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14:00	Registration 12:00-16:30
14:30	Press conference 16:00-16:30
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17:00	Hall Europea
18:00	16:30-19:00, Chairs: Eija Hiltunen-Back & Stephan Lautenschlager
	Opening ceremonies
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Regional Director IUSTI Europe Airi Pöder & IUSTI Europe Chair Claudia Heller-Vitouch; IUSTI welcome address• Former President of the Republic of Finland Tarja Halonen: Sexual and Reproductive Health and Rights – An Eternal Challenge?• Professor Heikki Peltola: Reflections of Infectious Diseases in Music• Professor Alexandre Wenger: The prophylaxis of syphilis: history, arts, cinema
19:00	<i>Reception Helsinki City Hall</i>
	<i>19-20.30</i>



FRIDAY 1 SEPTEMBER		
HALL EUROPEA	HALL FENNIA I	HALL NORDIA
<p>08:30-10:30 Case reports (10 minutes each) Chairs: Jackie Sherrard, Cândida Fernandes, Marti Vall Mayans</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Susanne Buder: Isolated gonococcal tendovaginitis of the forearm as clinical presentation of disseminated gonococcal infection • David Garcia-Hernandez: Intestinal spirochetosis, a sexually transmissible infection? Review of six cases from two sexually transmitted infections centres in Barcelona • Anna Rammlmair: Maculopapular rash under TNF-alpha blocker therapy • Brigitta Mező: Syphilis infection in siblings • Christian Greis: Tinea genitalis: A new entity of sexually transmitted infection? • Giang Huong Nguyen: Nympho-hymenal tear: a distinctive entity? • Claude Luder: Syphilis • Natasha Tsekova Traykovicj: Morbus Bowen and Bowenoid papulosis in renal transplant patient. • Marijana Vacic: Lymphogranuloma venereum infection in a young sailor? • Satu Kurkela: Finnish woman with a peculiar HIV-serology • One Speaker TBA 	<p>09:00-10:30 "What's hot in HIV?" Chairs: Deniz Gokengin, Mike Youle, Annamari Ranki</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mike Youle: The art of antiretroviral treatment • Christina Mussini: Late presentation: Is it still a burning issue? • Deniz Gökengin: HIV care in Central and Eastern Europe: how far are we from the target? • Michelle Hanlon: PREP -Real life experience from Norway 	<p>09.00-10:30 Practical STI Diagnosis: which microorganisms, how and when? Chairs: Angelika Stary, Marco Cusini, Viktoria Varkony</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Marco Cusini: Recurrent ulcers in the genital tract • Viktoria Varkony: Syphilis: primary, secondary, tertiary: the recommended tests • Charlotte Gaydos: Which pathogens should be looked for in NGU <p>Panel discussion on STI Diagnosis: Questions to be answered and Problems to be discussed M. Cusini, Ch. Gaydos, A. Stary, V. Varkony</p>
COFFEE BREAK & POSTERS & EXHIBITION, 10:30-11:00		
<p>11:00-12:30 Chairs: Eija Hiltunen-Back & Airi Pöder</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Catriona Bradshaw: Mycoplasma genitalium – Management in the time of multi-drug resistance • John White: Gonorrhoea: update 2017 • Charlotte Gaydos: Point of care tests: clinical use in 2017 		
LUNCH & POSTERS & EXHIBITION, 12:30-13:30		



<p>13:30-15:45 Troubleshooting in anogenital dermatology: expert opinion Chairs: Willem van der Meijden,</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fiona Lewis; Several managerial aspects of lichen sclerosus and lichen planus • Jorma Paavonen; Diagnosis and management of VIN • Fabian Ziller; Diagnosis and management of penile premalignant skin conditions • Meet experts; difficult cases 	<p>13:30-15:00 The European STI guidelines – what you need to know Chairs: Keith Radcliff, Michel Janier Keith Radcliffe: Introduction</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Raj Patel: Genital herpes • Michel Janier: Syphilis • Magnus Unemo: Gonorrhoea • Harald Moi: NGU • Andy Winter: Hepatitis B and C 	<p>13:30-14:15 Satellite symposium by Abbvie: Hidradenitis Suppurativa – what do I need to know about this hidden disease?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Caitriona Ryan
	<p>15:00-16:00 Satellite Symposium by Cepheid</p>	<p>14:15-15:45 Changing infections Chairs: Stephan Lautenschlager & David A. Lewis</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • David A. Lewis: The re-emergence of H. ducreyi in dermato-venereology • Peter Itin: Syphilis: covert presentations. • Catriona Bradshaw: Microbial changes and factors associated with the development of BV. • Kees Rietmeijer: Changing world of STI-care
<p>COFFEE BREAK & POSTERS & EXHIBITION, 15:45-16:15</p>		
<p>16:15-17:45 E-sexual health: how can apps and technology help you? Chairs: Andrew Winter & Henry de Vries</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Teymur Noori: ‘STI prevention in Europe – social media, apps and new technology’ • Anatole Mehnon-Johnson: How can apps and smart technology change our work? • Jo Gibbs : STI information apps - challenges and potential • Tariq Sadiq: E-labs: how technology can transform diagnostics 	<p>16:15-17:45 Genital pain syndromes- clinical challenge Chairs: Jorma Paavonen & Gilbert Donders</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Josef Beatrice: Male aspects and classification • Päivi Tammola: Vulvodynia; etiopathogenesis and pain mechanisms • Gilbert Donders: Conservative management of vulvar pain syndrome • Jorma Paavonen: Surgical management by vestibulectomy 	<p>16:15-17:45, Free papers (10 minutes each) Chairs: Claudia Heller-Vitouch, Mikhail Gomberg</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Patel: A service evaluation of a queue management system to limit patient waiting times in a same day sexual health service • Aebi-Popp: Rationale for prioritizing sti-screening among asymptomatic female sex workers in Switzerland • Al Rifai: Global epidemiology of chlamydia trachomatis among infertile populations: a systematic review and meta-analysis • Allibardi: Evaluation of a new home-based self-vaginal collection kit to detect chlamydia trachomatis and neisseria gonorrhoeae • Rowley: Home Sexual Health Screening - A Glance at our First Nine Months • Cannon: A comparison of observed counselling of the patient with hsv-2 and that which is reported by clinicians • Götz: Patient initiated partner therapy for chlamydia: attitude of physicians and nurses in sexual health centres in The Netherlands



