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VASCULITIS

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Preliminary Program

Friday 13th March 2026

Session	Time (CET)	Speakers/Moderators
Introduction	13h00 - 13h20	
1.General features and initial approach in Vasculitis	13h20-14h50	
Introductory case: polyarteritis nodosa from diagnosis to treatment		Dr Raju Khubchandani (Online)
Pathology of vasculitis (biopsy) -> classification (how can pathology explain clinical presentation)		Dr Shaila Kubchandani (online)
Imaging of vasculitis		Speaker TBD
Immunology in practice in Vasculitis (from lab to bedside)		Pr Rae Yeung
Real-life practice in pediatric rheumatology: the CliPS project		Pr Michael Hofer
BREAK		
2. Systemic vasculitis and associated vasculitis part I	15h10 - 16h40	
Introductory case: polyarteritis nodosa from diagnosis to treatment		Dr Raju Khubchandani (Online)
DADA 2 and other monogenic vasculitis		Pr Paul Brogan (Online)
Takayasu Arteritis, large vessels vasculitis (from diagnosis to management)		Pr Rae Yeung
Behcet disease (from diagnosis to management)		Dr Yonatan Butbul
Challenging cases : mimic or unusual feature between behcet/takayasu/monogenic and other vasculitis		Pr Seza Ozen (Online)
BREAK		
3.IgA vasculitis	17h00-18h30	
IgA Vasculitis: New insights into organ involvement, management and follow-up		Pr Marija Jelusic
IgAV nephritis: diagnosis, general management, follow-up and outcome		Dr Augusto Vaglio (Online)
Evidence based view points: "Use of Steroids" , real-life from CliPS - focus on controversial issues		Dr Daiva Gorczyca and Dr Teresa Giani
Quizz of the day		
END OF THE DAY		



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Saturday 14th March 2026

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4. Systemic vasculitis and associated vasculitis part II	13h00-14h30	
ANCA associated vasculitis - From diagnosis to management (include new treatments)		Pr Paul Brogan (Online)
CNS vasculitis (from diagnosis to management)		Pr Susanne Benseler
Vasculitis challenge in a low resources country		Dr Gleice CLemente
Patient testimonies		
BREAK		
5. Kawasaki disease	14h50-16h20	
Clinical and Pathogenesis of Kawasaki disease, MIS-C and atypical features		Pr Isabelle Kone-Paut
Managment of acute Kawasaki disease		Dr Tilmann Kallinich
Follow-up beyond acute phase		TBD
Evidence meets experience – fireside discussions on challenging screnarios		Pr Isabelle Kone-Paut, Pr Paul Brogan and Pr Rae Yeung
BREAK		
6. Around the World Vasculitis Cases	16h40 - 18h00	
Kawasaki Disease presenting with shock syndrome		Dr Elisabeth Ang
Kawasaki Disease and Macrophage Activation Syndrome		Dr Juliana Mikaloski (Brazil, online)
ANCA associated Vasculitis		Dr Natalia Cabrera (Paraguay, Online)
Systemic manifestations of IgA vasculitis		Dr Nastasia Kifer (Croatia, Online)
Undefined vasculitis with renal and CNS involvement: infection or mimics?		Dr Clarisse Nzabonimpa (RW) and Dr Angela Migowa(KE) Online
Quizze of the day		
Conclusion /end	18h05 - 18h15	



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Practical information

Prices :

- **Online Attendance:** Free
- **Onsite Attendance**
 - Without accommodation: CHF 45 per day (includes coffee breaks, mineral water, hotel services)
 - - With accomodation :
 - Shared Bedroom: CHF 128/night (breakfast included)
 - Private Bedroom: CHF 183/night (breakfast included)
- **Onsite Meals:**
 - Lunch: CHF 30 (drinks not included)
 - Dinner: CHF 35 (drinks not included)

Getting There



THE GLACIER HOTEL
LES DIABLERETS

The Glacier Hotel (Ex Eurotel Victoria)

Chemin de Vernex 3
1865 Les Diablerets

<https://www.glacier3000.ch/fr/hotel/the-glacier-hotel>

by plane/train :

- Closest airport: Geneva Airport (2h18 by train).
- You can purchase your train ticket via : <https://www.sbb.ch/en> or download their mobile app
- A hotel shuttle will be in Diablerets to pick up every guest. For those who wish to stretch their legs, it's a 8min walk.

By Car

- Route: Take Highway A9 (Lausanne, Montreux, Simplon) and exit at Aigle (Exit 17). Follow signs for "Col des Mosses" and then "Les Diablerets."
- **Parking:**
 - Paid parking available at the hotel (reservation required: +41 24 492 37 21).
 - Free parking spaces are also available next to the hotel.



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