



Spring Meeting MolecularDiagnostics.be

March 9th 2017, 13:30-17:30

BIP ('huis van het gewest')

Koningsstraat 2-4 - 1000 Brussel

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Program

Location: BIP, Zinneke

13h30 Welcome and announcements (presentation of new board) (Marijke Raymaekers / Friedel Nollet)

14h00 Update on the position of molecular biologists in clinical labs (Karl Vandepoele)

14h30 – 17h: Parallel sessions

Parallel session hematology/pathology (Zinneke)	Parallel session microbiology (Magritte)
Shallow whole genome sequencing in liquid biopsies (title tbc) - Nadine Van Roy (25')	Evaluation of the new bioMerieux eMAG - Kurt Beuselinck (25')
IGH hypermutation status analysis by NGS technology - Jona Van Der Straeten (25')	Performance of Roche Cobas HCV, HCV GT, HBV and CT/NG tests on Cobas 4800 platform - Joke Breyne (25')
Coffee break (15h30 -16h00)	
A comparison of cell-free DNA isolation kits: isolation and quantification of cell-free DNA in plasma (title tbc) – Laure Sorber (20')	Validation of BioFire FilmArray Meningitis Encephalitis Panel and its routine use - Marijke Raymaekers/ Ben Vanmassenhove (25')
Results from the EGFR T790M ring test – Koen Jacobs (10')	Reduced extraction efficiency with easyMAG system (BioMérieux) due to the magnetic silica – Oriane Soetens (15')
Reporting NGS results in hemato-onco: results from the MD.be ring test – Karl Vandepoele (30')	Extraction problems with MagNapure LC32 (Roche) - Lieselot Cnops/ Ben Vanmassenhove (15')

17h Drinks to celebrate the new board (location tbc)