**Scientific Program & Schedule**

The CISTM15 Scientific Program Committee is putting together a very exciting program at this time. We will update the information on this page as the program is being confirmed. Please check back for the latest information.  
  
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The Scientific Program Committee is currently developing the program. Confirmed sessions include:

**Plenary Sessions**

Monday, 15 May  
**Human Migration:  Challenges and Opportunities**

Migration, Human Mobility and Health: A Global Agenda  
*Davide Mosca, Switzerland*  
  
Screening Migrants at Europe's Forefront: Evidence, Feasibility and Acceptability  
*Teymur Noori, Sweden*  
  
  
What do Migrants Bring to the Host Country  
*Cecile Kyenge, Italy*

Tuesday, 16 May  
**Public Health Emergencies and Global Security**

Public Health Emergencies of International Concern  
   *Helen Rees, South Africa*  
Disease Surveillance and Mapping:  From Big Data to Informal Networks  
   *TBD*  
  
Global Health Security: Preparedness and Response: Can We Do Better and Stay Safe?  
 *Martin Cetron, Unites States of America*

Wednesday, 17 May  
**Antimicrobial Resistance:  Home and Away**

  
Global Overview of Antimicrobial Resistance  
*Jordi Vila, Spain*  
  
  
  
  
Role of Travellers in the Spread of Resistant Organisms  
*Mary Wilson, United States of America*  
  
  
  
  
International Responses to Antimicrobial Resistance and Implications for Travellers  
*Marc Mendelson, South Africa*

Thursday, 18 May  
**Zika: from PHEIC to the Long Haul**

Virology, Epidemiology, Entomology  
   *Amadou Sall, Senegal*  
Clinical Manifestations:  Congenital Zika Syndrome  
   Demócrito de Barros Miranda Filho, *Brasil*  
Public Health and Travel Medicine Implications, Vaccinations  
   *Susan Hills, United States of America*

**Alan Magill Memorial Lecture  
Wednesday 17.15 - 18.15**

  
Alan Magill Memorial Lecture  
*Sir Richard Feachem, United Kingdom*

**Panel Discussions**

**Travellers Diarrhea:  Consensus and Controversy**  
   *Moderator: Mark Riddle, United States of America*  
   *Bradley Connor, United States of America*  
   *Anu Kantele, Finland*  
   *Prativa Pandey, Nepal*

**Refugee Crisis in Europe: What is the Situation?**  
   *Moderator: Rogelio Lopez-Velez, Spain*  
   *Androula Pavli, Greece*  
   *Davide Mosca, Switzerland*  
   *Alberto Matteelli, Italy*  
   *Louis Loutan, Switzerland  
  Susanne Pruskil, Germany*

**Symposia**

**Don't Let the ~~Bed~~ Bugs Bite: Assessing and Reducing Vector-Borne Disease Risk For Travellers**  
Mosquitos - Distribution, Behavior, Competence  
   *Steven* Schofield*, Canada*  
Sandflies, Ticks, Tsetse Flies, Reduvid  
   *Anthony Kiszewski, United States of America*  
Personal Protection  
   *Larry Goodyer, United Kingdom*

**Clinical and Diagnostic Challenges of Arboviruses**  
Diagnosing and Differentiating Arboviruses  
   *Rosanna Peeling*  
Clinical Management of Arthogenic Viruses Including Chikungunya  
   *Fabrice Simon, France*  
Neurotropic Virus- JE, West Nile, Zika, Dengue  
   *Ingrid Rabe, United States of America*

**What is New in Vaccines?**  
Vaccines for GI Pathogens  
   *Edward Ryan, United States of America*  
Dengue Vaccines  
   *Anna Durbin, United States of America*  
Accessing and Choosing Vaccines Not Available in High Income Countries:  JE Vaccine  
   *Brian Ward, Canada*

**Malaria Chemoprophylaxis Guidelines - Can We Agree?  Moving Towards Consensus**  
Global Epidemiology and Imported Malaria  
   *Christoph Hatz, Switzerland*  
Developing Evidence-Based Malaria Guidelines  
   *Anne McCarthy, Canada*  
From Guidelines to Real Life: Making it Work for Practitioners and Patients  
   *Ivan Solà, Spain*

**Malaria:  the Diagnostic and Treatment Toolbox**  
Pathogenesis, Defining and Predicting Severe Malaria (Immune and Non Immune)  
   *Kevin Kain, Canada*  
What's New in Malaria Prevention and Management?  
   *Jörg Möhrle, Switzerland*  
Malaria Treatment Guidelines  
   *Martin Grobusch, Netherlands*

**Our Dangerous World: the impact on Climate Change, Air Pollution and Natural Disasters on Travel Health**  
Climate Change and Infectious Disease Threats to Travellers  
   *Jan Semenza, Sweden*  
Air Pollution, Heat and Humidity: Health Risks and Advice for Travellers  
   *Alistair Woodward, New Zealand*  
Extreme Event: Global Picture (Earthquakes, Tsunamis, Flooding, Drought)  
   *Kirsten Johnson, Canada*

**Travelling On and Beyond the Edge**  
Altitude  
   *Peter Bärtsch, Switzerland*  
Space Travel  
   *Gerard Flaherty, Ireland*  
Extreme Temperatures (Cold and Heat)  
   *Gordon Giesbrecht, Canada*

