

EBJIS 2025 Final Programme

Thursday, 11 September 2025						
07:30	Registration opens					
	Plenary Room: Sala Europa		Parallel Session Room: Sala Italia		Parallel Session Room: Sala Emilia	
08:30-08:45	Opening Session: Welcome by EBJIS Vice President, Local Chairs and the City of Bologna					
08:45-09:30	Key session 1: Multidisciplinary in bone and joint infections	Chairs: Stefano Zaffagnini (IT) & Martin Clauss (CH)				
	Multidisciplinary: from diagnosis to treatment	Pierluigi Viale (IT)				
	Orthoplastic approach to bone and joint infections	Rik Osinga (CH)				
	DAIR Guidelines	Irene Sigmund (AT)				
09:30-10:30	Key session 2: Reconstruction after infections: biological vs metal	Chairs: Willem-Jan Metsemakers (BE) & Pietro Ruggieri (IT)				
	Innovations in Bone transport	Willem-Jan Metsemakers (BE)				
	Biologic reconstructions with or without bone grafts	Domenico Andrea Campanacci (IT)				
	From megaprosthesis to custom made prosthesis	Lee Jeys (UK)				
10:30-11:00	Coffee break / e-Posters / Exhibition					
11:00-12:30	Free Paper Session A: Prosthetic Joint Infections (11 x 6+2 min)	Chairs: Marjan Wouthuyzen-Bakker (NL) & Antonio Pellegrini (IT)	Free Paper Session B: Infectious Diseases (11 x 6+2 min)	Chairs: Sara Tedeschi (IT) & Tristan Ferry (FR)	Free Paper Session C: Basic Science (11 x 6+2 min)	Chairs: Martin Clauss (CH) & Vittorio Sambri (IT)
	RESURFACE IT OR RESPECT IT? REASSESSING PATELLAR RESURFACING IN TWO-STAGE REVISION FOR PJI	Alberto Carli (US)	THE SHALBY INFECTED KNEE REVISION SCORE (SIKRS): A NOVEL SCORING SYSTEM TO PREDICT THE OPTIMAL SECOND STAGE REVISION PROCEDURE IN PERIPROSTHETIC JOINT INFECTION.	Pranay Gujjar (IN)	IMMUNOPROTEOMIC CHARACTERIZATION OF INNATE IMMUNITY PROCESSES IN A TRANSLATIONAL PORCINE OSTEOMYELITIS MODEL	Sebastian L. Andree (DK)
	CEMENT-IN-CEMENT REVISIONS FOR ACUTE PERIPROSTHETIC INFECTION AFTER PRIMARY CEMENTED TOTAL HIP ARTHROPLASTY: A RETROSPECTIVE COHORT STUDY	Diederik de Boer (NL)	EVALUATION OF DAPTOMYCIN-SUPPLEMENTED ANTIBIOTIC-LOADED BONE CEMENT FOR TREATING VANCOMYCIN-RESISTANT ENTEROCOCCUS FAECALIS IN THE GALLERIA MELLONELLA IMPLANT INFECTION MODEL	Martina Humez (DE)	EMERGING INTRAOPERATIVE DIAGNOSTIC MODALITIES FOR FRACTURE-RELATED INFECTION: A SCOPING REVIEW	Laura Bessems (BE)
	LONG-TERM OUTCOMES OF INTRAOPERATIVE VANCOMYCIN POWDER APPLICATION IN ELECTIVE HIP SURGERY	Ernesto Muñoz-Mahamud (ES)	BACTERIOPHAGES IN CONTACT WITH GRANULES AND EXPERIMENTAL SCAFFOLDS OF BAG S53P4 ENHANCE THE ANTIBACTERIAL EFFECT AGAINST STAPHYLOCOCCUS AUREUS IN VITRO	Nina Lindfors (FI)	SYNOVIAL FLUID MICRORNA BIOMARKERS ENABLE ACCURATE DIAGNOSIS OF HIP AND KNEE PERIPROSTHETIC JOINT INFECTIONS	Bernhard JH Frank (AU)
	RISK FACTORS FOR REINFECTION AFTER 2-STAGE HIP PROSTHESIS EXCHANGE: A PROSPECTIVE COHORT STUDY	Jobst Hansberg (DE)	REAL-WORLD THERAPEUTIC DRUG MONITORING OF DALBAVANCIN FOLLOWING A DOSE REGIMEN OF 1,500 MG AT DAY 1, 15, AND 43	Thomas Lin (FR)	CARBOHYDRATE-ESTER DEPOT ENABLES PROLONGED LOCAL GENTAMICIN AND CLINDAMYCIN EXPOSURE BEYOND CURRENT STANDARDS	Anders Elias Hansen (DK)
