

1st ANDRONET Hybrid Meeting

Including MC meeting - at M8 to monitor progress and plan GP2

June 8-10, 2022, Barcelona, Spain.

Venue: Centre Esther Koplowitz (IDIBAPS/Fundació Clinic)
Carrer del Rosselló, 153, 08036 Barcelona, Spain

Meeting Type: Management Committee (MC) Meeting, Core Group Meeting, Working Group Meeting, Workshops/Conferences. Description: First COST action hybrid Meeting at M8 to monitor progress, stimulate research collaborations, coordinate professional education and male health awareness efforts, and plan for GP2. Expected Output(s): Report of the first COST action hybrid Meeting at M8 to monitor progress, stimulate research collaborations, coordinate professional education and male health awareness efforts, and plan for GP2 (information above as stated in the approved WBP; except for dates initially planned which will finally be June 8-10, 2022)

Meeting program:

June 8, 2022

14.00 – 14.30 Registration: 14.00-14.30h

14.30 – 16.00 **Session 1: Introduction to the ANDRONET Cost Action**

- ♂ Welcome by the Action Chair and introduction of the ANDRONET Extended Core Group members - *Dr. Rafael Oliva (Spain)*
- ♂ Summary of the overall activities developed in ANDRONET by the Action Chair and Vice-chair - *Dr. Rafael Oliva (Spain) and Dr. Csilla Krausz (Italy)*
- ♂ Q&A and overall comments and discussion – hybrid participation

16.00 – 16.30 Coffee break

16.30 – 18.00 **Session 2: ANDRONET Research and Clinical Groups (*invited short talks*)**

- Dr. Ellen Goossens – *Biology of the Testis (BITE) laboratory, Vrije Universiteit Brussel (Belgium)* – online talk
- Dr. Davor Jezek – *University of Zagreb, School of Medicine (Croatia)*
- Dr. Ana Katusic Bojanac - *University of Zagreb, School of Medicine (Croatia)*

- Dr. Katerina Komrskova – *Laboratory of Reproductive Biology, Institute of Biotechnology, Czech Academy of Sciences, BIOCEV (Czech Republic)*
- Dr. Margus Punab – *Tartu University Hospital (Estonia)*
- Dr. Frank Tüttelmann – *Institute of Reproductive Genetics, University of Münster (Germany)* – online talk

5-min break

- Dr. Csilla Krausz – *Fundació Puigvert (Spain) and Onco-Genetics Laboratory, University of Florence (Italy)*
- Dr. Dragan Hrnčić – *Institute of Medical Physiology “Richard Burian”, Belgrade University Faculty of Medicine (Serbia)*
- Dr. Cristina Eguizabal – *Cell Therapy, Stem Cells and Tissues Groups, Basque Centre for Blood Transfusion and Human Tissues, Biocruces Bizkaia Health Research Institute (Spain)*
- Dr. Meritxell Jodar – *Molecular Biology of Reproduction and Development, IDIBAPS, Universitat de Barcelona and Hospital Clínic de Barcelona (Spain)*
- Dr. Gunay Yetik Anacak – *Ege University Faculty of Pharmacy (Turkey)*
- Dr. Joris Veltman – *Newcastle University (United Kingdom)* – online talk

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09.00 – 10.30

Session 3: ANDRONET WG1 on Research Coordination

- ♂ Update on the progress of WG1 - *Dr. Frank Tüttelmann (Germany)* – online talk
- ♂ Open discussion among ANDRONET WG1 members – hybrid participation
- ♂ Invited short talks by ANDRONET Research and Clinical Groups
 - Dr. Alberto Ferlin – *University Hospital of Padova (Italy)*
 - Dr. Nitzan Gonen – *Bar-Ilan University (Israel)* – online talk
 - Dr. Silvana Andric – *Laboratory for Reproductive Endocrinology and Signaling, Laboratory for Chronobiology and Aging, Faculty of Sciences, University of Novi Sad (Serbia)*
 - Nick Narinx – *Laboratory of Clinical and Experimental Endocrinology, Department of Chronic Diseases and Metabolism, KU Leuven, University Hospitals Leuven (Belgium)*
 - Dr. Dijana Plaseska-Karanfilska – *Research Centre for Genetic Engineering and Biotechnology “Georgi D. Efremov”, Macedonian Academy of Sciences and Arts (North Macedonia)* – online talk

10.30 – 11.00 Coffee break

11.00 – 12.30 **Session 4: ANDRONET WG2 on Professional Education**

- ♂ Update on the progress of WG2 - Dr. Csilla Krausz (Italy)
- ♂ Invited short talks by ANDRONET WG2 members
 - Karel David – *UZ Leuven, KU Leuven (Belgium)*
 - Dr. Lina Evgeni – *Cryogonia Cryopreservation Bank (Greece)*
 - Dr. Juan Manuel Corral – *Uroandrogyny Unit, Urology Service, Hospital Clinic de Barcelona (Spain)*
 - Dr. Lars Björndahl – *Karolinska Institutet (Sweden)* – online talk
 - Dr. Seda Karabulut – *International School of Medicine, Istanbul Medipol University (Turkey)* – online talk
- ♂ Open discussion among ANDRONET WG2 members – hybrid participation

