

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 & 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 & 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

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### Jerome Lemoine

Founder - Messenger Biopharma, France

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

15:25 - 16:05

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### Lei Chen

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

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

16:05 - 16:45

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### 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

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### 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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### Natalija Pavlovic

University of Belgrade, Serbia

**Title: Gonadal Steroids, Protectors of Immunity**

## PANEL SESSIONS FOR (60 MIN)

### Panel Chaired by Ms. Kathleen Wolf

Founder & Principal Consultant - Biopharma Strategy, USA

**Topic: Vaccines at a Crossroads: Policy Shifts, Global Access, and the Future of Immunization Leadership**

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

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

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**Johan Frostegard, Karolinska Institute, Sweden**

## 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 Brahmhatt

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> Executive Head: Strategic Investments, Innovation and Impact (SIII), National Research Foundation, South Africa <b>Title: South African Vaccine Initiatives: Strategic Research, Development and Innovation (RDI) Priorities</b>
10:10 - 10:50	P	<b>Sotiris Missailidis</b> Head of Vaccine Innovation Development, France <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> Belgrade University, Serbia <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> Senior Consultant HALO Research, UK <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> Scientific Researcher, Germany
		<b>Jan Godeke</b> Managing Senior Physician and Deputy Clinic Director, Germany <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> Ludwig-Maximilians-Universitat Munchen, Germany <b>Title: Self-Assembling Protein Nanocages for Advanced Vaccine and RNAi Therapeutics</b>

14:35 - 15:05

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### 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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### Stefania Bambini

GlaxoSmithKline Biologicals S.A., Italy

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

16:05 - 16:20

Refreshment Break

16:20 - 16:50

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### 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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### Danna Hargett

Great Explorer in Infectious Disease & Immunology, France

**Title: The Unique Determinants of Vaccine Technology Value, Levels of Investment, and the Future of the Vaccine Market**

17:20 - 17:50

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### Paris N. Johnson

Marshall University, USA

**Title: Rethinking Vaccine Delivery Beyond Health System Boundaries: A Systems Approach to Immunization in Unstable and Informal Care Environments**

17:50 - 18:10

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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)**

18:10 - 18:30

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### 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**

## 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

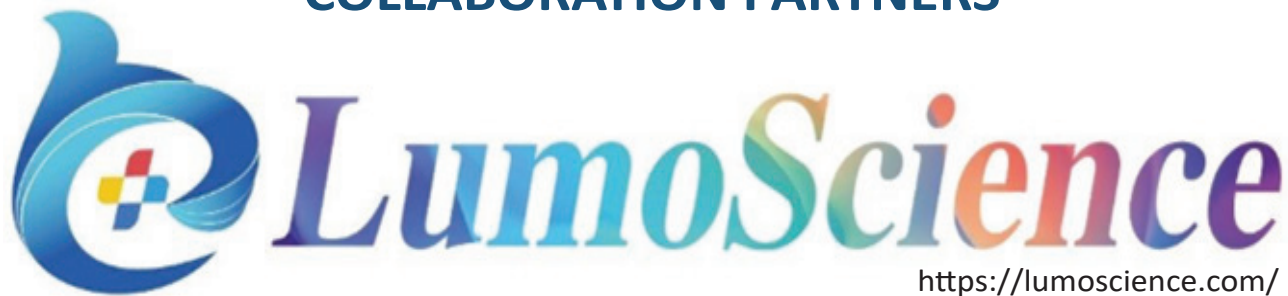
### Shophia Goldin

University of Colorado, USA

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

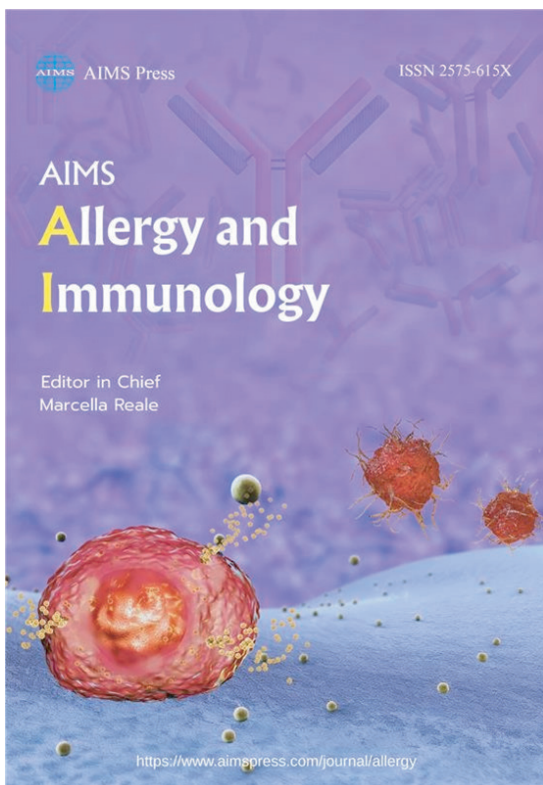
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