	INCREASED MORTALITY FOLLOWING PERIPROSTHETIC JOINT INFECTION AFTER TOTAL KNEE ARTHROPLASTY - A MICROBIOLOGICALLY VERIFIED NATIONWIDE COHORT OF 916 PJI REVISIONS	Nicolai Kristensen (DK)	AN INNOVATIVE APPROACH TO OPTIMIZE THE EFFICACY AND SAFETY PROFILE OF DAPTOMYCIN IN PERIPROSTHETIC JOINT INFECTIONS BY EXPLOITING ITS PHARMACOKINETIC AND PHARMACODYNAMIC PROPERTIES	Francesco Mancuso (IT)	SINUS TRACT AND PURULENCE AROUND THE PROSTHESIS IN PERIPROSTHETIC JOINT INFECTION – DIAGNOSTIC ACCURACY, MICROORGANISM PROFILES, AND OUTCOME	Markus Luger (AU)
	INCREASED MORTALITY FOLLOWING PERIPROSTHETIC JOINT INFECTION AFTER TOTAL HIP ARTHROPLASTY - A MICROBIOLOGICALLY VERIFIED NATIONWIDE COHORT OF 1611 PJI REVISIONS	Nicolai Kristensen (DK)	COMPARISON OF CUTIBACTERIUM AVIDUM AND CUTIBACTERIUM ACNES IN PERIPROSTHETIC HIP INFECTIONS – A MATCHED COHORT ANALYSIS	Jennyfer A Mitterer (AU)	NOVEL BIOACTIVE GLASS S53P4 CREAM AND ITS ELUATE: A PROMISING STRATEGY AGAINST STAPHYLOCOCCUS AUREUS BIOFILM AND BONE INFECTION	Deeksha Rajkumar (NL)
	DEBRIDEMENT, ANTIBIOTICS AND IMPLANT RETENTION FOR THE MANAGEMENT OF PROSTHETIC JOINT INFECTIONS IN A REAL-LIFE SETTING.	Marta Malosso (IT)	EVALUATION OF THE EFFICACY OF CONTINUOUS LOCAL ANTIBIOTIC PERFUSION (CLAP) FOR PJI -CLAP VS. NON CLAP-	Keisuke Oe (JP)	EXPLORING THE INTERACTION BETWEEN ANTIMICROBIALS AND CUTIBACTERIUM ACNES IN VITRO AND IN THE GALLERIA MELLONELLA IN VIVO MODEL	Mauro Salles (BR)
	IS METALLOSIS A CONTRIBUTING FACTOR TO PROSTHETIC JOINT INFECTIONS? A COMPARATIVE STUDY	Gérard Giordano (FR)	TOLERANCE OF ANTIBIOTICS IN THE TREATMENT OF OSTEOARTICULAR INFECTIONS: A PRELIMINARY RETROSPECTIVE STUDY	Marie Scius (FR)	A NEW ANIMAL MODEL FOR COMPARISON OF FASCIOCUTANEOUS AND MUSCLE FLAPS IN THE TREATMENT OF COMPLEX TISSUE DEFECTS AND OSTEOMYELITIS	Josefine Slater (DK)
	IS THE ANTERIOR MINIMALLY INVASIVE HIP APPROACH (AMIS) ASSOCIATED WITH A HIGHER RATE OF POLYMICROBIAL INFECTIONS COMPARED TO THE OTHER SURGICAL APPROACHES?	Ilaria Morelli (IT)	SAFELY STEPPING DOWN: OPTIMISING THE TRANSITION TO ORAL ANTIMICROBIAL THERAPY IN BONE AND PROSTHETIC JOINT INFECTION USING A LARGE MICROBIOLOGICAL DATASET	Asanka Wijendra (UK)	DELAYED NEUTROPHIL RECRUITMENT; A NEW COMPONENT IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF PERIPROSTHETIC JOINT INFECTION (PJI)	Katrine Top Hartmann (DK)
	DIAGNOSTIC AND THERAPEUTIC STRATEGIES IN PERIPROSTHETIC FRACTURE-RELATED INFECTIONS (PFRI): CASE SERIES AND LITERATURE REVIEW	Marco Zugnoni (IT)	DELAFOXACIN/RIFAMPICIN COMBINATION AND DAIR SURGERY DURING PROSTHETIC JOINT INFECTION: IMPORTANCE OF LOW DELAFOXACIN MINIMAL INHIBITORY CONCENTRATION TO AVOID FAILURE	Stephane Corvec (FR)	ESTABLISHMENT OF A CHRONIC ORTHOPAEDIC INFECTION MODEL WITH MATURE BIOFILM FORMATION USING AN IN VITRO-IN VIVO HYBRID APPROACH	Raphaëlle Youf (DE)
	IS THE USE OF DUAL ANTIBIOTIC-LOADED BONE CEMENT ASSOCIATED WITH A REDUCED RISK OF REVISION AND MORTALITY AFTER HEMI- AND TOTAL HIP ARTHROPLASTY FOR FRACTURE, COMPARED TO SINGLE ANTIBIOTIC CEMENT? A REGISTER-BASED EVALUATION OF CURRENT PRACTICE.	Seung-Jae Yoon (NL)	DEFINING SUCCESS AND FAILURE IN PROSTHETIC JOINT INFECTIONS: A META-EPIDEMIOLOGIC STUDY TOWARDS A CORE OUTCOME SET	Francesco Petri (IT)	DEVELOPMENT OF AN IN VIVO POLYMICROBIAL FRI MODEL AND EVALUATION OF THE EFFICACY OF A TOBRAMYCIN-LOADED HYDROGEL AS PROPHYLAXIS	Noémie Reinert (CH)
