

# GCIR - Geneva Centre for Inflammation Research

## INAUGURATION

**Thursday 13 October 2022**

**10:00** **Welcome**

**Prof. Cem Gabay**

Dean of the UNIGE Faculty of Medicine

### GCIR PRESENTATIONS:

**10:10 Prof. Simone Bacattini**

Department of Pathology and Immunology, UNIGE Faculty of Medicine

**«HOST-MICROBE INTERACTIONS IN THE INTESTINE: IMPLICATIONS FOR IMMUNITY AND DISEASE»**

**10:25 Prof. Camilla Jandus**

Department of Pathology and Immunology, UNIGE Faculty of Medicine

**«NEURO-IMMUNE AXIS IN CANCER: ILC-YOU IN THE BLADDER!»**

**10:40 Keynote Speaker**

**Prof. Georg Schett**

Department of Internal Medicine, Friedrich Alexander University Erlangen-Nuremberg, Germany

**«TOWARDS CELL-BASED THERAPY OF AUTOIMMUNE DISEASE»**

**11:15 Prof. Axel Finckh**

Department of Rheumatology, UNIGE Faculty of Medicine & University Hospitals of Geneva (HUG)

**«RHEUMATOID ARTHRITIS AND THE MUCOSAL ORIGINS HYPOTHESIS: FINDINGS FROM A COHORT OF AT-RISK INDIVIDUALS»**

**11:30 Dr. Christiane Sigrid Eberhardt**

Center for Vaccinology, University Hospitals of Geneva (HUG)

**«ROLE OF T CELLS IN COVID-19 VACCINATION AND BEYOND»**

**11:45 Prof. Karl-Heinz Krause**

Department of Pathology and Immunology, UNIGE Faculty of Medicine

**«BIOTECH IS A MERE CONTINUATION OF TRANSLATIONAL RESEARCH BY OTHER MEANS»**

**12:00 Lunch**

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## SCIENTIFIC SYMPOSIUM

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**13:20 Introduction**

**Prof. Doron Merkler**

GCIR Academic Coordinator, UNIGE Faculty of Medicine

### INVITED SPEAKERS:

**13:30 Prof. Onur Boyman**

Department of Immunology, University of Zurich, Switzerland

**«MOLECULAR MODULATION OF CYTOKINES FOR PRECISION IMMUNOTHERAPY OF CANCER AND IMMUNOPATHOLOGY»**

**14:10 Prof. Thomas Korn**

Department of Neurology, Technical University of Munich, Germany

**«T CELL RESPONSES IN CNS AUTOIMMUNITY»**

**14:50 Prof. Sophie Ugolini**

Centre d'Immunologie de Marseille-Luminy, Marseille, France

**«NEURAL REGULATION OF IMMUNITY»**

**15:30 Coffee Break**

**16:00 Prof. Dorothee Viemann**

Department of Pediatrics, University of Würzburg, Germany

**«NEXT GENERATION PEDIATRICS: FROM BED TO BENCH AND BACK»**

**16:40 Prof. Oliver Söhnlein**

Institute for Experimental Pathology, Center for Molecular Biology of Inflammation, Westfälische Wilhelms-Universität, Münster, Germany

**«NEUTROPHILS IN CHRONIC INFLAMMATION: FROM PHYSIOLOGY TO INTERVENTION»**

**17:20 Closing remarks and cocktail**