



ESCD 2026 Programme

Thursday 25 June

	Jerne	Holst	Nielsine Nielsen
8.00-9.00	<p>Educational session: What makes a contact allergen?</p> <p>Speakers: Jean-Pierre Lepoittevin & Lina Hagvall</p>	<p>Educational sessions: Patch testing with own consumer or occupational products - when and how to do this</p> <p>Speakers: An Goossens & Maria Pesonen</p>	<p>Educational session: Nurse session: advising patients with contact dermatitis</p> <p>Speakers: Anna Krøntoft & Cara Bieck</p>
9.00-9.15	Session change		
9.15-10.45	<p>Workshop - Chair Jonathan White Patch tests on skin of color – how does patch test reaction manifest in different skin type?</p> <p>Speakers: Jacob Sons, Pailin Puangpet, Erere Otrofanowei & Herielly Msuya</p>	<p>Focus session - Chair Marcos Timón & Vera Mahler The regulatory environment</p> <p>Speakers: Sonja Neimanis & Marcos Timón</p> <p>Short talks Andreas Natsch: Using NAMs for risk assessment and management of fragrance skin sensitizers James Taylor: AI Proliferation and the Disruption of Scientific Publishing; Is Patch Testing Exempt? Richard Brans: New insights in test performance quality of patch testing patient's own material: Current results of a pan-German research project</p>	<p>Focus session - Chair Marie Nöelle Crepy & Ola Bergendorff Prevention of occupational contact dermatitis/gloves</p> <p>Speakers: Marie Nöelle Crepy & Ola Bergendorff</p> <p>Short talks Katri Suuronen: Isothiazolinones in disposable rubber gloves Rosemary Nixon: Clinical clues in contact dermatitis: causes of unilateral hand dermatitis Christoffer K Larsen: Thresholds for Contact Allergy to a Rubber Accelerator: TETD—Determined by Serial Dilution Patch Testing and a Simulated Glove-Use Model</p>
10.45-11.15	Coffee break & Exhibition		
11.15-12.15	<p>Plenary talk - Chair Ian White & Anders Woetmann Genetics – effects on skin and immune response</p> <p>Speakers: Laurits Skov & Sheila McSweeney</p>		
12.15-13.15	Lunch & Exhibition		
13.15-14.45	<p>Workshop - Chair Margarida Gonçalves Severe Cutaneous Adverse Drug Reactions – clinical and diagnostic evaluations.</p> <p>Speakers: Margarida Gonçalves, Teofila Caplanusi, Luca Stingeni & Tommaso Galeotti</p>	<p>Free Communication 1 - Chair Cara Bieck & Julie Weber</p> <p>Caterina Curato: Local skin enrichment and cross-reactivity of chemical-specific T cells in allergic skin reactions</p>	<p>Focus session - Chair Wolfgang Uter & Jeanne Duus Johansen Occupational contact dermatitis</p> <p>Speakers: Maria Pesonen & Jojo Biel Nielsen Dietz</p>



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13.15-14.45		<p><i>Continued</i></p> <p>Hermann-Josef Thierse: Immunobiochemical first molecular steps in antigen processing of methylisothiazolinone indicate the development of potential T cell self-neoepitopes</p> <p>Kathrin S Zeller: Human cell-based in vitro approaches to complement clinical investigations of new allergens and mixtures</p> <p>Mia H Jee: IL-17-dependent dermatitis increases the susceptibility to influenza infection in Tmem79-deficient mice</p> <p>Jing Ling Wong: Extracellular Vesicles as Potential Biomarkers in Allergic Contact Dermatitis</p> <p>Elena Gimenez-Arnau: Photoallergic contact dermatitis: an electron paramagnetic resonance approach to assess xenobiotic-mediated radicals in sun-exposed skin</p>	<p><i>Continued</i></p> <p>Short talks</p> <p>Pau Forte-Genesca: Outbreak of Allergic Contact Dermatitis in Waste Management Workers Linked to Polyisoprene Mask Bands Containing Multiple Allergens</p> <p>Victor Pinheiro: Prevalence and occupational determinants of skin sensitization and dermatitis among epoxy-exposed workers in the wind turbine industry</p> <p>Jose H Alfonso: Occupationally Driven Alterations of Skin Microbiota in Waste Sorting Workers: A Norwegian Cross-Sectional Study</p>
14.45-15.15	Coffee break & Exhibition		
15.15-16.45	<p>Focus session - Chair Elke Weisshaar & Steffen Schubert</p> <p>Contact allergy in different age-groups</p> <p>Speakers: Elke Weisshaar & Steffen Schubert</p> <p>Short talks</p> <p>Sonja Molin: Patterns of Pediatric Chronic Hand Eczema: A Review With a Focus on Causes, Allergens, and Management</p> <p>Gina Friedriszik: Parent-reported Allergens in Children and Adolescents with Allergic Contact Dermatitis: Results from a Nationwide Cross-sectional Survey in Germany</p> <p>Sebastian V Svendsen: Contact allergy and allergic contact dermatitis from adolescence to adulthood in the TOACS cohort: A 30-year follow-up</p>	<p>Focus session - Chair Helen Vaher & Peter Elsner</p> <p>Irritant contact dermatitis and the skin barrier</p> <p>Speakers: Helen Vaher & Peter Elsner</p> <p>Short talks</p> <p>Sanja Kezic: Stratum Corneum Biomarkers for Differentiating Irritant and Allergic Contact Dermatitis in Patch Test Reactions and Hand Dermatitis</p> <p>Hye O Kim: Dysregulated Lipidome of Skin Surface Lipid in Patients with Sensitive Skin</p> <p>Michal Gina: Effectiveness of barrier creams against glove-induced occlusion effects</p>	<p>Focus session - Chair Ana Maria Giménez-Arnau & Charlotte Mørtz</p> <p>Contact urticaria/protein contact dermatitis - immediate contact reactions</p> <p>Speakers: Ana M Giménez-Arnau, Charlotte Mørtz, Mojca Bizjak</p> <p>Short talks</p> <p>Ilaria Trave: Allergic occupational contact dermatitis among dental healthcare students in an Italian university center</p> <p>Katharine Hopkins: Oral health and contact allergy in the fibromyalgia population.</p> <p>Eddy Langlois: Chemical analysis of allergens present in gloves to support clinical diagnosis</p>
16.45 - 18.00	Postersession with Drinks & Snacks		