12:30-14:00	Lunch break / e-Posters / Exhibition					
12:50-13:50	Industry Symposium A		Industry Symposium B			
14:00-15:00	Key session 3: Everything you want to know about phages	Chairs: Sara Tedeschi (IT) & Tristan Ferry (FR)				
	Bacteriophage therapy: how to identify and produce phages, and does it work?	Jean-Paul Pirnay (BE)				
	Phage therapy in patients with diabetic foot infection	Ran Nir-Paz (IL)				
	Bacteriophage therapy in fracture-related infection and periprosthetic joint infection	Willem-Jan Metsemakers (BE)				

15:00-16:00	Free Paper Session D: Infectious Diseases (7 x 6+2 min)	Chairs: Pierluigi Viale (IT) & Andy Miller	Free Paper Session E: Fracture-Related Infections (7 x 6+2 min)	Chairs: Ferdinando Da Rin De Lorenzo (IT) & Martin McNally (UK)	Free Paper Session F: Spine (7 x 6+2 min)	Chairs: Luca Boriani (IT) & Ricardo Rodrigues-Pinto (PT)
	CEFAZOLIN AND THE R-1 SIDE CHAIN: WHY YOUR CEPHALOSPORIN ALLERGIC JOINT ARTHROPLASTY PATIENTS WITH CEPHALOSPORIN ALLERGY CAN SAFELY BE GIVEN CEFAZOLIN FOR JOINT ARTHROPLASTY	Josef Jolissaint (US)	CHRONIC SCEDOSPORIUM OSTEOMYELITIS: A DECADE-LONG BATTLE AND A NEW THERAPEUTIC HOPE	Giacomo Fornaro (IT)	INFECTIVE ENDOCARDITIS MEETS NATIVE VERTEBRAL OSTEOMYELITIS: A MORTALITY PERSPECTIVE	Fabio Borgonovo (US)
	THREE SYSTEMS, ONE DIAGNOSIS: WHAT WE LEARNED FROM TESTING PJI CLASSIFICATIONS IN A CASE-BASED STUDY	André Grenho (PT)	FRACTURE-RELATED INFECTION OPERATIONS AFTER INTERNAL FIXATION OF ANKLE FRACTURES IN ENGLAND: A 20-YEAR STUDY	Conor Hennessy (UK)	OPERATIVE MANAGEMENT OF SPINAL WOUND COMPLICATIONS OVER A 3 YEAR PERIOD AT THE NATIONAL SPINAL INJURIES UNIT	Christine Quinlan (IE)
	RISK FACTORS FOR HIP AND KNEE PROSTHETIC JOINT INFECTIONS CAUSED BY GRAM NEGATIVE BACTERIA	Alberto Pecorelli (IT)	EVALUATING CONTINUOUS LOCAL ANTIBIOTIC PERFUSION (CLAP) IN THE TREATMENT OF FRACTURE-RELATED INFECTIONS: A MULTICENTER RETROSPECTIVE ANALYSIS	Akihiro Maruo (JP)	DIAGNOSTIC APPROACHES TO NATIVE VERTEBRAL OSTEOMYELITIS (NVO) IN A SINGLE UK TERTIARY CENTRE: A RETROSPECTIVE REVIEW HIGHLIGHTING ROLE OF SPINAL BIOPSY AND PET-CT.	Millicent Goodwin (UK)
	THE MORTALITY OF PJI IN NON-SPECIALIST HOSPITALS WITHIN THE UK	James Richards (UK)	MANAGEMENT OF TIBIAL OSTEOMYELITIS: A 10-YEAR REVIEW FROM A PLASTIC SURGERY PERSPECTIVE	Alex Ramsden (UK)	COMPARSION OF HOSPITAL MORTALITY AND RISK FACTORS IN CONSERVATIVE AND SURGICAL TREATMENT OF PYOGENIC VERTEBRAL OSTEOMYELITIS: A NATIONALWIDE ANALYSIS OF 49.951 CASES IN GERMANY	Siegmund Lang (DE)
	USE OF BACTERIOPHAGE THERAPY AS SALVAGE TREATMENT FOR CHRONIC STAPHYLOCOCCUS AUREUS KNEE PROSTHETIC JOINT INFECTION	Sathyavani Subbarao (UK)	SINGLE- VERSUS TWO-STAGE REVISION SURGERY IN CASE OF FRACTURE-RELATED INFECTION: A SYSTEMATIC REVIEW	Jonathan Sliepen (NL)	SURGICAL TREATMENT OF UNSTABLE SPONDYLODISCITIS WITH POSTERIOR INSTRUMENTATION AND BIOACTIVE GLASS (BAG-S53P4) ALONE: RESULTS AT MEDIUM-TERM FOLLOW-UP.	Ilaria Morelli (IT)
