FIRST ANNOUNCEMENT

19th Annual Course
Vienna, Austria
March 27th-28th, 2020

A course made possible through grants from

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SCIENTIFIC COMMITTEE

Chair: C. Bokemeyer
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TOPICS COVERED DURING THE COURSE

- Supportive or palliative care: any difference?
- Consequences of anaemia
- Consequences of neutropenia with chemotherapy and other agents
- Treatment of anaemia and neutropenia in cancer patients, including older patients
- An understanding of biosimilars in oncology
- Prevention and treatment of thrombosis in cancer patients
- Evaluation of risk factors for anaemia or neutropenia or thrombosis
- Progress in thrombocytopenia management
- Transfusions: pros and cons
- Updated ESMO and other guidelines

OBJECTIVES OF THE COURSE

This course should clarify issues related to anaemia, neutropenia, thrombocytopenia and thrombosis in the cancer patient, including older patients, and the optimal way of preventing or treating these problems, including a review of guidelines. It will also focus on aspects still unresolved in the treatment of cancer treatment-associated anaemia like management of iron. All aspects will be discussed with participation from the audience, also using case studies.

At the end of the course the participants should be able to better prescribe preventative or corrective actions in these areas for cancer patients, including older patients, and critically follow the development of this important field in the near future.

- The Scientific Committee has requested auspices of: AFSOS, ESMO, ESO, MASCC, SIOG.
- CME accreditation via EACCME requested.

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