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8.00-9.00	Educational session Identification of chemicals in products Speakers: Ella Dendooven & Martin Mowitz	Educational session Diagnostic challenges (in facial dermatitis, in hand dermatitis, in genital dermatitis) Speakers: Katharina Hansel & Suzana Ljubojevic	Educational session Patch testing technical aspect and reading Speakers: Magnus Bruze & Solveig Christensen
9.00-9.15	Coffee break & Exhibition		
9.15-10.15	Plenary talk - Chair Swen M. John & David Pesqué Different phenotypes of hand dermatitis - underlying pathomechanisms and associated potential therapeutics Speakers: Andrea Bauer & Marie Louise Schuttelaar		
10.15-10.45	Coffee break & Exhibition		
10.45-12.15	Focus session - Chair Jakob Schwensen & Mark Wilkinson Cosmetics including emerging allergens, fragrances, preservatives Speakers: Ella Dendooven & Rebekka Sogaard Short talks Radoslaw Spiewak: Cosmetics as a source of tin exposure Sofia Botvid: Ten Years of Patch Testing to Hydroperoxides of Limonene and Linalool: Prevalence, Patterns, and Clinical Insights Jiehyun Jeon: Comparative Analysis of Cosmetic Patch Test Allergens Using Two Cosmetic Manufacturer-Sourced Ingredients in a Korean Multicenter Study	Workshop - Chair Charlotte Menné Bonefeld Immunological knowledge needed to develop better treatments for contact dermatitis Speakers: Rachael Clark, Kenji Kabashima, Thomas Rustemeyer, Lone Skov	Free Communication 2 - Chair Radoslaw Spievak & Mia Hamilton Jee Anna Korsgaard Berg: Contact Dermatitis due to Diabetes Devices: Analysis of 65 cases Asia Saorin: A Validated GC-MS Method for Monitoring Known and Emerging Allergens in Wearable Diabetes Devices Klara Midander: Dermal exposure to allergenic battery metals and indicators of skin barrier function in lithium-ion battery manufacturing and recycling Göel Fenech: Occupational Allergic Contact Dermatitis from Over-Ear Headphones : Results of Chemical Analysis Thornison Kim Sukakul: Contact allergy to linalool and limonene hydroperoxides and fragrance markers in Asia and Europe: an ICDRG multicenter study. Rebekka Sogaard: Residual (meth)acrylate monomers in cured nail products under use conditions



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12.15-13.30	Lunch & Exhibition		
13.30-14.30	<p>Plenary talk - Chair Jenifer Chen & Jeanne Duus Johansen Acrylates – what's new?</p> <p>Speakers: Olivier Aerts & Thomas Rustemeyer</p>		
14.30-15.00	Coffee break & Exhibition		
15.00-16.30	<p>Focus session - Chair Anders Funch & Philipp Esser Immune responses to contact allergens</p> <p>Speakers: Anders Funch & Philipp Esser</p> <p>Short talks Teofila Caplanusi: A Shared Effector Memory T-Cell Transcriptional Core in Patch Test Reactions Saadia Kerdine-Römer: Nrf2-Mediated Stress Responses in Skin Sensitization Veronika Mraz: CGRP signaling modulates early inflammatory responses in allergic contact dermatitis</p>	<p>Focus session - Chair Esen Özkaya & Malin Ahlström Metals</p> <p>Speakers: Peter Thomas & Thomas Rustemeyer</p> <p>Short talks Radoslaw Spiewak: Metals with known sensitizing potential as ingredients in oral care products Susanne Radonjic-Hoesli: Distinct inflammatory patterns of acute contact dermatitis to metal and non-metal allergens in atopic patients with and without atopic dermatitis Muhammed B Gunay: Allergic contact dermatitis from metals: A retrospective cohort study at a tertiary dermatology clinic in Turkey (1996-2021)</p>	<p>Focus session - Chair Maria Pastor Nieto & Marlene Isaksson Dyes: hair and textile</p> <p>Speakers: Maria Pastor Nieto & Marlene Isaksson</p> <p>Short talks Wimolsiri Iamsumang: Detection of p-Phenylenediamine (PPD) in Hair Dye Products Labeled as “PPD-Free”: A Market Survey and Chemical Analysis of Products Sold Online Marie L A Schuttelaar: A genome-wide association study of contact allergy to p-phenylenediamine identifies six novel loci Janeth Mwasse: Quantitative determination of para-phenylenediamine in commercial hair dyes and henna products from Northern Tanzania</p>
16.30-18.00	ESCD General Assembly		
19.00-00.00	Conference Dinner		