	CLINICAL OUTCOME OF PATIENTS WITH ACUTE PERIPROSTHETIC JOINTINFECTIONS CAUSED BY PSEUDOMONAS AERUGINOSA COMPARED TO OTHER GRAM-NEGATIVE BACILLI	Marjan Wouthuyzen-Bakker (NL)	MANAGING FRACTURE-RELATED INFECTION IN AFRICA: INSIGHTS FROM CLINICIAN SURVEYS AND GUIDELINE DEVELOPMENT	Elizabeth Tissingh (UK)	POSTOPERATIVE SPINAL INFECTIONS: THE CHALLENGE OF INCONSISTENT DEFINITIONS AND THE PATH TOWARD CONSENSUS	Francesco Petri (IT)
	MACHINE LEARNING-BASED MODEL FOR PREDICTING INFECTION ERADICATION IN PERIPROSTHETIC JOINT INFECTIONS	Benjamin Schlossmacher (DE)	ORTHOPLASTIC RECONSTRUCTION IN COMBAT LIMB TRAUMA: EARLY EXPERIENCE WITH A TARGETED EVACUATION PATHWAY SHOWS PROMISE WITH EXCEPTIONALLY LOW INFECTION RATES	Danylo Turkevych (UA)	CT AND MRI FINDINGS AMONG PATIENTS WITH COCCIDIOIDAL VERTEBRAL OSTEOMYELITIS VS PYOGENIC (BACTERIAL) VERTEBRAL OSTEOMYELITIS	Talha Riaz (US)
16:00-16:30	Coffee break / e-Posters / Exhibition					
16:30-17:30	Key session 4: Updated perspectives on PJI diagnosis	Chairs: Pierluigi Viale (IT) & Martin Clauss (CH)				
	Rapid and (why not) near the patient microbiology testing in PJI patients	Vittorio Sambri (IT)				
	Unified definition of PJI	Marjan Wouthuyzen-Bakker (NL)				
17:35-18:35	Industry Symposium C		Industry Symposium D		18.00-18.30: ABJIN meeting (for everyone interested in the ABJIN) Room Bologna	
18:40-20:00	Welcome Reception at the conference venue (included in the registration fee)					

6.30	EBJIS Charity Run				
7.45	Registration opens				
Plenary Room: Sala Europa			Parallel Session Room: Sala Italia		Parallel Session Room: Sala Bologna
08:30-09:30	Key session 5: FRI: Can we save the bone?	Chairs: Andrea Sambri (IT) & Willem-Jan Metsemakers (BE)	Key session 6: Microbiome and future perspectives PRO / CON: Is there a relationship between bone and joint infection and the gut microbiome?	Chairs: Vittorio Sambri (IT) & Tristan Ferry (FR)	
	Healed fractures	Martin McNally (UK)	PRO	Tommaso Bonanzinga (IT)	
	Unhealed fractures	Mario Morgenstern (CH)	CON	Maurizio Sanguinetti (IT)	
09:30-10:30	Key session 7: Infection sequelae of bone cancer	Chairs: Marjan Wouthuyzen-Bakker (NL) & Massimiliano De Paolis (IT)	09:30-10:00 Best Papers from Journal of Bone and Joint Infection (JBJI)	Fintan Moriarty (CH)	
	Infections of biological reconstructions	Andrea Sambri (IT)			
	Infections in megaprosthesis	Irene Sigmund (AT)			
	Pelvic infections	Lee Jeys (UK)			
10:30-11:00	Coffee break / e-Poster / Exhibition				
11:00-12:30	Free Paper Session G: Ortho (11 x 6+2 min)	Chairs: Ricardo Sousa (PT) & Massimiliano De Paolis (IT)	Free Paper Session H: Micro (11 x 6+2 min)	Chairs: Tiziana Lazzarotto (IT) & Marjan Wouthuyzen-Bakker (NL)	Best e-Posters Session 1 (13 x 3 min + 3 min) Chairs: Sara Tedeschi (IT) & Lee Jeys
	RISK FACTORS FOR TREATMENT FAILURE OF DEBRIDEMENT, ANTIBIOTICS AND IMPLANT RETENTION AS SURGICAL APPROACH FOR PROSTHETIC JOINT INFECTION IN A REAL-LIFE SETTING.	Francesco Baldasso (IT)	ENHANCING DIAGNOSTICS IN ORTHOPAEDIC INFECTIONS: CLINICAL IMPACT OF SYNDROMIC MULTIPLEX PCR COMPARED TO TRADITIONAL CULTURE	Heleen Nailis (BE)	EP001 - INTEGRATIVE STRATEGIES IN THE MANAGEMENT OF MULTIDRUG-RESISTANT MYCOBACTERIUM ABSCESSUS: A SURGICAL AND INFECTIOUS DISEASE PERSPECTIVE — A SYSTEMATIC REVIEW ILLUSTRATED BY A CASE REPORT Stephanie Schulz (CH)
