EMC 2018 Program
This meeting will emphasise networking and early career researchers

Monday 19th March 2018

2pm International Melioidosis Committee closed meeting

6pm Welcome reception – drinks and canapes.
8pm College dinner in hall
LMH college bar available (cash purchases) until 6 – 11.30 pm

Tuesday 20th March 2018

7.30 – 9am Breakfast

9am Session 1: Opening and plenary talks
Susanna Dunachie (MORU, Bangkok & Oxford University) & Brian Angus
(Oxford University)
Chris Conlon (Head of Nuffield Department of Medicine, Oxford University)
Paul Keim (Northern Arizona University)
Eric Bertherat (Alert and Response Operations Programme, WHO, Geneva,
Switzerland)

10.30am Break

11am Session 2: Clinical and Veterinary Aspects
Chairs: Bart Currie (Menzies, Darwin) & Heinrich Neubauer (Friedrich-
Loeffler-Institut, Germany)

12.30 Lunch

1.30pm Session 3: Epidemiology & Environmental
Chairs: David Dance (LOMWRU, Vientiane Laos & Oxford University) & Direk
Limmathurotsakul (MORU, Bangkok & Oxford University)

3pm Break

3.30pm Session 4: Diagnosis
Chairs: Ivo Steinmetz (Medical University of Graz) & Tim Atkins (DSTL, Porton
Down)

5pm Posters

7.30pm Gala dinner, Lady Margaret Hall dining room
LMH college bar available (cash purchases) until 6 – 11.30 pm
Wednesday 21st March 2018

7.30 – 9am  Breakfast

9am  **Session 5: Genomics**
Chairs: Paul Keim (Northern Arizona University) and Claire Cheewapeecha (University of Cambridge and King Mongkut’s University of Technology Thonburi, Thailand)

10.30am  Break

11am  **Session 6: Pathogenesis & Immunology**
Chairs: Joost Wiersinga (Academic Medical Center, Amsterdam) & Rosemary Boyton (Imperial College London)

12.30  Lunch

1.30pm  **Session 7: Vaccines & Prevention**
Chairs: Rick Titball (Exeter University) & Vicki Krause (Northern Territory Department of Health, Darwin)

3pm  Break

3.30pm  **Session 8 – Closing session**
Susanna Dunachie (MORU, Bangkok & Oxford University) & Brian Angus (Oxford University), Direk Limmathurotsakul (MORU, Bangkok & Oxford University)
Trinh Thanh Trung (Vietnam National University, Hanoi, Host of World Melioid Congress 2019)

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