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9.15-10.45	<p>Workshop - Chair <i>Mette Sommerlund</i> Performing patch tests in children: indications, pitfalls, challenges</p> <p>Speakers: Cecilia Svedman, Olivier Aerts, An Goossens & Anna Belloni Fortina</p>	<p>Focus session - Chair <i>Janeth Mwasse & Jonathan White</i> Eczema in sub-Saharan Africa</p> <p>Speakers: Janeth Mwasse & Jonathan White</p> <p>Short talks Jacob Sons: Evidence and Gaps in Interpreting Patch Test Results for Allergic Contact Dermatitis in Skin of Colour: A Scoping Review Peters Onyilo: Burden and heterogeneity of eczema in Sub-Saharan Africa: synthesis of ISAAC survey data and Global Burden of Disease estimates Lorna Kasyanju: Allergic Contact Dermatitis Due to Nickel-Containing Buttons: A case report.</p>	<p>Free Communication 3 - Chair <i>David Pesqué & Katri Suuronen</i></p> <p>Brandon Adler: The Association of Race and Ethnicity with Patch Test Results: North American Contact Dermatitis Group Data, 2007-2020 Zeynep Keskinaya: Contact allergen exposure in alpha generation children in Turkey: Implications for pre-emptive avoidance Sonja Molin: Baseline burden and treatment history of adolescents with moderate to severe Chronic Hand Eczema (CHE) enrolled in the randomized phase 3 DELTA TEEN trial Maria Politou: “Dupilumab: Effective in Refractory Hyperkeratotic Chronic Hand/Foot Eczema Without Atopic Dermatitis – Two Case Reports” Rungsima Kirutiwongwan: Hand Eczema in Thailand: Clinical Characteristics, Etiology, and Contact Allergens Rosella Gallo: Real-life workup of chronic hand eczema using a dedicated case report form: a SIDAPA multicenter study</p>
10.45-11.15	Coffee break & Exhibition		
11.15-12.45	<p>Focus session - Chair <i>Claus Zachariae & Richard Brans</i> New treatments and severity assessment of hand eczema</p> <p>Speakers: Claus Zachariae & Richard Brans</p> <p>Short talks Malin Ahlstrøm: Efficacy of methotrexate in patients with chronic hand eczema</p>	<p>Focus session - Chair <i>Cecilia Svedman & Peter Thomas</i> Reactions to implants (orthopedic and dental) including systemic contact dermatitis - contact allergy beyond the skin</p> <p>Speakers: Cecilia Svedman & Peter Thomas</p> <p>Short talks Burkhard Summer: Relevance of allergy diagnostics in symptomatic knee arthroplasty: test results, choice of therapy and follow-up observation</p>	<p>Focus session - Chair <i>Anne Birgitte Simonsen & Kayoko Matsunaga</i> Atopic dermatitis: the role of allergic and irritant contact dermatitis</p> <p>Speakers: Olivier Aerts & Thomas Rustemeyer</p> <p>Short talks Gina Friedriszik: Association Between Atopic Dermatitis and Allergic Contact Dermatitis in Children and Adolescents: Results from a Nationwide Cross-sectional Survey in Germany</p>



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11.15-12.45	<i>Continued</i> Octavian Bacos-Cosma: Long-term real-world effectiveness and safety of JAK inhibitors in moderate-to-severe atopic dermatitis: two-year BioDay registry data. Irsyadina H Bharata: Delgocitinib for Chronic Hand Eczema: Systematic Review of Efficacy and Safety	<i>Continued</i> Mojca Bizjak-Suran: Patch testing in dental patients: new insights into methacrylate sensitivity and late reactions James Fuller: Systemic allergic dermatitis to a titanium alloy plate used in the repair of an ankle fracture	<i>Continued</i> Kayla Tran: New Allergic Contact Dermatitis Diagnosis in Patients Receiving Dupilumab for Atopic Dermatitis Robert Ofenloch: Seasonal effects on severity in patients with atopic skin diathesis and chronic hand eczema
12.45-13.00	Session change		
13.00-13.30	Closing Ceremony		
13.30-14.30	Lunch		

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