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# **Nanotechnology in Medicine: From Molecules to Humans**

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## **Sunday, July 3, 2016**

4:00 pm – 5:00 pm	Conference check-in
5:00 pm – 5:15 pm	Welcome and conference logistics Prof. Lola Eniola-Adefeso, Conference co-chair Dr. Paolo Decuzzi, Conference co-chair Dr. Joye Bramble, ECI technical liaison
5:15 pm – 6:15 pm	Plenary Talk #1 <b>Dr. Patrick Couvreur</b> (Paris-Sud University, France)
6:15 pm – 8:00 pm	Wine tasting reception
8:00 pm – 9:30 pm	Dinner
9:30 pm – 10:30 pm	Social hour

### **Notes**

- *Technical sessions will be in the Studio.*
- *Poster Sessions will be in the Hofsuite 1-2.*
- *Meals will be held in the Panorama Restaurant.*
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## **Monday, July 4, 2016**

- 7:00 am – 8:30 am Breakfast buffet
- 8:30 am – 12:00 pm **Session 1: Nano/microparticles for diagnostics and therapeutics**  
Session Chairs: Dan Peer and Shawn Chen
- 8:30 am – 9:00 am **Prof. Thomas Webster** (Northeastern University, Chemical Engineering, USA)  
*15 years of commercializing nanomedicine into real medical products*
- 9:00 am – 9:30 am **Prof. Dan Peer** (Material Science and Engineering – Tel Aviv University, Israel)  
*Theranostic nanoparticles for treatment of inflammatory disease and cancer*
- 9:30 am – 10:00 am **Prof. Eun Ji Chung** (University of Southern California, USA)  
*Targeting atherosclerosis using supramolecular micellar assemblies*
- 10:30 am – 11:00 am Coffee break
- 11:00 am – 11:30 am **Dr. Paolo Decuzzi** (Italian Institute of Technology, Italy)  
*Rational design of theranostic polymeric nanoconstructs for biomedical applications*
- 11:30 am – 12:00 pm **Millicent Sullivan** (University of Delaware, Department of Chemical Engineering, USA)  
*Unlocking Intracellular Therapeutic Targets through Novel Nanostructured Biomaterials*
- 12:00 pm – 1:30 pm Buffet lunch
- 1:30 pm – 3:00 pm Networking/free time / *ad hoc* sessions
- 2:00 pm – 3:00 pm Optional tour of historic Schloss Hernstein castle – meet at hotel front reception  
Peter Glaser, Schloss Hernstein
- 3:00 pm – 6:00 pm **Session 2: Nano/microparticles for diagnostics, therapeutics and tissue engineering**  
Session Chair: Anirban Sen Gupta
- 3:00 pm – 3:30 pm **Dr. Xiaoyuan (Shawn) Chen** (NIBIB, National Institutes of Health, USA)  
*Construction of nanoparticle platforms for effective drug and gene delivery*
- 3:30 pm – 4:00 pm **Dr. Gary Zabow** (NIST, USA)  
*Shape-changing nanomagnets: A new approach to in vivo biosensing*
- 4:00 pm – 4:30 pm **Prof. Mansoor Amiji** (Northeastern University, Department of Pharmaceutical Sciences, USA)  
*Nanotechnology applications in medical diagnosis, imaging, and therapy*
- 4:30 pm – 5:00 pm Coffee break
- 5:00 pm – 5:30 pm **Prof. Ashutosh Chilkoti** (Duke University, Biomedical Engineering, USA)  
*ELP-Doxorubicin nanoparticles for inhibiting cancer metastasis*
- 5:30 pm – 6:00 pm **Prof. Joerg Lahann** (University of Michigan, Chemical Engineering, USA)  
*Nanoparticles for targeting cancer cells*

**Monday, July 4, 2016 (continued)**

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| 6:00 pm – 7:00 pm  | Plenary Talk #2<br><b>Dr. Viola Vogel</b> (ETH Zurich, Switzerland) |
| 7:00 pm – 8:00 pm  | Networking / Free time  |
| 8:00 pm – 9:30 pm  | Buffet dinner   |
| 9:30 pm – 11:00 pm | Poster Session 1 / Social hour                                      |

