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## JOINT MEETING OF THE "CLUB DE PATHOLOGIE INFECTIEUSE" AND THE "RÉUNION INFORMELLE" OF THE SWISS SOCIETY FOR MICROBIOLOGY

Wednesday, February 6, 2019 at the Auditorium UniS, Schanzeneckstr. 1, Bern

Program Please register online not later than Friday February 1 at: [https://events.safe-id.ch/register/?e\\_id=13](https://events.safe-id.ch/register/?e_id=13)

09.40 09.55	Coffee Welcome		
10.00	<b>MICROBIOLOGY: RESISTANCE TESTING IN THE MICROBIOLOGY LABORATORY: EUCAST AND OTHER STORIES</b>		
10:00	Reinhard Zbinden Institute of Medical Microbiology, University of Zürich	Zürich	Introduction and recent changes in EUCAST 2019 - New definitions of S / I / R and ATU – Discussion
10:40	Patrice Nordmann, NARA, University of Fribourg	Fribourg	Emerging antibiotic resistance phenotype / genotype in Switzerland
11:10	Karoline Wagner, Infection Diagnostics Division, University of Basel	Basel	Genetic determinants and prediction of antibiotic resistance phenotypes in <i>Helicobacter pylori</i>
11:30	Stefano Mancini, Institute of Medical Microbiology, University of Zürich	Zürich	Rapid AST directly from blood culture bottles
11:50	Discussion Microbiology		
12:05	Lunch		
12:50	<b>INFECTIOUS DISEASES AND MICROBIOLOGY: CLINICAL STUDIES</b>		
12:50	Erika Kampouri, Antonios Kritikos, Infectious Diseases, CHUV Lausanne	Lausanne	Clinical cases with an unusual presentation of meningococemia
13:10	Loïc Lhopitalier, Jean-Yves Meuwly, Jean Perdrix, Andreas Kronenberg, Yolanda Mueller, Nicolas Senn, Valérie d'Acremont, Noémie Boillat-Blanco,	Lausanne	Procalcitonin and lung ultrasonography point-of-care testing to decide on antibiotic prescription in patients with lower respiratory tract infection at primary care level: an implementation study
13:30	Matthias Papadimitriou Antonios Kritikos, Infectious Diseases, CHUV Lausanne	Lausanne	Endocarditis Registry at Lausanne University Hospital
13:50	Vanina Dengler Haunreiter, M.de Boumasmoud, N. Häffner, D. Wipfli, N. Leimer, C. Rachmühl, D. Kühnert, Y. Achermann, R. Zbinden, S. Benussi, C. Vulin, A.S. Zinkernagel, USZ, UZH	Zürich	In-host evolution of <i>Staphylococcus epidermidis</i> in a pacemaker-associated endocarditis resulting in increased antibiotic tolerance
14:10	T.A. Schweizer, A.S. Zinkernagel, B. Hasse - Division of Infectious Diseases and Hospital Epidemiology, USZ	Zürich	Comparing The Thoracic Aortic Graft Infection Risk Based On Two Different Types Of Vascular Grafts: Evidence From An In-Vitro Study
14:30	Coffee Break		
15:00	<b>EPIDEMIOLOGY AND OUTBREAKS</b>		
15:00	Mirjam Mäusezahl, FOPH Bern	Bern	Listeriosis in neonates: joint study between Switzerland and Canada
15:20	B. Müllhaupt, Philip Bruggmann, F. Bihl, S. Blach, D. Lavanchy, H. Razavi, S. Robbins Scott, D. Semela, F. Negro. Swiss Hepato-Pancreato-Biliary Center, Gastroenterology and Hepatology, USZ, Arud Centres for Addiction Medicine, Zürich, Gastroenterology & Hepatology in St. Gallen, Geneva, Bellinzona, Center for Disease Analysis Lafayette, Colorado, USA	Zürich + SG, GE, TI	Progress toward implementing the Swiss Hepatitis Strategy: Is HCV elimination possible by 2030?
15:40	Jonas Marschall, Infection Prevention, Inselspital, Bern	Bern	Vancomycin resistant enterococci (VRE) Outbreak update & management from the Inselspital perspective
16:00	D. Vuichard-Gysin, M. Schlegel, N. Troillet, L. Senn, J. Marschall, D. Blanc, N. Buetti, A. Egli, M. Eyer, S. Kuster, A. Kronenberg, C. Balmelli, L. Nartey, V. Masserey Spicher, C. Gardiol, A. F. Widmer, S. Harbarth (Task Force VRE)	Bern	Role of the VRE taskforce
16:20	C. Gardiol (FOPH), D. Vuichard-Gysin (Swissnoso)	Bern	Management of multijurisdictional outbreaks from the Swissnoso/FOPH perspective –
16:45	End		