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9:00-9:10

WELCOME & INTRODUCTION

Cleofé Romagosa, TBD, Claudia Valverde
Hospital Univ. Vall d'Hebron, Barcelona

9:10-9:55

SESSION 1. FOCUSING ON OUR RESEARCHERS: AN OVERVIEW OF GEIS-BUESA GRANTS

9:15-9:25

And the winner is...

By Nieves Martínez, Hospital Clínico Universitario
de Santiago, Santiago de Compostela (A Coruña)

9:25-9:35

Buesa grant 2026: new award

9:35-9:45

Buesa grant 2024. Perfil epigenético de los
osteosarcomas para un mejor pronóstico,
diagnóstico y tratamiento.
Empar Mayordomo, Hospital Universitari
Politécnic La Fe, Valencia

9:45-9:55

Discussion

9:55-11:20

SESSION 2. SARCOMA SUBTYPE HIGHLIGHTED: RHABDOMYOSARCOMA

Chairs: Cristina Mata, Gregorio Marañón General University
Hospital, Madrid
Raquel Correa, Hospital Clínico Universitario Virgen de
la Victoria, Málaga

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10:00-10:15

Interactive clinical case

Borja González, Hospital Universitario Lucus Augusti, Lugo

10:15-10:30

Pathology insights.

Marta Garrido. Hospital Universitario Vall d'Hebrón. Barcelona

10:30-10:45

Surgical challenges

Michiel van den Sande, Princess Máxima Center, Utrecht (The Netherlands)

10:45-11:00

New treatment opportunities

Lucy Metayer, Institut Gustave Roussy, Paris (France)

11:00-11:20

Discussion

11:20-11:40

COFFEE BREAK ☕

11:40-13:30

SESSION 3. LET'S IMPROVE: HOW TO OPTIMIZE WHAT WE ALREADY KNOW

Chairs: Anderson Cardozo, Hospital Universitario Vall d'Hebron, Barcelona

Isidro Gracia, Hospital Universitario de la Santa Creu i Sant Pau, Barcelona

11:45-12:00

What's the role of Nuclear Medicine in sarcoma in 2026?

Virginia Pubul, Hospital Clínico Universitario de Santiago, Santiago de Compostela (A Coruña)

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12:00-12:15

Integrated diagnosis. Tissue maps

José Manuel Morales, Hospital Universitario Virgen del Rocío, Seville

12:15-12:30

The Boom Birmingham consensus: TCG

Roberto Vélez, Hospital Vall d'Hebrón, Barcelona

12:30-12:45

Beyond resectability: Biology-Driven Surgical Salvage in Recurrent Sarcoma

Hugo Vasques, Instituto Português de Oncologia, Lisbon (Portugal)

12:45-13:00

Optimizing radiotherapy by age and tumor subtype

Iñigo San Miguel, Hospital Universitario de Salamanca, Salamanca

13:00-13:15

Challenging the treatment sequence in GIST

Bruno Vincenzi, Università Campus Bio-Medico di Roma, Rome (Italy)

13:15-13:30

Discussion

13:35-14:10

LUNCH BREAK



14:00-15:10 **SESSION 4. THE PATIENT'S VOICE**

Chairs: Aurelio Vicente, APSATUR,
María Teresa Deus, ASARGA

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14:15-14:30

Patient involvement opportunities coming from EU

Claudia Valverde, Hospital Vall d 'Hebrón,
Barcelona

14:30-14:45

Examples of success

Natalia Fernández, ASARGA

14:45-15:10

Round table discussion

Discussants: Patients' representatives of
Asociación VYDA, FMPJC, APSATUR,
ASARGA, Asociación Íker, FEPNC, AECC,
Chordoma Foundation, Fundació Aladina

15:15-16:35

SESSION 5. FOCUSING ON PATHOLOGY AND GENETICS

Chairs: Carmen Gómez, Hospital Universitario Miguel Servet,
Zaragoza

J. Alejandro Pérez Fidalgo, Hospital Clínico Universitario
de Valencia

15:15-15:35

WHO 2026: Which are the main changes?

Judith Bovée, Leiden University Medical
Center, The Netherlands

15:35-15:50

WHO 2026: What does it mean for us?

Shreyas Patel, University of Texas MD
Anderson Cancer Center, Houston (Texas),
USA

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15:50-16:05 **NGS in sarcomas: who and when to test and what to do with incidental findings?**
Willian Tap, Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center, New York (NY), USA

16:05-16:20 **Genetic counseling in sarcoma: are we missing patients?**
Eduard Pérez Ballesteró. Hospital Vall d'Hebrón. Barcelona

16:20-16:35 **Discussion**

16:35-16:50 **COFFEE BREAK** ☕

16:50-17:55 **SESSION 6. CHALLENGING ISSUES**

Chairs: Fina Cruz, Hospital Universitario de Canarias, La Laguna (Santa Cruz de Tenerife)
José Manuel Asencio, Gregorio Marañón General University Hospital, Madrid

16:55-17:10 **ADCs and new immunotherapy options for dummies**
Beatriz Jiménez, Hospital Vall d'Hebrón, Barcelona

17:10-17:25 **Looking into the future: ADCs and immunotherapy in advanced disease**
Robert Maki, Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center, New York (NY), USA

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17:25-17:40

Looking into the future: Any role for immunotherapy in localized disease?

Salvatore Provenzano, Istituto Nazionale dei Tumori, Milan (Italy)

17:40-17:55

Discussion

17:55-18:00

FAREWELL

Cleofé Romagosa, Hospital Vall d 'Hebrón, Barcelona

Claudia Valverde, Hospital Vall d 'Hebrón, Barcelona

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GENERAL INFORMATION

VENUE

Salón de Actos del Pabellón Docente

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Pº Vall d'Hebron, 119-129

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LANGUAGE

English and Spanish. Simultaneous translation will be available.

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REGISTRATIONS

Please check the website of GEIS www.grupogeis.org in the section
“Simposios GEIS”, “Simposio 2026”

<https://grupogeis.org/es/symposiums-geis/simposio-2026>

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REGISTRATION FEES

Until June, 30th: 450€

From July, 1st to August, 15th: 550€

From August, 16th: 650€

PAYMENT METHOD

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