## **Tuesday, July 5, 2016**

- 7:00 am – 8:30 am Breakfast buffet
- 8:30 am – 12:00 pm **Session 3: Nano/microtechnology for study of cellular and molecular dynamics**  
Session chair: Lola Eniola-Adefeso
- 8:30 am – 9:00 am **Prof. Lola Eniola-Adefeso** (University of Michigan, Chemical Engineering, USA)  
*Harnessing cell-particle interaction in drug delivery*
- 9:00 am – 9:30 am **Prof. Angela Violi** (University of Michigan, Mechanical Engineering, USA)  
*Nanoparticles and biological cells: From atomistic simulations to membrane diagnostics*
- 9:30 am – 10:30 am **Prof. Yen Nee Tan** (National University of Singapore & Institute of Material Research and Engineering, Singapore)  
*Marrying biomolecules and nanoparticles for diagnostics and nanomedicine*
- 10:30 am – 11:00 am Coffee break
- 11:00 am – 11:30 am **Dr. Diana Boraschi** (National Research Council of Italy, Italy)  
*Impact of engineered nanoparticles in initiating or modulating pathology-related Inflammation*
- 11:30 am – 12:00 pm TBA (Student Talk Invited from Poster Session)
- 12:15 pm – 6:00 pm Excursion / Sightseeing trip to Vienna
- 7:00 pm – 8:00 pm Networking / free time
- 8:00 pm – 9:30 pm Buffet dinner
- 9:30 pm – 11:00 pm Poster Session 2 / Social hour



### Wednesday, July 6, 2016

- 7:00 am – 8:30 am Breakfast buffet
- 8:30 am – 12:00 pm **Session 4: Nanotechnology and translational medicine**  
Session Chair: S. M. Moghimi
- 8:30 am – 9:00 am **Prof. Seyed Moein Moghimi** (Durham University, United Kingdom)  
*A mechanistic insight to nanomedicine-mediated adverse cardiopulmonary reactions*
- 9:00 am – 9:30 am **Prof. Victor Shahin** (Westfälische Wilhelms-Universität, Münster, Germany)  
*Novel strategy to disrupt the nuclear pore barrier reversibly: Implications for nanomedicine*
- 9:30 am – 10:00 am **Prof. Alexander Majouga** (Lomonosov Moscow State University)  
*Magnetic materials for smart therapy and diagnostics*
- 10:30 am – 11:00 am Discussion / Coffee break
- 11:00 am – 11:30 am **Prof. Anirban Sen Gupta** (Case Western Reserve University, USA)  
*SynthoPlate: A platelet-inspired hemostatic nanotechnology for treatment of bleeding complications*
- 11:30 am – 12:00 pm **Prof. Doug Vogus** (University of California Santa Barbara, USA)  
*Polymer drug conjugates for the delivery of synergistic chemotherapeutics*
- 12:00 pm – 1:30 pm Buffet lunch
- 1:30 pm – 3:00 pm Networking / free time / *ad hoc* sessions
- 3:00 pm – 6:00 pm **Session 5: Nanotechnology and biopolymer for regenerative medicine**  
Session Chair: Athanassia Athanassiou
- 3:00 pm – 3:30 pm **Dr. Athanassia Athanassiou** (Italian Institute of Technology, Italy)  
*Biopolymers for medical application*
- 3:30 pm – 4:00 pm **Prof. Gianni Ciofani** (Italian Institute of Technology, Italy)  
*Active nanomaterials for biomedical applications*
- 4:00 pm – 4:30 pm **Prof. Kaushal Rege** (Arizona State University, USA)  
*Laser welding and repair of ruptured tissues using photothermal nanocomposites*
- 4:30 pm – 5:00 pm Coffee break
- 5:00 pm – 5:30 pm **Dr. Ilker Bayer** (Italian Institute of Technology, Italy)  
*Biopolymer/Nanocomposite materials in medicine*
- 5:30 pm – 6:00 pm **Dr. Christine Horejs** (Karolinska Institutet, Sweden)  
*Mimicking the extracellular matrix – a biomaterials approach to inhibit tissue fibrosis*
- 6:00 pm – 7:00 pm Plenary Talk #3  
**Dr. Dennis Discher** (University of Pennsylvania, USA)  
*Nano/Meso-scale principles and applications with flexibility: From delivery and self-recognition to differentiation*