	COMMUNITY-ONSET METHICILLIN-RESISTANT STAPHYLOCOCCUS AUREUS CAUSING COMPLICATED SKIN AND MUSCULOSKELETAL INFECTIONS IN BRAZIL: CLINICAL AND MOLECULAR ASPECTS ASSOCIATED WITH SEVERITY	Stefânia Bazanelli Prebianchi (BR)	ANALYSING REAL-WORLD UTILITY OF A MULTIPLEX-PCR FOR THE IDENTIFICATION OF A PATHOGEN CAUSING SEPTIC ARTHRITIS	Bernadette Young (UK)	EP002 - BODY MASS INDEX MATTERS: MORBID OBESE PATIENTS HAVE DIFFERENT MICROORGANISM PROFILES IN THE SETTING OF PERIPROSTHETIC HIP JOINT INFECTIONS Maximilian Budin (DE)
	THE MANAGEMENT OF PERIPROSTHETIC JOINT INFECTION IN NON-SPECIALIST HOSPITALS WITHIN THE UK: A MULTI-CENTRE STUDY	Andrew Hotchen (UK)	IS IT POSSIBLE TO EARLY IDENTIFY “CULTURE-NEGATIVE” PERIPROSTHETIC JOINT INFECTIONS?	Francesco Mancuso (IT)	EP003 - DOES MANAGEMENT OF FRACTURE-RELATED INFECTION IN A LOW INCOME COUNTRY FOLLOW THE INTERNATIONAL CONSENSUS GUIDELINES? A PROSPECTIVE STUDY FROM CAMEROON Loïc Fonkoue (CM)
	ASSESSMENT OF BONE REMODELING AFTER RECONSTRUCTION OF CRITICAL SIZE BONE DEFECTS IN TIBIA AND FEMUR USING THE MASQUELET TECHNIQUE : PRELIMINARY RESULTS WITH A MINIMAL FOLLOW-UP OF 2 YEARS.	Héloïse Marechal (FR)	MICROBIOLOGY AND RISK FACTORS OF LOW-GRADE INDOLENT INFECTION OF LONG BONE NON-UNIONS AFTER OPEN FRACTURE	Christophe Nich (FR)	EP004 - HIGH FAILURE-RATES FOLLOWING GRAM-NEGATIVE PERIPROSTHETIC JOINT INFECTION – A RETROSPECTIVE COHORT STUDY ON 72 CASES Benjamin Schlossmacher (DE)
	A DUAL ANTIBIOTIC (GENTAMICIN/CLINDAMYCIN) SUSTAINED-RELEASE INJECTABLE FORMULATION (CC-G/C) OFFER HIGH AND SUSTAINED CONCENTRATIONS OF GENTAMICIN AND CLINDAMYCIN IN BONE FOLLOWING INTRAOSSEUS INJECTION	Mads Kristian Duborg Mikkelsen (DK)	AUTOMATED MULTIPLEX PCR FOR IDENTIFYING THE CAUSING PATHOGEN IN SEPTIC ARTHRITIS	Lukas Rabitsch (AU)	EP006 - CLINICAL IMPACT EVALUATION OF MULTIPLEX PCR OF JOINT ASPIRATION SAMPLES IN SUSPECTED SEPTIC ARTHRITIS AND PROSTHETIC JOINT INFECTION: A PROSPECTIVE PROPENSITY-MATCHED COHORT STUDY Nilima Sangani (UK)
	ORTHOPLASTIC STRATEGIES FOR BONE INFECTION MANAGEMENT IN WAR ZONES: LESSONS FROM GAZA	Ahmed Mokhalallati (PS)	TAPPING OUR RESOURCES: DO PREOPERATIVE ASPIRATIONS ADD DIAGNOSTIC VALUE?	Anne Spichler Moffarah (US)	EP007 - REVIEW OF FACTORS ASSOCIATED WITH DAIR FAILURE IN ACUTE HIP PROSTHETIC JOINT INFECTIONS Gloria Pedemonte-Parramón (ES)
	INFECTIONS AFTER HIP FRACTURE: A COMPLICATION WITH INCREASED MORTALITY. CAN THEY BE REDUCED?	Daniel Pérez-Prieto (ES)	MACHINE LEARNING- GUIDED IDENTIFICATION OF ANTIMICROBIAL PEPTIDES FOR BONE AND JOINT INFECTIONS	Marie Takegawa (DK)	EP008 - DEVELOPING CONTEXT APPROPRIATE GUIDELINES FOR FRACTURE RELATED INFECTION: COLLABORATION AT ITS BEST Elizabeth Tissingsh (UK)
	LOWER LIMB CELLULITIS IN THE 3 MONTHS BEFORE TOTAL KNEE ARTHROPLASTY INCREASES RISK OF PJI AND INFECTION-RELATED COMPLICATIONS	Nicolas Piuzzi (US)	EVALUATING THE ROLE OF NGS IN DIAGNOSING PERIPROSTHETIC JOINT INFECTIONS: INSIGHTS FROM A PROSPECTIVE STUDY	Neža Trebše (SI)	EP009 - ARE PERIPROSTHETIC JOINT INFECTIONS CAUSED BY GRAM-NEGATIVE BACTERIA MORE SEVERE THAN THOSE CAUSED BY GRAM-POSITIVE BACTERIA? A MATCHED COHORT ANALYSIS BASED ON THE VIRULENCE OF THE MICROORGANISMS. Veronika Achatz (AU)