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		<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Kenyon: The global patterning of stis over the past century suggests that differential network connectivity played an important role• Pinto-Sander: Acute hepatitis c in HIV negative men who have sex with men (MSM) who do not report injecting drug use
<i>Free evening</i>		



SATURDAY 2 SEPTEMBER	
HALL EUROPEA	HALL FENNIA I
<p>9:00:10.30 HPV - clinical challenges today Chairs: Arne Wickström, Petra Tunbäck, Stina Syrjänen</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Stina Syrjänen: Oral manifestations of HPV infection • Petra Tunbäck: HPV in children • Anne Olsen: anal HPV infection <p style="text-align: right;">Arne Wickström: Treatment of genital warts</p>	<p>9:00-10:30 ECDC symposium: STIs in Europe: new trends and old foes Chairs: Otilia Mårdh and Keith Radcliffe</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gianfranco Spiteri: Trends of bacterial sexually transmitted infections in Europe • Magnus Unemo: Recent trends in gonococcal resistance • Julien Beauté: Travel-associated gonorrhoea in four Nordic countries <p>Patricia Ndumbi: Hepatitis A outbreak affecting men who have sex with men (MSM) in Europe</p>
COFFEE BREAK & POSTERS & EXHIBITION, 10:30-11:00	
<p>11:00-12:30, Chairs: Stephan Lautenschlager & Derek Freedman</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • David A. Lewis: What is an STI? • Manuel Battegay: HIV: A decade after the Swiss Statement – TasP and PrEP • Jorma Paavonen: HPV: what's new 	
LUNCH & POSTERS & EXHIBITION, 12:30-13:30	
<p>13:30-14:00 Satellite symposium by SpeedX</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jørgen Jensen: "Mycoplasma genitalium – the first incurable bacterial STI?" • David Whiley: "Enhancing AMR surveillance and treatment of gonorrhoea by molecular methods" 	<p>13:30-14:00 IUSTI General Assembly</p>
<p>14:00-15:30 Anorectal sex and its role in STI transmission Chairs: Henry de Vries, Raj Patel, John White</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Raj Patel: Herpetic and gonorrhoeal proctitis • Henry de Vries: Chlamydial proctitis including lymphogranuloma venereum • John White: Syphilitic proctitis and rectal HIV transmission 	<p>14:00-15:30 Free papers (10 minutes each) Chairs: Mirja Puolakkainen,</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Martinelli: Detection and quantitation of human papillomavirus DNA in plasma samples of women with cervical dysplasia • Mokany: Detection of genital lesion producing pathogens using plexpcr multiplex assay • Nagy: HIV entry inhibition by thiolated nucleotides • Espasa: New program for rapid detection and early treatment of sexually transmitted infections in asymptomatic population with sexual risk behaviors in Barcelona • Perry: Evaluation of the SPEEDX plexpcr for HSV-1&2/VZV/syphilis assay using three hundred clinical samples in a diagnostic laboratory • Whiley: Use of molecular methods to enhance Neisseria Gonorrhoeae antimicrobial resistance surveillance • Kale: Detection of mutations associated with macrolide resistance in mycoplasma genitalium



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	<p>from clinical specimens</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• White: Understanding attitudes to the diagnosis of mycoplasma genitalium infection: a modified delphi approach to obtain a United Kingdom (UK) perspective• Le Roy: Prospective clinical evaluation of the aptima mycoplasma genitalium assay (ce-ivd) in France
COFFEE BREAK & POSTERS & EXHIBITION, 15:30-15:45	
<p>15:45-17:15 Herpes infections</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Raj Patel: Genital Herpes-Update 2017• Debate: Herpes: Kiss and tell...or not? For: Peter Greenhouse, Against: Colm O'Mahony	<p>15:45-17:15 Microscopic diagnosis of genital infections</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Gilbert Donders: Essentials of Native Vaginal Microscopy• Harald Moi: Direct examination of male and female urethritis
Closing remarks & farewell & Ireland welcome	
<i>Networking event, 19:00-23:00, <u>restaurant NJK</u>, island of Valkosaari</i>	