

**INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM**  
**GLOBAL WOMEN'S HEALTH**  
**CERVICAL CANCER PREVENTION**  
**THE SUB-SAHARAN AFRICA PERSPECTIVE**  
**23<sup>rd</sup> and 24<sup>th</sup> JUNE 2022**

**AIM**

CERVICAL CANCER IS A PREVENTABLE DISEASE. SUB-SAHARAN AFRICA CARRIES A HIGH BURDEN OF CERVICAL CANCER DISEASE. OVER THE COURSE OF TWO DAYS, LEADING EXPERTS WILL PRESENT NEW KNOWLEDGE AND LESSONS LEARNED ON CERVICAL CANCER PREVENTION RESEARCH AND IMPLEMENTATION FOR THE SUB-SAHARAN AFRICAN CONTEXT. THE AIM IS TO DISCUSS INNOVATIVE AND FEASIBLE METHODS TO REACH CERVICAL CANCER ELIMINATION GOALS IN COUNTRIES FACING A HIGH BURDEN OF DISEASE WITHIN SUB-SAHARAN AFRICA.

**DETAILED PROGRAM**

**DAY 1 (23<sup>rd</sup> JUNE 2022)**

**10:00-10:30**      **MEET AND GREET**

**10:30-11:00**      **WELCOME SPEECHES**

**WELCOME AND GREETING FROM THE TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY OF MUNICH**

**PROF. DR. JULIANE WINKELMANN**

SENIOR VICE PRESIDENT FOR INTERNATIONAL ALLIANCES AND ALUMNI, TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY OF MUNICH, GERMANY

**WELCOME AND GREETING FROM THE TUM DEPARTMENT OF SPORT AND HEALTH SCIENCES**

**PROF. DR. RENATE OBERHOFFER-FRITZ**

DEAN, DEPARTMENT OF SPORT AND HEALTH SCIENCES, TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY OF MUNICH, GERMANY

**OPENING REMARKS FROM THE HOST**

**PROF. DR. STEFANIE KLUG**

CHAIR OF EPIDEMIOLOGY, DEPARTMENT OF SPORT AND HEALTH SCIENCES, TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY OF MUNICH, GERMANY

**11:00-13:00**      **KEYNOTES: HPV VACCINATION & HPV SCREENING**

**CHAIR: PROF. DR. STEFANIE KLUG**

CHAIR OF EPIDEMIOLOGY, DEPARTMENT OF SPORT AND HEALTH SCIENCES, TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY OF MUNICH, GERMANY

**CERVICAL CANCER PREVENTION: ELIMINATION GOALS**

**PROF. DR. KAREN CANFELL**

DIRECTOR OF THE DAFFODIL CENTRE & PROFESSOR, FACULTY OF MEDICINE AND HEALTH, UNIVERSITY OF SYDNEY, AUSTRALIA

**CONSIDERATIONS FOR HPV VACCINATION IN LOW AND MIDDLE-INCOME COUNTRIES**

**PROF. DR. RUANNE BARNABAS**

CHIEF OF DIVISION OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES, MASSACHUSETTS GENERAL HOSPITAL & ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR IN GLOBAL HEALTH AND MEDICINE, DEPARTMENT OF GLOBAL HEALTH, UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON, USA

**PRIMARY HPV-SCREENING – TODAY AND TOMORROW**

**PROF. DR. JOAKIM DILLNER**

HEAD OF UNIT, CENTER FOR CERVICAL CANCER PREVENTION & DIRECTOR OF RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT, KAROLINSKA UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL, STOCKHOLM, SWEDEN

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13:00-14:00 LUNCH BREAK

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14.00-15:30 **SESSION 1 - SCREENING 1: THE CURRENT STATE OF RESEARCH**

**CHAIR: DR. JOHN AMUASI**

SENIOR LECTURER, GLOBAL HEALTH DEPARTMENT, SCHOOL OF PUBLIC HEALTH & HEAD, DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY HEALTH, SCHOOL OF MEDICINE AND DENTISTRY, KWAME NKRUMAH UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY, KUMASI, GHANA

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**CERVICAL CANCER PREVENTION IN LATIN AMERICA – LESSONS LEARNED**

**DR. MARIBEL ALMONTE PACHECO**

HEAD OF EARLY DETECTION AND PREVENTION GROUP, INTERNATIONAL AGENCY FOR RESEARCH ON CANCER (IARC), LYON, FRANCE

**CERVICAL CANCER SCREENING IN GHANA**

**PROF. DR. YAW ADU-SARKODIE**

PROFESSOR OF CLINICAL MICROBIOLOGY, DEPARTMENT OF CLINICAL MICROBIOLOGY, SCHOOL OF MEDICINE AND DENTISTRY, KWAME NKRUMAH UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY, KUMASI, GHANA

