

IFCC Visiting Lecturer Programme Applications approved for 2019					
Period	Location	Date of approval	Applicant	Speaker/s	Lectures/workshops
14-16 March	LIBANON Beirut	19.02.2019	C.Haddad	A.Haliassos (GR)	1-2) EQC and liquid biopsies : (2 lectures)
				D.Gruson (BE)	1-2) Dysthyroiditis – Autoimmunity : (2 lectures)
				M.Delpech (FR)	1-2) NGS and new lab technologies (part 1 and part 2)
11-12 April	SERBIA Belgrade	17.04.2018	N.M Singh	S.Bernardini (IT)	1) POCT 2)Total Lab Automation
				B.Gouget (FR)	1)Digital tools in laboratory medicine 2)Mobile Health
				D.Gruson (BE)	1)Machine learning and laboratory medicine 2)opening innovation
19-21 April	KAZAKHSTAN Almaty	05.02.2019	R.M.Rysulovich	H.Morris (AU)	1)Molecular Medicine in Laboratory Diagnostics 2)Additional Education in Europe in the field of Laboratory NMedicine
25-30 June	MEXICO Merida	07.05.2019	J.F.Minoz-Valle	R.Carboni (CL)	1)Full day Workshop on Audits and Evaluation of Conformities based on ISO 15189 2)Conference on Risk management in the clinical laboratory
				G.Queiruga (UY)	1)Full day Workshop on the laboratory of Neonatal screening 2)Plenary lecture on Neonatal screening from Guthrie to Genoma
16-17 July	MALAYSIA Kuala Lumpur	18.03.2019	R.Elina Raja	S.Bernardini (IT)	1)The Impact of New Technologies on the Current and Future Practice of Clinical Laboratory Medicine 2)Alzheimer's Disease Biomarkers
10-13 Sept	PANAMA Panama City	17.01.2019	L.Campillo	M.Ferrari (IT)	1)CIRCULATING TUMOR DNA: A PROMISING BIOMARKER IN THE LIQUID BIOPSY OF CANCER 2)THE FUTURE OF MOLECULAR BIOLOGY IN THE DIAGNOSTICS LABORATORIES. 3)HOW TO IMAGINE THE FUTURE OF LABORATORY MEDICINE
				T.Ozben (TR)	1) DIAGNOSTIC PROTEOMIC MARKERS TO DETECT KIDNEY DISEASES 2)POTENTIAL RISK PREDICTORS FOR CARDIOVASCULAR DISEASES IN OBSTRUCTIVE SLEEP APNEA.
				R.Erasmus (ZA)	1)NUEVOS ABORDAJES DIAGNÓSTICOS EN DIABETES MELLITUS 2) MONITOREO DEL PACIENTE DIABÉTICO CON COMORBILIDADES EN EL LABORATORIO CLÍNICO
24-26 September	PHILIPPINES Quezon City	05.03.2019	E.Arcellana Nuqui	E.Jacobs (US)	1)Patient Safety: A Quality System Approach to POCT QC/AQ 2)Diabetes Management at the Point of Care
				K.Sikaris (AU)	1)Harmonization of Critical Risk Result Management 2)How to (re) define Disease Definitions Using Laboratory Tests 3)Over-diagnosis and Over-detection in Laboratory Medicine
24-26 September	ISRAEL Tel Aviv	14.06.2019	M. Kaplan	C.Thygesen (DK)	1)The Fourth Universal Definition of Myocardial Infarction. 2) Reclassification of MI based on troponin
				J.Mair (AT)	1)Degradation of Cardiac Troponin, 2)BNP versus NT PROBNP: Guidelines for implementation of BNP testing
25-27 September	ARGENTINA Resistencia- Chaco	28.03.2019	M. A. Arias	I.Parra (MX)	1)Patient Safety: A Quality System Approach to POCT QC/AQ 2)Diabetes Management at the Point of Care
				L.Ortiz (CL)	1)Harmonization of Critical Risk Result Management 2)How to (re) define Disease Definitions Using Laboratory Tests 3)Over-diagnosis and Over-detection in Laboratory Medicine
25-28 September	MOROCCO Marrakech	09.04.2019	L.Chabraoui	T.Ozben (TR)	1) Liquid Biopsy 2) Basic Principles of epigenetics and epigenetic regulation in cancer therapy
				S.Sandberg (NO)	1) Challenges of POC testing 2)Evidence-based Laboratory Medicine
				M.Ferrari (IT)	1) Data science enabling personalized medicine 2)Circulating DNA in cancers: current analytical validity, clinical validity and utility
