

***Preliminary Program***

**9<sup>th</sup> INTERNATIONAL MEETING ON  
THERAPY IN LIVER DISEASES**

Princesa Sofia Hotel  
Barcelona, Spain

**September 14-16, 2011**

**Honorary President : Juan Rodés  
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## September 14, Wednesday

07.55-08.00 **WELCOME**  
J. Rodés

8.00-10.00 **SYMPOSIUM**  
*Non Alcoholic Fatty Liver Disease*  
Chairman : Vlad Ratziu (Paris)

10.00-10.45 **STATE OF THE ART LECTURE**  
*Acute on Chronic Liver Failure*  
Speaker :Richard Moreau (Clichy)

10.45-11.15 **COFFEE BREAK**

11.15-13.15 **SYMPOSIUM**  
*Treatment of Hepatitis B Virus Infection*  
Chairwoman : Anna Lok (Ann Arbor)

13.15-15.15 **LUNCH**

15.15-19.15 **SYMPOSIUM**  
*What ´s New – What ´s Hot in Clinical  
Hepatology*  
Chairman: Heiner Wedemeyer (Hannover)

19.15-20.15 **SHORT REVIEW LECTURES**  
*New Tools in the Non Invasive Diagnosis of Liver  
Fibrosis*  
Speaker : Miguel Navasa (Barcelona)

*Evaluation of New Antiviral Drugs: from Phase 1  
– Phase 2*  
Speaker : TBD

20.30-22.00 **WELCOME RECEPTION**

## **September 15, Thursday**

8.00-12.00 **SYMPOSIUM**

*Treatment of Acute and Chronic Hepatitis C Virus Infection.*

Chairman : Xavier Forns (Barcelona)

12.00-13.00 **SHORT REVIEW LECTURES**

*Living Liver Donor Transplantation:*

*Current Status*

Speaker: Juan C. Garcia - Valdecasas (Barcelona)

*Genetics and Clinical Hepatology*

Speaker: Gideon Hirschfield (Toronto)

13.00-15.00 **LUNCH**

15.00-17.00 **SYMPOSIUM**

*The Crititically Ill Cirrhotic Patient*

Chairman : Rajiv Jalan (London)

17.00-17.30 **COFFEE BREAK**

17.30-18.15 **STATE OF THE ART LECTURE**

*Acute Alcoholic Hepatitis*

Speaker: Philippe Mathurin (Lille)

18.15-19.45 **SHORT REVIEW LECTURES**

*Management of Bacterial Infections in Cirrhosis*

Speaker: Javier Fernandez (Barcelona)

*Treatment of Cholangiocarcinoma*

Speaker: Gregory Gores (Rochester)

*Management of Primary Sclerosing Cholangitis*

Speaker: Roger W. Chapman (Oxford)

## **September 16, Friday**

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8.00-12.00 **SYMPOSIUM**

*Complications of Cirrhosis*

Chairman : Pere Ginès ( Barcelona )

12.00-13.00 **SHORT REVIEW LECTURES**

*Acute Liver Failure and Liver Transplantation*

*When to Wait - When to Transplant*

Speaker: John O'Grady ( London )

*Artificial Liver Support for Acute and Acute on Chronic Liver Failure*

Speaker: Rafael Bañares ( Madrid )

13.00-15.00 **LUNCH**

15.00-17.00 **SYMPOSIUM**

*Recurrent Hepatic Diseases after Liver Transplantation*

Chairman : Didier Samuel ( Villejuif )

17.00-17.30 **COFFEE BREAK**

17.30-18.15 **STATE OF THE ART LECTURE**

*Portal Hypertension: from Molecular Biology to Clinical Practice*

Speaker : Jaime Bosch ( Barcelona )

18.15-20.15 **SYMPOSIUM**

*Hepatocellular Carcinoma*

Chairman : Jordi Bruix ( Barcelona )

20.15 **CONCLUDING REMARKS**

Juán Rodés ( Barcelona )

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