

**Joint UK Cancer Cytogenetics Group and  
Centre for Haemato-Oncology  
Annual Conference**  
Herschel Building  
Newcastle University  
Newcastle upon Tyne

**Monday, 9<sup>th</sup> and Tuesday, 10<sup>th</sup> April 2018**

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Provisional PROGRAMME

Monday, 9<sup>th</sup> April

- 12.00      **Registration and lunch**
- 13.00      Welcome  
Chair: *Christine Harrison*
- 13.10      FISH and MLPA in ALL2003  
*Claire Schwab*
- 13.30      **Guest Lecture**  
Important abnormalities in B-other ALL, the best methods for their detection and algorithms for testing in Japan, mainly *ZNF384* and *MEF2D*  
*Dr Kentaro Ohki, Department of Pediatric Hematology & Oncology, National Center for Child Health and Development, Japan*
- 14.00      **Centre for Haemato-Oncology Guest Lecture**  
Chair: *Christine Harrison*  
  
Repurposing imatinib to treat refractory T-cell Acute Lymphoblastic Leukaemia  
*Dr Frederik van Delft, Northern Institute for Cancer Research*
- 14.30      FISH for haematological cancer: an update on probes and probe designs  
*Sven Hauke, Generon, UK*
- 15.00      Detection of gene fusions in leukaemias and solid tumours by next generation sequencing  
*Lisa Irving, Northern Genetics Service, Newcastle*
- 15.20      Update on Myechild01  
*Christine Harrison*
- 15.40      **Coffee**
- 16.10      **Blood wise Guest Lecture**  
Chair: *Christine Harrison*  
  
The Molecular Landscape of pediatric AML treated in the ELAM02 trial in France  
*Professeur H el ene Lapillonne, H opital d'enfants Armand Trousseau, Paris*
- 17.10      **Drinks Reception**

Tuesday, 10<sup>th</sup> April

- 9:20           **Registration and Welcome**
- 9.30           The New International Childhood ALL Trial: ALLtogether  
*Anthony Moorman*
- 10.30          SNP Arrays in ALL2011  
*Kathryn Watts, Northern Genetics Service, Newcastle*
- 11.00          **Coffee**
- 11.30          **Guest Lecture**  
Chair: *Anthony Moorman*
- Incorporating comprehensive cytogenetic and molecular data into the National  
                  Cancer Registry in England.  
*David Bowen*
- 12.00          **Guest Lecture**  
Progress with GEL  
*Shirley Henderson*
- 13.00          **Lunch**
- 14.00          The trials and tribulations of delivering an MPN NGS service: The WMRGL  
                  experience 1 year on.  
*Kim Reay, Birmingham*
- 14.20          WMRGL AML/MDS NGS service: series of case reports.  
*David Hill, Birmingham*
- 15:45          Close of Meeting

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