	EVALUATION OF LOCAL VANCOMYCIN DELIVERY VIA HIP AND KNEE SPACERS: TOWARDS REDUCING INTRAVENOUS ANTIBIOTICS	Wout Veltman (NL)	USING NANOPORE SEQUENCING TO DIAGNOSE PROSTHETIC INFECTIONS: PRELIMINARY RESULTS FROM A SINGLE CENTRE STUDY	Hollie Wilkinson (UK)	EP010 - COMBINATION OF S53P4 BAG AND AUTOLOGOUS BONE GRAFT IN A TWO-STAGE MASQUELET PROCEDURE FOR THE TREATMENT OF THE BONE DEFECT AND INFECTION OF THE DISTAL TIBIA AFTER BLAST INJURY WITH TIBIA-TALUS OR TTC FUSION Oleksandr Rikhter (UA)
	COLONOSCOPY WITHIN 6 MONTHS BEFORE TKA MAY BE ASSOCIATED WITH WORSE POSTOPERATIVE OUTCOMES: A NATIONAL DATABASE ANALYSIS	Anabelle Visperas (US)	MICROBIOLOGICAL PROFILES OF PATIENTS TREATED WITH DAIR FOR ACUTE PERIPROSTHETIC JOINT INFECTION.	Alberto Alfieri Zellner (DE)	EP011 - DUAL-ANTIBIOTIC-LOADED BONE CEMENTS EFFECTIVELY PREVENT PSEUDOMONAS AERUGINOSA INFECTION IN A GALLERIA MELLONELLA IMPLANT MODEL Martijn Riool (DE)
	THE IMPACT OF GERIATRIC ASSESSMENT ON DECISION-MAKING IN FRAIL ORTHOGERIATRIC PATIENTS: A PROSPECTIVE COHORT STUDY	Jakob van Oldenrijk (NL)	SONICATION IS ESSENTIAL FOR DIAGNOSING FRACTURE-RELATED INFECTION (FRI)	Anas Zouitni (NL)	EP012 - MASQUELET TECHNIQUE IN THE TREATMENT OF INFECTED BONE DEFECTS IN MILITARY TRAUMA Gennadii Kolov (UA)
					EP013 - RAPID DIAGNOSIS IN PERIPROSTHETIC JOINT INFECTION: EVALUATION OF SYNOVIAL FLUID POINT-OF-CARE TESTS FOR C-REACTIVE PROTEIN, D-DIMER, INTERLEUKIN 6, PROCALCITONIN, AND SPECIFIC GRAVITY Sujeesh Sebastian (AU)
					EP014 - OPTIMISED UNTARGETED BACTERIAL IDENTIFICATION FOR NATIVE JOINT INFECTIONS, UTILISING HOST DEPLETION AND PATHOGEN ENRICHMENT. Hermione Webster (UK)
12:30-14:00	Lunch break / e-Posters / Exhibition				
12.50-13.50	Industry Symposium E		Industry Symposium F		
14:00-15:00	Key Session 8: Drug exposures and duration in BJI	Chairs: Tiziana Lazzarotto (IT) & Martin Clauss (CH)	Case Discussion Session: Infection disasters - Presentation and discussion of clinical cases and voting		
	Antibiotic penetration in bone, synovial fluid and biofilm	Nis Jørgensen (DK)	Discussion Panel: Lee Jeys, Martin McNally, Rik Osinga, and Maurizio Sanguinetti		
	Should antibiotics be guided by PK-PD?	Federico Pea (IT)	Case Presenters: Andrea Montanari, Anna Pozzi, Alessandro bruschi, Marta Bortoli		
	Antimicrobial peptides	Kenneth L Urish (US)			

15:00-16:00	Free Paper Session I: Basic Science (7 x 6+2 min)	Chairs: Federico Pea (IT) & Nis Jørgensen (DK)	Free Paper Session J: Ortho (7 x 6+2 min)	Chairs: Davide Maria Donati (IT) & Irene Sigmund (AT)	Best e-Posters Session 2 (10 x 3 min + 3 min)	Chairs: Massimiliano De Paolis (IT) & Tristan Ferry (FR)
	INNOVATIVE DUAL-ANTIBIOTIC DELIVERY SYSTEM PROVIDES INFECTION CONTROL IN A PRECLINICAL DAIR MODEL OF OSTEOSYNTHESIS-ASSOCIATED OSTEOMYELITIS	Catrine Jyde Berthelsen (DK)	INTRAWOUND ANTISEPTICS DO NOT DECREASE THE RISK OF PERIPROSTHETIC JOINT INFECTION FOLLOWING PRIMARY ARTHROPLASTY FOR FEMORAL NECK FRACTURE	Kyle Cichos (US)	EP015 - INTERNAL FIXATION IN MASQUELET TECHNIQUE FOR TREATMENT OF INFECTED CRITICAL SIZE BONE DEFECT, IS NAILING BETTER THAN PLATING ?	Héloïse Marechal (FR)