2-6 October	URUGUAY Montevideo	22.03.2019	S.Raymondo	K.Adeli (CA)	1)Conference: "Value and impact of the clinical laboratory in health care 2)Symposium: "Reference intervals for the pediatric population: considerations on Caliper and other global studies" 3)Closing Conference" "Electronic applications and medical diagnostic data management"
				G.Lima Oliveira (BR)	1)Round table: "Impact of fasting time in laboratory testing 2)Course: "Management of Preanalytical phase"
				C. Von Mulhen (US)	1)Round table: "Update in Antinuclear Antibodies, news of the International Consensus ICAP" 2)Round-table: "ANCA standardization in the diagnosis and follow-up of systemic vasculitis: new paradigms" 3)Course: Diagnosis of Autoimmune Hepatopathies"

23-25 October	CHILE Santiago	18.03.2019	E.Aranda	R.Sierra-Amor (MX)	1)Vitamin D: Why is important to measure it? 2)Latin American Project for the accreditation of clinical laboratories
				M.Panteghini (IT)	1)WHY MEASUREMENT UNCERTAINTY MATTERS IN LABORATORY MEDICINE 2)LABORATORY-RELATED ISSUES IN THE MEASUREMENT OF CARDIAC TROPONINS WITH HIGHLY SENSITIVE ASSAYS
27-31 October	TURKEY Antalya	10.06.2019	D.Aslan	M. Plebani (IT)	1)Quality and patient safety in laboratory medicine 2)Uncertainty in laboratory medicine
				K.Adeli (CA)	1)Value and impact of laboratory medicine on healthcare 2) aApps and medical diagnostic data management 3)Lipid guidelines: emerging evidence on importance of non-fasting and postprandial lipids
				C.Cobbaert (NL)	1)The new IVD regulation 2017/746 and consequences for laboratory medicine 2)Apolipoprotein profiling for addressing residual cardiovascular risk
1-4 November	COLOMBIA Bogota	17.06.2019	A.Rothstein	B.Gouget (FR)	1)Building bioethics into the future of lab medicine innovation 2)Health and Lab medicine: Planning for innovation
				E.Freggiaro	1)Training and continuous updating in online virtual environments 2)How does IFCC train, communicate and educates
				E.Jacobs	1)Patient safety: a quality system approach to POCT QC/QA 2)US regulationd for POCT
17-20 November	INDIA Jaipur	12.09.2019	R. Sinha (ACBI)	S.Parthasarthy (IN)	1)Plenary Lecture - Aproprotein E, Alzheimer, Atherosclerosis, Inflammation, Oxidative stress 2)Lecture - Atherosclerosis and Cardiovascular concepts
				S.Yenice (TR)	1)Lecture - Developing a Roadmap for Laboratory Utilization management program 2)Workshop - Promoting Future Leaders of Laboratory Medicine
				E.Randell (CA)	1)Lecture- Promotion of Appropriate Laboratory Test 2)Utilization: From financial accountability to Appropriateness and Quality of Care 3)Workshop- Evolving into an Effective Leader: Key strategies that make a difference
28-30 November	DOMINICAN REP. Santo Domingo	14.05.2019	Licda. A. Suriel	A.C.Garzon (CO)	1)Intra Congress course-workshop: Risk Management, calculation of the AMEF 2)The norms of management of quality 15189 and 9001 in their updated versions demand to realize a correct management and analysis of risks in the clinical laboratories.
				M.del Carmen Pasquel (EC)	1) Conferencia plenaria Accreditation 15189, how to obtain it. 2) Conferencia Plenaria: IFCC support for ongoing training using 21st century technology
				M.Blanes (PY)	1)Intra Congress Course: The clinical laboratory in menopause and climate 2)Conferencia plenaria: Exercise of the biochemical profession and its impact on the clinical management. Generating medical value in DX in vitro tests.