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Berne, August 18, 2026

15th ETOP Residential Workshop, Room Airbus, Dorint Airport-Hotel Zurich, Switzerland – 25 - 27 November 2026

Wednesday, 25.11.2026

19.00 **Arrival and Dinner at the Dorint Airport-Hotel Zurich**

Thursday, 26.11.2026

08.15– 08.30 **Welcome and Introduction (Rolf Stahel)**

08.30 – 09.45 **Hot topics in targeted therapy of advanced NSCLC**
08.30 – 08.50 Targeting fusions (Margarita Majem)
08.50 – 09.10 Targeting mutations (Ross Soo)
09.10 – 09.30 Antibody-drug conjugates (Egbert Smit)
09.30 – 09.45 Discussion

09.45 – 10.15 *Coffee break*

10.15 – 12.00 **Hot topics in immunotherapy**
10.15 – 10.35 Advanced NSCLC (Maurice Pérol)
10.35 – 10.55 Early-stage NSCLC (Jordi Remon)
10.55 – 11.15 SCLC (Giannis Mountzios)
11.15 – 11.35 Mesothelioma (Ernest Nadal)
11.35 – 12.00 Discussion

12.00 – 13.00 *Lunch break*

13.00 – 13.30 **Development and conduct of a clinical trial**
13.00 – 13.20 Basics exemplified by i-TIMES and BEAT-MESO (Ranny Dafni)
13.20 – 13.30 Discussion

13.30 – 16.00 **Interaction with faculty regarding research proposals in groups (all faculty)**

16.00 – 16.30 *Coffee break*

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16.30 – 17.20 Developments in surgery and radiotherapy of thoracic malignancies
16.30 – 16.50 Innovations in surgery (Yannis Perentes)
16.50 – 17.10 Developments in radiotherapy (Matthias Guckenberger)
17.10 – 17.20 Discussion

19.30 Dinner at the Restaurant Babel, Zurich Airport

Friday, 27.11.2026

08.30 – 10.15 Presentation of selected trial ideas from participants (All faculty)

10.15 – 10.30 Coffee break

10.30 – 11.45 Pathology and molecular testing
10.30 – 10.50 Developments in computational pathology (Jan von der Thüsen)
10.50 – 11.10 Developments in molecular pathology (Lukas Bubendorf)
11.10 – 11.30 Developments in liquid biopsy (Stephen Finn)
11.45 – 12.00 Wrap up and closure

Faculty:

L. Bubendorf (Switzerland), R. Dafni (Greece), S. Finn (Ireland), M. Guckenberger (Switzerland), M. Majem (Spain), G. Mountzios (Greece), E. Nadal (Spain), Y. Perentes (Switzerland), M. Perol (France), S. Peters (Switzerland), J. Remon (France), E. Smit (Netherlands), R. Soo (Singapore), R. Stahel (Switzerland), Z. Tsourti (Greece), J. von der Thüsen (Netherlands)