	FRACTURE-RELATED INFECTION DIFFERENCES IN THE EPIDEMIOLOGY AND CULTURE YIELD ACROSS BRAZILIAN REGIONS: FRIDAY IN BRAZIL	Rafael Brull Tuma (BR)	CEMENTLESS ONE -STAGE HIP REVISION ARTHROPLASTY WITH AN INJECTABLE ANTIBIOTIC BONE GRAFT SUBSTITUTE - A PILOT STUDY	Sebastian Meller (DE)	EP016 - DIFFERENTIAL EFFECT OF MODIC TYPE CHANGES ON CEFAZOLIN PENETRATION INTO INTERVERTEBRAL DISCS DURING SINGLE-LEVEL POSTERIOR SPINAL INTERBODY FUSION.	Aleksejs Repnikovs (LV)
	ANALYSIS OF SUSPENDED BIOFILM IN JOINT FLUIDS FROM PERIPROSTHETIC STAPHYLOCOCCAL INFECTIONS	María Gueembe (ES)	PROXIMAL FEMUR TUMOR RESECTION PROSTHESIS IN REVISION HIP ARTHROPLASTY DUE TO NON-ONCOLOGICAL REASONS	Nelo Lima (TR)	EP017 - A NOVEL APPROACH FOR TISSUE ANALYSIS IN JOINT INFECTIONS USING THE SCATTERED LIGHT INTEGRATED COLLECTOR (SLIC)	Elio Assaf (DE)
	IN VIVO VALIDATION OF A SEQUENTIAL ANTISEPTIC PROTOCOL FOR CHEMICAL DEBRIDEMENT IN A MURINE MODEL OF PERIPROSTHETIC JOINT INFECTION	Pablo Sanz Ruiz (ES)	CLINICAL OUTCOME OF THE USE OF INTRAMEDULLARY NAILS WITH ABSORBABLE ANTIBIOTIC CARRIERS (INAAC)	Jamie Ferguson (UK)	EP018 - PROGNOSIS OF PROSTHETIC JOINT INFECTION CAUSED BY GRAM-NEGATIVE ENTEROBACTERIA: IS DAIR A VIABLE OPTION?	Javier Sanado Fernández (ES)
	EVALUATION OF ANTI-ADHESIVE PROPERTIES OF WOOD DERIVED BIPHASIC CALCIUM PHOSPHATE BONE SCAFFOLD	Aurora Ferrari (IT)	MIDTERM OUTCOMES OF SINGLE-STAGE SURGICAL MANAGEMENT OF CHRONIC OSTEOMYELITIS USING A BIOABSORBABLE GENTAMICIN-LOADED CERAMIC CARRIER	Sebastian Meller (DE)	EP019 - GUIDING LONG-ACTING ANTIBIOTIC THERAPY IN OSTEOARTICULAR INFECTIONS: THE POTENTIAL ROLE OF THERAPEUTIC DRUG MONITORING AND SERUM BACTERICIDAL TITRE	Flavia Petrucci (IT)
	CEFEPIME/ENMETAZOBACTAM FOR GRAM-NEGATIVE PJIS? A PORCINE STUDY EVALUATING TARGET TISSUE CONCENTRATIONS FOLLOWING INTERMITTENT SHORT-TERM INFUSION AND CONTINUOUS INFUSION OF A NOVEL ANTIBIOTIC COMBINATION	Maria Bech Damsgaard Nielsen (DK)	MENISCECTOMY BEFORE TOTAL KNEE ARTHROPLASTY INCREASES THE RISK OF ALL-CAUSE REVISION AND REVISION FOR INFECTION: A NATIONAL DATABASE ANALYSIS	Nicolas Piuizzi (US)	EP020 - USE OF F18-FDG PET/CT AND MRI IN TWO-STAGE REVISION ARTHROPLASTY FOR DETECTION OF INFECTION STATUS AND ITS IMPACT ON CLINICAL OUTCOMES BEFORE REIMPLANTATION	Gürhan Tükel (TR)
	A TARGET SITE ANTIBIOTIC PHARMACOKINETIC MODEL: THE CASE OF THE MYSTERY OF BONE CONCENTRATIONS OF CEFUROXIME.	Wout Veltman (NL)	EVALUATION OF FEMORAL, ACETABULAR, AND GLOBAL OFFSET RESTORATION FOLLOWING HIP SPACER IMPLANTATION DURING STAGED TOTAL HIP ARTHROPLASTY REVISION	Luca Cavagnaro (IT)	EP022 - REEVALUATING PATIENT ISOLATION POLICIES FOR SURGICAL SITE INFECTIONS IN DAILY ORTHOPEDIC PRACTICE: A SCOPING REVIEW	Laura Bessems (BE)
					EP023 - LABELLED LEUKOCYTE SCINTIGRAPHY IS A USEFUL DIAGNOSTIC TOOL FOR THE IDENTIFICATION OF PERIPROSTHETIC JOINT INFECTION IN PAINFUL TOTAL HIP AND KNEE ARTHROPLASTY	Samo Roskar (SI)
					EP024 - EXTENSOR MECHANISM RECONSTRUCTION OF THE KNEE: A SYSTEMATIC REVIEW OF THE LITERATURE ON INFECTION RISK AND MANAGEMENT STRATEGIES	Renato Zunarelli (IT)
16:00-16:30	Coffee break / e-Posters/ Exhibition					
