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## Severe Asthma Patient Conference

**Saturday 21 January 2023**

**10:30 – 16:30 CET**

**Online event**

Co-Chairs for the event are Ms Olivia Fulton and Professor Ratko Djukanovic

*Timings below are in Central European Time (CET), please adjust for your timezone*

- 10:30      **Welcome and housekeeping**  
Olivia Fulton (UK), Professor Ratko Djukanovic (UK) and ELF Chair Kjeld Hansen (Norway) *(15 mins)*
- 10:45      **Session 1: Basics of severe asthma**  
(40 mins)      Speaker introductions, Olivia Fulton (UK) *(5 mins)*
- What is severe asthma?**  
                 Dr Ramesh Kurukulaaratchy (UK) *(20 mins)*
- Video: my experience living with severe asthma**  
                 Hanna Nielsen (Sweden) *(5 mins)*
- Question and Answer with speakers** *(10 mins)*
- 11:25      **Break** *(15 mins)*
- 11:40      **Session 2: Living with severe asthma**  
(1 hour 10 mins)      Speaker introductions, Prof Ratko Djukanovic (UK) *(5 mins)*
- Video: Living well with severe asthma**  
                 Irantzu Muerza Santos (Spain) *(10 mins)*
- Balancing life with severe asthma – a conversation**  
                 Professor Vanessa McDonald (Australia) and Dominique Hamerlijnck (Netherlands) *(25 mins)*
- Getting the most out of your severe asthma care**  
                 Maja Zrnić (Slovenia) *(15 mins)*
- Question and Answer with speakers** *(15 mins)*
- 12:50      **Lunch Break** *(45 mins)*



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- 13:35 **Session 3: Current treatment options**  
(1 hour 30 min) Speaker introductions, Olivia Fulton (UK) (5 mins)
- Overview of treatments for severe asthma**  
Dr Anneke ten Brinke (Netherlands) (15 mins)
- Video: Patient experiences with severe asthma treatment**  
Luciano Cattani (Italy) and Karen Maria Vande Casteele (Belgium) (10 mins)
- Choosing the right treatment for you**  
Professor Renaud Louis (Belgium) (20 mins)
- Severe asthma and pregnancy**  
Mia Chapman (UK) (5 mins)
- Apart from the drugs, what else is there?**  
Dr Rolf Wolters (Switzerland) (15 mins)
- Question and Answer with speakers (20 mins)**
- 15:05 **Break (15 mins)**
- 15:20 **Session 4: Research and new treatments**  
(1:00 hour) Speaker introductions, Professor Ratko Djukanovic (UK) (5 mins)
- Video: Asthma Patient Advisory Group**  
Betty Frankemölle (Netherlands) and Stephanie Wilkinson (UK) (5 mins)
- New treatments on the horizon for severe asthma**  
Professor Sven-Erik Dahlén (Sweden) (15 mins)
- My experience of taking part in clinical research**  
Dia Sue-Wah-Sing (Canada) (5 mins)
- SHARP: The Severe Heterogenous Asthma Research collaboration, Patient-Centered**  
Professor Celeste Porsbjerg (Denmark) and Olivia Fulton (UK) (15 mins)
- Question and Answer with speakers (15 mins)**
- 16:20 **Take-home messages**  
Professor Ratko Djukanovic (UK) (10 mins)