

**IFCC GENERAL CONFERENCE**  
BUDAPEST NOVEMBER 9-11, 2018

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**Laboratory medicine:  
Preparing for the 2020's**

10th – 11th November 2018  
Hotel Novotel Budapest City, Hungary

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- Presentations will focus on key issues affecting us all in the practice of laboratory medicine.
- Sessions will be interactive – where possible.
- The program has been reduced to 2 days.
- Connect to DirectPoll <http://etc.ch/irjH>



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**GC Attendance: 71 countries represented**  
**Total participants: 266 (plus 60 Guests)**



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## DirectPoll Questions

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Are you connected to DirectPoll?

Yes



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## DirectPoll Questions

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Are the people sitting next to you able to connect?

Yes

No



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## DirectPoll Questions

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Where are you coming from?

European Federation

Asian Pacific Federation

North American Federation

African Federation

Latin American Federation

Arab Federation



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## DirectPoll Questions

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What is the greatest challenge facing you in your clinical laboratory?

Funding; budget or reimbursement constraints  
 Quality laboratory performance/ specifications  
 New technologies, new biomarkers  
 Training and continuing professional development  
 Opportunities for career development



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