



Bronchiectasis Patient Conference **Saturday 15 March 2025; 10:00 – 16:00 CET**

Welcome

Co-hosts: Donatella Nobile (Italy) and Dr Pieter Goeminne (Belgium)
10:00 Introduction and housekeeping

Session 1: Bronchiectasis overview

Co-chairs: Justine Hamaide (France) and Dr Mattia Nigro (Italy)
10:10 Session introduction
10:15 Introduction to bronchiectasis – Prof Michal Shteinberg, Israel
10:30 Patient experience video – Joyce Norwell, UK
10:35 Bronchiectasis and long-term infections – Dr Charles Haworth, UK
11:00 Q&A
11:15 Break

Session 2: Can my bronchiectasis be helped?

Co-chairs: Bridget Harris (UK) and Prof James Chalmers (UK)
11:25 Session introduction
11:30 Patient experience video – Rónán Mills, Ireland
11:35 Bronchiectasis and cross-infection risks – Prof Pierre-Régis Burgel, France
11:50 Am I getting worse or am I just the same? – Dr Pieter Goeminne, Belgium
12:10 Q&A
12:20 Panel discussion: Can my bronchiectasis be helped?
Chairs: Bridget Harris; Prof James Chalmers.
Panellists: Rónán Mills, Prof Pierre-Régis Burgel, Dr Pieter Goeminne
12:45 Break

Session 3: Self-management and supporting wellbeing

Co-chairs: Eliza Kompatsiari (Greece) and Prof Michal Shteinberg (Israel)
13:25 Session introduction
13:30 Patient experience video – Donatella Nobile, Italy
13:35 Physical activity – finding the perfect prescription – Dr P J McShane, USA
13:55 Q&A
14:05 Panel discussion: Unusual symptoms of bronchiectasis
Chairs: Eliza Kompatsiari and Donatella Nobile
Panellists: Dr P J McShane, Prof. Michal Shteinberg, Dr Arietta Spinou, Prof. James Chalmers
14:30 Break

Session 4: Finding the answers – Research and the future

Co-chairs: Alan Timothy (UK) and Dr P J McShane (USA)
14:40 Session introduction
14:45 Artificial intelligence and bronchiectasis information – Dr Mattia Nigro, Italy
15:05 Research, trial results and future direction – Prof James Chalmers, UK
15:35 Q&A
15:55 Closing words: Donatella Nobile, Italy
16:00 End