16:30-17:30	Key session 9: Spinal infections medical or surgical disease?	Chairs: Eleonora Zamparini (IT) & Andrew Sama (US)	Key Session 10: Rehabilitation and wound management	Chairs: Ferdinando Da Rin De Lorenzo (IT) & Alex Ramsden (UK)		
	Conservative approach to spinal infections	Andy Miller (US)	Different strategies to improve wound care	Rik Osinga (CH)		
	Surgical treatment when is it needed?	Andrew A. Sama (US)	Mobile spacers: can they improve rehabilitation?	Antonio Pellegrini (IT)		
	Basic rules and new technologies in spinal infections	Alessandro Gasbarrini (IT)	Rehabilitation after prosthesis reimplantation	Fabio Bonsanto (IT)		
17:35-19:00	EBJIS General Assembly For EBJIS members, by invitation only					
19:30	Bus transportation for conference dinner					
20:00	EBJIS Social Dinner at Palazzo Re Enzo (Admission by pre-booked ticket only. Tickets are available for purchase via the online registration)					

Plenary Room: Sala Europa		
08:45-09:00	Travelling Fellowship Report 2024	Chair: Willem-Jan Metsemakers
	Presented by: Carolina Coelho Cunha, Brazil Rares-Mircea Birlutiu, Romania Jan Puetzler, Germany	
09:00-10:00	Key session 11: BJIs in a low resource setting and regions of conflict	Chairs: Cesare Faldini (IT) & Aditya Menon (IN)
	Building bridges and creating networks: FRI in low resource settings	Elizabeth Tissingh (UK)
	Management of bone and joint tuberculosis	Marina Tadolini (IT)
	Infection Control and Limb Salvage: Experiences in Treating War-Related Bone Injuries	Oleg Vyrva (UA)
10:00-10:30	<i>Coffee break / ePosters / Exhibition</i>	
10:30-12:00	Best Papers Session (10 x 6+2 min)	Chairs: Ricardo Sousa (PT) & Sara Tedeschi (IT)
	HISTOLOGICAL TIMELINE DEFINING ACUTE AND CHRONIC PERIPROSTHETIC JOINT INFECTION IN A MOUSE ARTHROPLASTY MODEL	Alberto Carli (US)
	WOUND INFECTIONS FOLLOWING IMPLANT REMOVAL BELOW THE LEVEL OF THE KNEE; THE INFLUENCE OF 2G PROPHYLACTIC CEFAZOLIN	Robin Eelsing (NL)
	HYPOXIA-DRIVEN SDHB-MEDIATED ANTIBIOTIC TOLERANCE IMPAIRS PROPHYLACTIC ANTIBIOTICS AGAINST MRSA IN A MOUSE PROSTHETIC JOINT INFECTION MODEL	Oren Gordon (IL)
	EXPLORING IMMUNE CHECKPOINT EXPRESSION IN PERIPROSTHETIC JOINT INFECTION: VISTA AND TIM-3	Louise Kruse Jensen (DK)
	VALIDATION OF THE EBJIS RECOMMENDATIONS FOR DEBRIDEMENT, ANTIBIOTICS AND IMPLANT RETENTION (DAIR) AS A CURATIVE PROCEDURE IN THE HIP AND KNEE	Andrew Hotchen (UK)
	STAPHYLOCOCCUS AUREUS-ASSOCIATED BONE DESTRUCTION IN CHRONIC OSTEOMYELITIS: POTENTIAL ANTI-INFLAMMATORY TREATMENT OPTIONS	Gopala Mannala (DE)
	STAPHYLOCOCCUS AUREUS LOCALIZATION IN INFECTED BONES	Florian Marro (CH)
	PROACTIVE TDM-GUIDED DALBAVANCIN ADMINISTRATION SUGGESTS LOWER COSTS FOR OSTEOARTICULAR INFECTIONS: INSIGHTS FROM THE MONTALBANO STUDY	Andrea Rabbione (IT)
	STEADY-STATE PENICILLIN G DISTRIBUTION IN CERVICAL PARAVERTEBRAL MUSCLE, VERTEBRAL BONE, AND INTERVERTEBRAL DISC: INSIGHTS FROM A PORCINE MICRODIALYSIS STUDY	Hans Christian Rasmussen (DK)
	PROTEOMIC INSIGHT INTO IMMUNE PATHWAYS AND BIOMARKER DISCOVERY IN PERIPROSTHETIC JOINT INFECTION	Anabelle Visperas (US)
12:00-12:30	Honorary Lecture	Chairs: Andrea Sambri (IT) & Sara Tedeschi (IT)
	Sometimes cure, Often help, Always look and listen	Martin McNally (UK)
12:30-12:45	Closing Remarks & Prizes	
12:45-14:00	<i>Farewell lunch</i>	