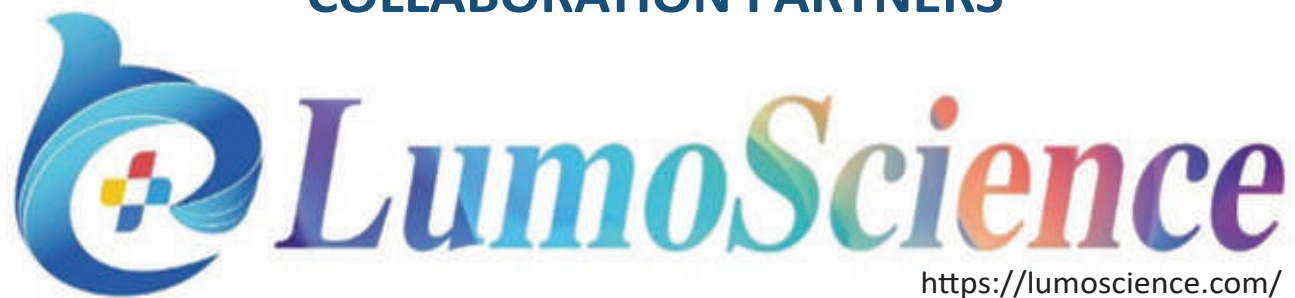
**Shophia Goldin**

University of Colorado, USA

**Title: Social Needs of Non-English Speaking Pediatric Patients at a Large Safety Net Hospital in Denver**

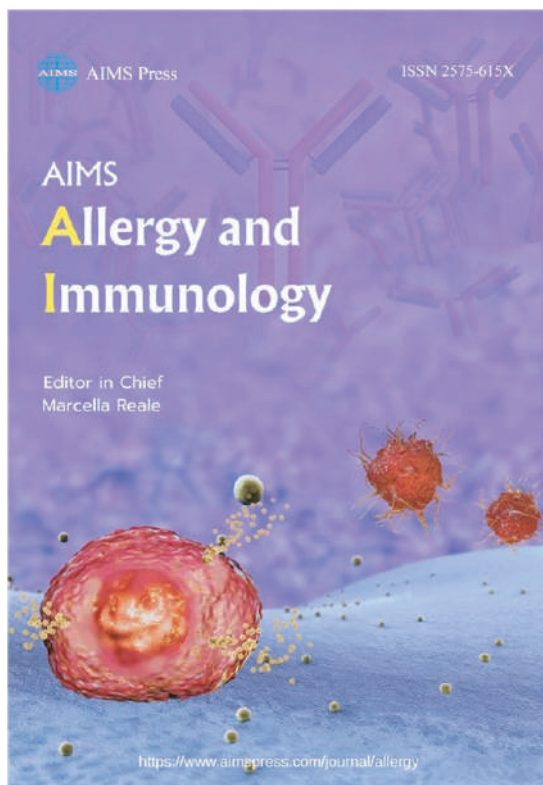
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APRIL 19–20, 2027

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