

**European School of Genetic Medicine**  
**7th COURSE IN CANCER GENETICS**  
August 28th - September 1th, 2002  
Bertinoro, Forlì, Italy

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**Directors:**

**P. Devilee (Leiden, The Netherlands)**

**G. Romeo**

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Arrival: August 27th, Tuesday evening

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**Wednesday, August 28, 2002**  
BASIC (EPI) GENETIC MECHANISMS (P. Devilee)

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9.00 - 9.45	<b>P. Devilee</b> (Leiden, The Netherlands) LOH: where are the target genes?
9.45 - 10.30	<b>B. Young</b> (London, United Kingdom) Translocations & fusion genes
10.30 - 11.00	Coffee break
11.00 - 11.45	<b>S. Lakhani</b> (London, United Kingdom) Cancer progression: a pathologist's view (precursor lesions; microdissection)
11.45 - 12.30	<b>J. Herman</b> (Baltimore, MD-USA) Hypermethylation in cancer
12.30 - 13.30	Lunch
13.30 - 14.:00	<b>Questions from students on the morning sessions</b>
14.00 - 15.30	Concurrent workshops
15.30 - 16.00	Coffee break
16.00 - 17.30	Concurrent workshops
20.00	Dinner

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**Thursday, August 29, 2002**  
GENETIC EPIDEMIOLOGY; LOW RISK ALLES (D. Goldgar)

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9.00 - 9.45

**T. Bishop** (Cambridge, United Kingdom)

	Introduction on basic epidemiology
9.45 - 10.30	<b>D. Goldgar</b> (Lyon, France & Salt Lake City, USA) - to be announced -
10.30 - 11.00	Coffee break
11.00 - 11.45	<b>K. Hemminki</b> (Huddinge, Sweden) - to be announced -
11.45 - 12.30	<b>T. Wienker</b> (Bonn, Germany) - to be announced -
12.30 - 13.30	Lunch
13.30 - 14.00	<b>Questions from students on the morning sessions</b>
14.00 - 15.30	Concurrent workshops
15.30 - 16.00	Coffee-break
16.00 - 17.30	Concurrent workshops
19.30	Dinner
21.00 - 22.00	<i>Evening research seminar:</i> <b>K. Kinzler</b> (Baltimore, MD, USA) - to be announced -

### Friday, August 30, 2002

#### THE MOLECULAR BIOLOGY OF INHERITED CANCER (G. Romeo)

9.00 - 9.45	<b>G. Romeo</b> (Bologna, Italy) Ret & thyroid cancer
9.45 - 10.30	<b>R. Fodde</b> (Leiden, Netherlands) APC & colon cancer
10.30 - 11.00	Coffee break
11.00 - 11.45	<i>Speaker</i> VHL and renal
11.45 - 12.30	<b>A. Venkitaraman</b> (Cambridge, UK) Inherited predisposition to breast cancer: lessons from BRCA1 & BRCA2
12.30 - 13.30	Lunch
13.30 - 14.00	<b>Questions from students on the morning sessions</b>
14.00 - 15.30	Concurrent workshops
15.30 - 16.00	Coffee break
16.00 - 17.30	Concurrent workshops
19.30	Dinner
21.00 - 22.00	<i>Evening research seminar:</i> <b>Joe Gray</b> (San Francisco, CA, USA) Dissecting cancer through genome research

### Saturday, August 31, 2002

## BIOLOGY OF THE CANCER CELL (R. Bernards)

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9.00 - 9.45	<b>R. Bernards</b> (Amsterdam, The Netherlands) The cell cycle & cancer
9.45 - 10.30	<b>J. Shay</b> (Dallas, TX, USA) Telomeres & cancer
10.30 - 11.00	Coffee-break
11.00 - 11.45	<b>G. Evan</b> (San Francisco, CA, USA) Apoptosis & cancer
11.45 - 12.30	<b>S. Bhattacharya</b> (Oxford, United Kingdom) Basic aspects of hypoxia in relation to disease
12.30 - 13.30	Lunch
13.30 - 14.00	<b>Questions from students on the morning sessions</b>
14.00 - 15.30	Concurrent workshops
15.30 - 16.00	Coffee break
16.00 - 17.30	Concurrent workshops
19.30	Dinner
21.00 - 22.00	<b>Evening Panel discussion "Issues in patenting inventions in cancer research"</b> <b>Moderator:</b> G. Romeo - F. Eisinger (Marseille, France); L. Luzzatto (Genoa, Italy); S. Youlton (London, United Kingdom)

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## Sunday, September 1st, 2002 (FAMILY) CANCER CLINIC (R. Eeles)

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9.00 - 9.45	<b>L. van 't Veer</b> (Amsterdam, The Netherlands) Expression profiling as a prognostic factor for breast cancer
9.45 - 10.30	<b>J. Burn</b> (Newcastle, United Kingdom) A family history of colorectal cancer: what difference does it make?
10.30 - 11.00	Coffee break
11.00 - 11.45	<b>R. Eeles</b> (Sutton, United Kingdom) Management of breast cancer predisposition gene carriers
11.45 - 12.30	<b>N. Holtzman</b> (Baltimore, MD, USA) Will genetics revolutionize medicine?
12.30 - 13.30	Lunch
13.30 - 14.00	<b>Questions from students on the morning sessions</b>
14.00 - 15.30	Concurrent workshops
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**Registration fee for the entire course (5 days)**

Euro 775,00 (covering abstract book, lunches, coffee break)

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