**INNOVATIVE APPROACHES TO CERVICAL CANCER SCREENING COUPLED WITH FEMALE GENITAL SCHISTOSOMIASIS SCREENING IN LOW-RESOURCE SETTINGS**

**PROF. DR. AMAYA BUSTINDUY**

PROFESSOR OF GLOBAL PAEDIATRIC AND ADOLESCENT INFECTIOUS DISEASES, DEPARTMENT OF CLINICAL RESEARCH & FACULTY OF INFECTIOUS AND TROPICAL DISEASES, LONDON SCHOOL OF HYGIENE AND TROPICAL MEDICINE, ENGLAND, UK

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15:30-16:00 COFFEE BREAK

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16:00-17:30 **SESSION 2 - SCREENING 2: INNOVATION & THE FUTURE OF SCREENING**

**CHAIR: PROF. DR. DR. ANDREA WINKLER**

DIRECTOR OF CENTER FOR GLOBAL HEALTH, TUM SCHOOL OF MEDICINE, TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY OF MUNICH, GERMANY

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**TECHNOLOGIES FOR CERVICAL CANCER SCREENING**

**DR. NICOLAS WENTZENSEN**

HEAD OF CLINICAL EPIDEMIOLOGY UNIT & DEPUTY BRANCH CHIEF, CLINICAL GENETICS BRANCH, DIVISION OF CANCER EPIDEMIOLOGY AND GENETICS, NATIONAL CANCER INSTITUTE, BETHESDA, USA

**E/M-HEALTH FOR CERVICAL CANCER SCREENING**

**PROF. DR. KAREN YEATES**

PROFESSOR OF MEDICINE, DIVISION OF NEPHROLOGY, DEPARTMENT OF MEDICINE, QUEEN'S UNIVERSITY, KINGSTON, ONTARIO, CANADA

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**DAY 2 (24<sup>th</sup> JUNE 2022)**

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09:15-10:45 **PANEL DISCUSSION WITH INVITED EXPERTS:**

**“LESSONS LEARNED:**

**INITIATION OF A CERVICAL CANCER PREVENTION PROJECT IN GHANA”**

**CHAIRS: PROF. DR. STEFANIE KLUG & DR. LUANA FIENGO TANAKA**

CHAIR OF EPIDEMIOLOGY, DEPARTMENT OF SPORT AND HEALTH SCIENCES, TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY OF MUNICH, GERMANY

10:45-11:15 COFFEE BREAK

11:15-12:45 **SESSION 3 - MANAGEMENT AND TREATMENT**

**CHAIR: PROF. DR. MARION KIECHLE**

DIRECTOR OF GYNECOLOGICAL CLINIC, SCHOOL OF MEDICINE, UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL RECHTS DER ISAR, TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY OF MUNICH, GERMANY

**POST-SCREENING MANAGEMENT IN LOW AND MIDDLE-INCOME COUNTRIES**

**PROF. DR. MICHAEL H. CHUNG**

ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR OF EMORY GLOBAL HEALTH INSTITUTE & PROFESSOR OF MEDICINE, GLOBAL HEALTH & EPIDEMIOLOGY, EMORY UNIVERSITY, ATLANTA, USA; AFFILIATE PROFESSOR OF GLOBAL HEALTH, UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON, SEATTLE, USA

**CLINICAL MANAGEMENT OF CERVICAL CANCER: MOVING BEYOND SCREENING TO TREATMENT IN UGANDA**

**PROF. DR. ADELINE BOATIN**

CO-DIRECTOR OF VINCENT GLOBAL HEALTH, DEPARTMENT OF OBSTETRICS AND GYNECOLOGY, MASSACHUSETTS GENERAL HOSPITAL AND ASSISTANT PROFESSOR, HARVARD MEDICAL SCHOOL, BOSTON, USA

**CLINICAL MANAGEMENT OF CERVICAL CANCER - THE GHANA EXPERIENCE**

**DR. EDWARD TIERU DASSAH**

SENIOR LECTURER, DEPARTMENT OF POPULATION, FAMILY AND REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH, SCHOOL OF PUBLIC HEALTH, KWAME NKRUMAH UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY & KOMFO ANOKYE TEACHING HOSPITAL, KUMASI, GHANA

12:45-13:00 CLOSING REMARKS

**PROF. DR. STEFANIE KLUG & PROF. DR. MARION KIECHLE**

13:00-14:30 NETWORKING LUNCH

**REGISTRATION DETAILS (ONLINE)**

This event will be streamed online via a Zoom webinar for virtual attendance. The schedule above occurs in the time zone according to Central European Summer Time (CEST).

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