**Keeping Immunosuppressed Travellers Healthy**  
Pre Travel Vaccines/Malaria Prophylaxis- Splenectomy  
   *Helena Askling, Sweden*  
Self-Rx and Accessing Care during Travel  
   *David Freedman, United States of America*  
Disease Risks Related to Immunosuppression  
   *Leo Visser, Netherlands*

**Special Travellers I:  Seniors, Students, and for Sex and Sport**  
Traveling for Sports  
   *Travis Heggie, United States of America*  
Traveling for Study and Field Work  
   *Fiona Genasi, Scotland*  
Traveling for Sex  
   *Jay Keystone, Canada*  
Travel for Seniors  
   *Irmgard Bauer, Australia*

**Outbreaks Due to Bats, Birds, and Camels**  
Ebola: Managing Post Outbreak, and Chronic Complications  
   *Daniel Bausch, Switzerland*  
MERS-CoV: What's the Story with Camels?  
   *Marjorie Pollack, United States of America*  
Avian Influenza: Current Status and Pandemic Potential  
   *Albert Osterhaus, Netherlands*

**New Tropical Medicine Guidelines**  
Leishmania  
   *Michael Libman, Canada*  
Neurocycercosis  
   *Christina Coyle, United States of America*  
Strongyloides  
   *Zeno Bisoffi, Italy*  
Chagas  
   *José A. Pérez Molina, Spain*

**Yellow Fever: Man Monkey Mosquito Vaccine**  
Yellow Fever: The Recurring Plague  
   *Oyewali Tomori, Nigeria*  
Man Monkeying with Yellow Fever Vaccine  
   *Annelies Wilder – Smith, Singapore*  
The Vaccine Wall: WHO Recommendations on Lifelong Protection and ICVP  
   *Dipti Patel, United Kingdom*

**Special Travellers II: Women, Groups, and Expats**  
Female Travellers - Does Travel Medicine Need a Venus Spin?  
   *Patricia Schlagenhauf, Switzerland*  
Youth Traveling to Mass Gatherings  
   *Susan Kuhn, Canada*  
Expat and Long-Term Traveller  
   *David Hamer, United States of America*

**Workshops**

**Hot Off the Press:  Literature That Changes Travel Medicine Practice**  
   *Eric Caumes, France*  
*Elizabeth Barnett, United States of America*

**Travel Medicine - the Inside Story**  
   *Eli Schwartz, Israel*  
   *Blaise Genton, Switzerland*

**Addressing Travel-Related Psychological and Cultural Stresses**  
   *Peter de Beer, Netherlands*  
   *Fiona Dunkley, United Kingdom*

**Mountain Travel and Trekking: Into Thin Air**  
   *Jenny Visser, New Zealand*  
   *Ken Zafren, United States of America*

**Risky Exotic Exposures: Food, Animals, and Environments to Avoid**  
   *Pricilla Rupali, India*  
   *Camillia Rothe, Germany*

**Rabies:  Pre- and Post-Exposure**  
   *Philippe Gautret, France*  
   *David Shlim, United States of America*

**Baby On Board: Travelling For Two**  
   *Sarah Borwein, Hong Kong*  
   *Sheila Mackell, United Kingdom*

**Managing the Ill Returned Traveller**  
   *Valerie d’Acremont, Switzerland*  
   *Andrea Boggild, Canada*

**Kids on the Move**  
   *Mike Starr, Australia*  
   *Philip Fischer, United States of America*

**Interactions and Polypharmacy: Managing Medications During Travel**  
   *Lee Baker, South Africa*  
   *Jeff Goad, United States of America*

**The VFR and Migrant Traveller**  
   *William Stauffer, United States of America*  
   *Anita Heywood, Australia*

**Destination-India**  
   *Santanu Chatterjee, India*  
   *Tony Gherardin, Australia*

**Destination- Southeast Europe (Croatia, Slovenia, Bosnia & Herzegovina, Montenegro, Serbia, Kosovo, and Macedonia)â€‹**  
   *Dvorka Lukas, Croatia*  
   *Pavlos Saratis, Cypress*

**Nuts and Bolts of Vaccines (ABC)**  
   *Maria Mileno, United States of America*  
   *Colleen Lau, Australia*

**Malaria Prevention (ABC)**  
   *Guido Calleri, Italy*  
   *Patrick Hickey, United States of America*

**Risk Communication and Pre-Travel Preparation (ABC)**  
   *Jane Chiodini, United Kingdom*  
   *Beth Lown, United States of America*

**Technology for Non-Techies:  
How to Modernize Your Travel Medicine Practice Without Losing Your Mind**  
   *Deborah Mills, Australia*  
   *Sarah Kohl, United States of America*

**Fit for Travel?  Trip Prep for Elderly Travellers and Those with Chronic Medical Conditions**  
   *Mary Louise Scully, United States of America*  
   *Joe Torresi, Australia*

**Travel Medicine Practice:  Perspectives from Different Continents**  
   *Alexandra Grieve, United Kingdom*  
   *Claire Wong, New Zealand*  
   *Nancy Piper Jenks, United States of America*