**Wednesday, July 6, 2016 (continued)**

7:00 pm – 8:00 pm      Networking/free time

8:00 pm – 10:00 pm      Banquet, Poster Awards, Closing Remarks

10:00 pm – 11:00 pm      Social hour

**Thursday, July 7, 2016**

- 7:00 am – 8:30 am Breakfast buffet
- 8:30 am – 12:00 pm **Session 6: Nanostructures and Nanoscale interaction for cell adhesion, growth, motility, and differentiation**  
Session Chair: Viola Vogel
- 8:30 am – 9:00 am **Prof. Srivatsan Kidambi** (University of Nebraska-Lincoln, USA)  
*Developing nanostructured thin films as biomimetic tissue-engineered platform for cancer research*
- 9:00 am – 9:30 am **Prof. Michelle Dawson** (Brown University, USA)  
*Modeling the tumor microenvironment with nanostructured material*
- 9:30 am – 10:00 am **Prof. Joyce Wong** (Boston University, USA)  
*Nano and microparticles as theranostic agents*
- 10:00 am – 10:30 am **Prof. Chuanliang Feng** (Shanghai Jiao Tong University, China)  
*Bioinspired chiral supramolecular hydrogels*
- 10:30 am – 11:00 am Coffee break
- 11:00 am – 11:30 am **Prof. Claudia Fischbach** (Cornell University, USA)  
*Cell-ECM interactions and their relevance to cancer*
- 11:30 am – 12:00 pm **Dr. Ellen Van-Obberghen** (Institut Valrose Biologie, France)  
*Assembly and function of fibroblast-derived extracellular matrices*
- 12:30 pm Lunch and departures

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## Poster Presentations List

1. **Membrane interaction of pegylated superparamagnetic nanoparticles**  
Noga Gal, Boku, Austria
2. **Iron oxide nanoparticles with a variable size and an iron oxidation state for imaging applications**  
Vladimir L. Kolesnichenko, Xavier University, USA
3. **Experimental evaluation of receptor-ligand interactions of dual-targeted particles to inflamed endothelium**  
Margaret B. Fish, University of Michigan, USA
4. **Immunodiagnostics based on optically detected rotational dynamics of anisotropic nanoparticles**  
Astrit Shoshi, Danube University Krems, Austria
5. **New hybrid materials on the basis of magnetite and magnetite-gold nanoparticles for biomedical application**  
Mariia Efremova, Moscow State University, Russia
6. **Magnetic materials for smart therapy and diagnostics**  
Alexander Majouga, Lomonosov Moscow State University, Russia
7. **Identification and smart design of peptide binders recognizing target biomarkers**  
Jong Pil Park, Daegu Haany University, South Korea
8. **Development of biocompatible small-molecule spacers as metal oxide nanoparticles' stabilizing agents**  
Galina Z. Goloverda, Xavier University, USA
9. **Multifunctional nanoparticles for specific neuroblastoma targeting**  
Daniel Quevedo, Karlsruhe Institute of Technology, Germany
10. **Theranostic materials for MRI and targeted delivery based on functionalized magnetite nanoparticles**  
Aleksey Nikitin, National University of Science and Technology "MISIS", Russia
11. **Poster withdrawn**
12. **Surface modification of magnetite-gold dumbbell nanoparticles with fluorescent dyes for new opportunities in visualization**  
Alexandra Prelovskaya, MISIS, Russia
13. **Penetration of PLGA nanoparticles into the intracranial rat C6 Glioma: Influence of surfactant coating**  
Yulia Malinovskaya, Drugs Technology Ltd, Russia
14. **Ultrasmall hexagonal NaGdF<sub>4</sub>:Yb nanoparticles: A theranostic approach to radiotherapy**  
Jossana Damasco, State University of New York at Buffalo, USA

15. **Nanoparticles-based biosensors for cancer diagnostics and drug screening: A study on tumor suppressor protein-DNA Interactions**  
Yen Nee Tan, Institute of Materials Research and Engineering, Singapore
16. **Organic-inorganic magnetic hybrids as multifunctional imaging and therapeutic agents**  
Manuel Bañobre-López, International Iberian Nanotechnology Laboratory, Portugal
17. **Particle surface properties direct cellular immune responses in the lung**  
Catherine A. Fromen, University of Michigan, USA
18. **Molecularly imprinted biofunctional device: Using polymer surfaces on surgical instruments to catalyze blood coagulation**  
Natalie Sullivan, Utah Valley University, USA