



## Preliminary Scientific Program

### December 4<sup>th</sup>

- 8.30 hs Registration /poster placement areas EP and PRO  
9:30-10:00 hs Open ceremony  
10:00-10:45 hs *Plenary Lecture 1: Mirta Roses, PhD. - OPS*  
**Global and regional perspectives for NTDs**  
11:00-11:45 hs Coffee break and poster viewing  
11:45-12:30 hs *Plenary Lecture 2: Thomas J. Schmidt, Dr. rer. nat. -ResNet*  
**Amino-cycloartanes and -steroids from Buxaceae and Apocynaceae as potent anti-protozoal leads. Some recent advances of our work within ResNet NPND**
- FREE TIME
- 14:30-15:00 hs *Lecture Ministry of Health*  
15:15-16:15 hs Oral communications  
16:15-16:45 hs Coffee break and poster viewing  
16:45-17:45 hs Oral communications

### December 5<sup>th</sup>

- 9:00-9:30 hs Poster placement areas NC, DD and DS  
9:30-10:15 hs *Plenary Lecture 3: Liliana Finkielstein, PhD. - FFyB, UBA*  
**Chagas disease drug discovery. Computational studies of thiazolylhydrazones derived from 1-indanones with anti-*Trypanosoma cruzi* action**  
10:30-11:00 hs *Lecture - Nubia Boechat, PhD. - FIOCRUZ*  
**A contribution to the Research and Development of new compounds for neglected tropical diseases**  
11:15-12:00 hs Coffee break and poster viewing  
12:00-13:00 hs Oral communications
- FREE TIME
- 14:30-15:15 hs *Plenary Lecture 4: Cesar Catalán, PhD. - INQUINOA (CONICET)*  
**Sesquiterpene lactones and bioactivity in the Vernoniae tribe (Asteraceae). Potential and strategies for the development of new drugs**  
15:30-16:30 hs Oral communications  
16:30-17:15 hs Coffee break and poster viewing  
17:15-17:45 hs *Lecture - Jadel Kratz, PhD.- DNDi*  
**Novel Collaborative Approaches Boosting R&D for Neglected Tropical Diseases**



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**December 6<sup>th</sup>**

- 9:00-9:30 hs Poster placement areas IA and MA
- 10:00-10:45 hs *Plenary Lecture 5: Emilio Malchiodi, PhD. - IDEHU (UBA-CONICET)*  
**Traspain, a chimeric antigen as prophylactic and therapeutic vaccine against the neglected Chagas Disease**
- 11:00-11:45 hs Coffee break and poster viewing
- 11:45-12:45 hs Oral communications
- FREE TIME
- 14:30-15:15 hs *Plenary Lecture 6: Elsa Damonte, PhD. - FCEN, UBA*  
**Antiviral strategies against hemorrhagic fever viruses**
- 15:30-16:00 hs *Lecture - Mariela Bollini, PhD. - CIBION (CONICET)*  
**Dengue and Chikungunya Antivirals: From in silico hit identification to active candidates**
- 16:15-16:45 hs Coffee break and poster viewing
- 16:45-17:45 hs Oral communications
- 17:45 hs Closing