



March, 6 - The growing challenges of sepsis and AMR

09h00-10h30: Round Table: Sepsis grey areas

- ASM programmes and sepsis fast-tracks: antagonists or two sides of the same coin? - **Tomislav Kostyanev**
- Sepsis guidelines: the challenge of implementation - **Juan Gonzalez del Castillo**
- Training in AM stewardship: a growing need? - **Dulce Pascoalinho**

10h30-11h00: Optimising treatment of nosocomial pneumonia:

11h00-11h20: Coffee-break

11h20-11h40: Opening ceremony

11h40-12h10: Antimicrobial resistance - upcoming threats and tools – Claire Thomas

12h10-13h00: Astellas Symposium

13h00-14h30: Lunch

14h30-16h00: Antibiotic misuse hotspots: challenges and opportunities

- Ambulatory care - **Tomislav Kostyanev**
- Emergency departments - **Alejandro Martin Quirós**
- Surgical prophylaxis - **Nuno Pereira**

16h00-16h30: Coffee-break

16h30-18h00: Update on Nosocomial BSI

- National epidemiology
- Is catheter removal mandatory? The role of biofilm formation - **João Gonçalves Pereira**
- Optimal treatment of CRE bacteraemia - **José Artur Paiva**



March, 7 - Infection, antibiotics and sepsis in the ED and ICU

09h00-10h30: Round Table: Sepsis Care in the ED

- The critical role of ED physicians - **Ana Prado**
- No man is an island: Team work is paramount - **Juan Gonzalez del Castillo**
- Quality control in sepsis fast-track programs

10h30-11h00: Sepsis definitions: How we got here and the road ahead - Mervyn Singer

11h00 - 11h30 - Coffee-Break

11h30-13h00: Round Table: Early detection

- Is qSOFA the answer? - **Paulo Mergulhão**
- The role of lactate in 2019 - **João Pedro Baptista**
- A big data approach to detect sepsis - **Márcio Borges Sá**

13h00-13h30: The burden of fungal infection in the critically ill - Isabel Ruiz

13h00-14h30: Lunch

14h30-15h30: Pro/Con debate

Early antibiotics are fundamental:

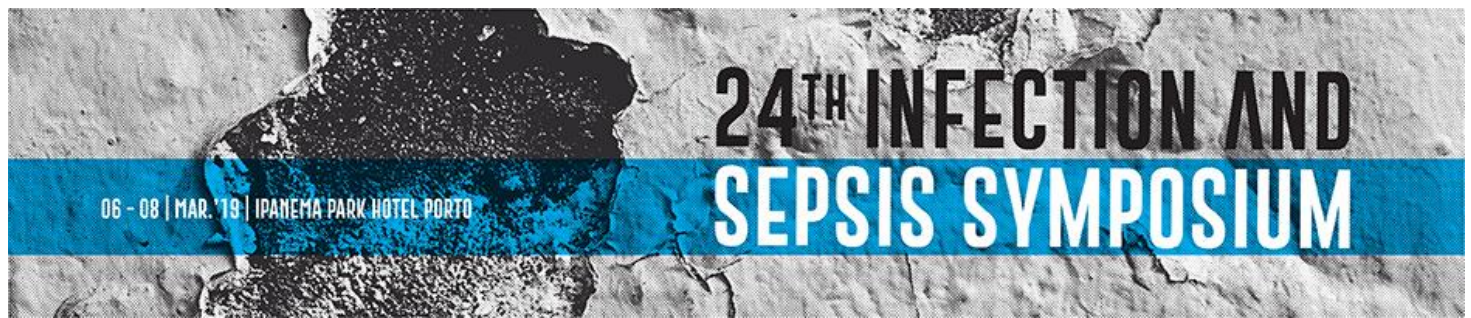
- PRO: **José Artur Paiva**
- CON: **Mervyn Singer**

15h30-16h00: How to reduce antimicrobial treatment duration? Is there a role for BM guided therapy? - Djillali Annane

16h00-16h30: Coffee-break

16h30-18h00: Emerging concerns

- STEP study results: focus on pneumonia - **Rafael Canton**
- Emerging fungal infections
- Optimising antimicrobial therapy: what you need to know about MIC - **Rafael Canton**



March, 8 - Adjunctive therapies for sepsis

09h00-10h30: Management of septic shock

- Fluids and oxygen: is less more? Looking for the sweet spot - **Mervyn Singer**
- Choosing crystalloid solutions
- Optimal vasopressor support- **Djillali Annane**

10h30-11h00: Heart rate control in sepsis - Mervyn Singer

11h00-11h30: Coffee-break

11h30-13h00: Organ support

- Toxin hemabsorption - why have we failed so far?
- What about vitamin C? - **João Gonçalves Pereira**
- ECOS in sepsis: future perspectives - **João Gouveia**

13h30-13h30: What is the role for steroids in septic shock in 2019? - Djillali Annane