12.30 – 14.00 Lunch time – *not provided by ANDRONET LOC*

14.00 – 15.30 **Session 5: ANDRONET WG3 on Male Health Awareness**

- ♂ Update on the progress of WG3 - Dr. Andrea Sansone (Italy) – online talk
- ♂ Invited short talks by ANDRONET WG3 members
 - Dr. Lina Evgeni – *Cryogonia Cryopreservation Bank (Greece)*
 - Dr. Trine B. Haugen – *Oslomet, Oslo Metropolitan University (Oslo)* – online talk
 - Dr. Seda Karabulut – *International School of Medicine, Istanbul Medipol University (Turkey)* – online talk
- ♂ Open discussion among ANDRONET WG3 members – hybrid participation

15.30 – 16.00 Coffee break

16.00 – 18.00 **Session 6: ANDRONET Management Committee Meeting**

- ♂ Administrative rules and procedures by the Administrative Officer - Ms. Katchamon Nimprang (Belgium)
- ♂ Management Committee Meeting Part 1: plans, activities and distribution of the budget for the second grant period – hybrid participation

10-min break

- ♂ Management Committee Meeting Part 2: distribution of the budget for the second grant period and discussion – hybrid participation

19.30 – 21.30 Optional social activity: dinner at Mussol Las Arenas – *not financially supported by ANDRONET LOC*

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09.00 – 09.30 **Session 7: ANDRONET Science Communication Coordination**

- ♂ Update on the progress of the Science Communication Coordination and presentation of the ANDRONET Science Communication Plan - Dr. Ewa Rajpert-De Meyts (Denmark)
- ♂ ANDRONET social media and communication platforms – Dr. Sandra Laurentino (Germany) – online talk
- ♂ Open discussion among ANDRONET members on the Science Communication Plan (to be approved by the MC) – hybrid participation

09.30 – 10.00 **Session 8: ANDRONET Grant Awarding Coordination**

- ♂ Update on the progress of the Grant Awarding coordination and future plans - Dr. Davor Jezek (Croatia)
- ♂ Open discussion among ANDRONET members – hybrid participation

10.00 – 10.30 **Session 9: ANDRONET Research and Clinical Groups (*invited short talks*)**

- Dr. Jörg Gromoll – *Centre of Reproductive Medicine and Andrology, University of Münster (Germany)* – online talk
- Dr. Hubert Schorle – *Institute of Pathology, Department of Developmental Pathology, University Hospital Bonn, University of Bonn (Germany)* – online talk
- Dr. Birute Zilaitiene – *Department of Endocrinology, Institute of Endocrinology, Lithuanian University of Health Sciences (Lithuania)* – online talk
- Dr. Josanne Vassallo – *Reproductive Endocrinology Clinic, Mater Dei Hospital (Malta)* – online talk

10.30 – 11.00 Coffee break

11.00 – 12.20

Session 10: ANDRONET Research and Clinical Groups (*invited short talks*)

- Dr. Kristian Almstrup – *Department of Growth and Reproduction, International Center for Research, Research Training in Endocrine Disruption of Male Reproduction and Child Health, Department of Molecular Medicine, Rigshospitalet, University of Copenhagen (Denmark)* – online talk
- Dr. Michal Jeřeta – *Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology, University Hospital Brno and Masaryk University Brno, Center of Assisted Reproduction (Czech Republic)* – online talk
- Dr. Noora Kotaja – *Institute of Biomedicine, University of Turku (Finland)* – online talk
- Dr. Julie Cocquet – *Epigenetics & Spermiogenesis, Institut Cochin, INSERM U1016, CNRS UMR8104, University of Paris (France)* – online talk
- Dr. Marina Piscopo – *Department of Biology, University of Naples Federico II (Italy)* – online talk
- Dr. Willy Baarends – *Department of Developmental Biology, Erasmus MC (Netherlands)* – online talk

5-min break

- Dr. Trine B. Haugen – *Oslomet, Oslo Metropolitan University (Oslo)* – online talk
- Dr. Ana Hejmej – *Department of Endocrinology, Institute of Zoology and Biomedical Research, Jagiellonian University (Poland)* – online talk
- Dr. Maciej Kurpisz – *Institute of Human Genetics (Poland)* – online talk
- Dr. Margarida Fardilha – *Signal Transduction Laboratory, Institute for Biomedicine, University of Aveiro (Portugal)* – online talk
- Dr. Abdullah Karaer – *Inonu University (Turkey)* – online talk

12.20 – 12.30

Session 11: Closing and farewell

- ♂ Final remarks by the ANDRONET Action Chair and Vice-chair - *Dr. Rafael Oliva (Spain) and Dr. Csilla Krausz (Italy)*