

Wednesday 13 May

9 am – 5 pm

**Mechanism of
disease**

	Topic	Presenter
9.00 - 9.15	Opening ESPBC	Pajkrt and Oudijk
	Vaginal microbiome	
9.15 - 9.40	Current status of research on vaginal microbiome	Phil Bennett
9.40 - 10.05	How about probiotics?	David Macintyre
10.05 - 10.30	Bacterial DNA in the human placenta	Jacques Ravel Gordon Smith
10.30 - 11.00	Coffee	
	The cervix	
11.00 - 11.15	Reproducibility of cervical length measurements – is it good enough?”	Bo Jacobssen
11.15 - 11.30	Development of Rapid miRNA based predictive tests for cervical shortening and preterm labor	A. Vasso Terzidou
11.45 - 12.15	The cervix and preterm birth: Bioengineering approaches to function and treatment	Michael House
12.15 - 12.30	The Mavric trial, indications for abdominal cerclage	Andrew Shennan
12.30 - 14.00	Lunch Poster session I	
	PREBIC	
14.00 - 14.05	PREBIC session, history of PREBIC	Cynthia Gyamfi
14.05 - 14.30	Putting Spontaneous Preterm Labour that Leads to Preterm Birth on the Map	Ronnie Lamont
14.30 - 14.55	Environmental exposures and PTB	Tracy Manuck
14.55 - 15.20	PTB research in low and middle income countries	Dilly Anumba
15.20 - 15.45	Translational research in PTB	Mark Johnson
15.45 - 16.15	Tea	
	First abstract session, oral presentations	
16.00 - 16.15	Abstracts	

16.15 - 16.30	Abstracts
16.30 -16.45	Abstracts
16.45 - 17.00	Abstracts

Thursday 14 May 2020

9 am – 5 pm

Clinical research and current state-of-the-art

Topic

8.45 - 8.50

Opening

8.50 - 9.15

Keynote lecture: The evidence of pessary for short cervix in singletons

9.15 - 9.30

The combination of progesterone and pessary: result of the P5 study

9.30 - 9.45

The evidence for cerclage in singletons

Twin pregnancies

9.45 - 10.10

Pessary and progesterone in twin pregnancies

10.10 - 10.30

Results of Stoppit-2 study and overview evidence in twins

10.30 - 11.00

Coffee

Progesterone

11.00 - 11.20

PROLONG trial

11.20 - 11.40

Update Progesterone IPD meta-analysis, EPPPIC study update

11.40 - 12.10

Debate Progesterone

12.10 - 12.30

Prevention of PTB with Aspirin

12.30 - 14.00

Lunch

Poster session II

Second abstract session, oral presentations

14.00 - 14.15

Abstracts

14.15 - 14.30

Abstracts

14.30 - 14.45

Abstracts

14.45 - 15.15

Tocolysis: Pro/contra debate

15.15 - 15.45

Tea

I-SPY session

15.45 - 16.00

Predictive capacity of cervical length measurement in different (high) risk populations across different populations in Europe using individual p data

16.00 - 16.15

Combined cervical length with commercially available biomarkers to predict preterm birth in symptomatic women

16.15 - 16.30	Different diagnostic and therapeutic strategies within the topic of infectious disease and preterm birth throughout the world
16.30 - 17.00	
17.00 - 17.30	Three best posters for short oral communications

Friday 15 May 2020

9 am – 1 pm

Preterm Birth: the Future

9.00 - 9.05

Topic
Opening

Presenter

9:05-9.45

Artificial womb

Keynote lecture: The artificial Womb

Alan Flake

9.45-10.05

The artificial placenta

Mark Schoberer

10.05-10.30

Dutch plans for the development of an artificial womb

Guid Oei

10.30 - 11.00

Coffee break

11.00 - 11.30

New interventions

RCT's in preterm birth, should we apart from quality also worry about integrity of the data?

BW Mol

RCT's: what to expect in the years to come? What should be our focus regarding preterm birth prevention?

Joshua Vogel

11.30 - 12.00

What can we learn from the RCT's we have done?'

Janneke van 't Hooft

12.00 - 12.30

12.30 - 13.00

Closing ESPBC 2020 and Short presentation ESPBC 2022

Pajkrt/Oudijk/Future presidents Niet op program.

13.00 - 15.00

APOSTEL 8 meeting for participating centers

Thornton, Klumper and Oudijk