

Time	Session	Title	Speaker	Country	Chair 1	Chair 2
14th IHS Montréal, Canada (International Hemovigilance Seminar)						
IHN General Meeting		April 25, 2012: 09:00-12:00				
Wednesday 25 April 2012						
		Opening			Pierre Robillard, Canada	
13:30 - 13:40		Welcome	Jean-Claude Faber	Luxembourg		
13:40 - 13:50		Opening of the Symposium	Francine Décary	Canada		
13:50 - 14:00			Jean de Serres	Canada		
14:00 - 15:00		Hemovigilance: Where are we in 2012?	Jean-Claude Faber	Luxembourg		
15:00 - 15:30		coffee/tea break - Exhibit				
		State-of-the-Art			Francine Décary, Canada	Jean-Claude Faber, Luxembourg
15:30 - 16:30		Respiratory complications of transfusion: State of the Art lecture	Steven Kleinman	Canada		
16:30 - 17:30		Donor vigilance: State of the Art lecture	Peter Tomasulo	USA		
17:30 - 19:00		Exhibit and Poster viewing				
		end of 1st Day				
Thursday 26 April 2012						
		Hemovigilance in Canada			René de Vries, Netherlands	Pierre Robillard, Canada
08:30 - 09:00		Transfusion Transmitted Injuries Surveillance System	Cindy Hyson	Canada		
09:00 - 09:30		The Quebec Hemovigilance System	Gilles Lambert	Canada		
09:30 - 10:00		A day in the life of a Canadian TSO	Ana Lima	Canada		
10:00 - 10:30		coffee/tea break - Exhibit				
					René de Vries, Netherlands	Pierre Robillard, Canada
		Hemovigilance in Canada (continued)				
10:30 - 11:00		The importance of transfusion error surveillance	Jeannie Callum	Canada		
11:00 - 11:30		The Canadian TESS (Tranfusion Error Surveillance System)	Cindy Hyson	Canada		
11:30 - 12:00		Error surveillance: the hospital perspective	Ann Wilson	Canada		
12:00 - 13:30		Lunch - Exhibit and Poster viewing				
PARALLEL 1a		Donor Vigilance			Peter Tomasulo, USA	Mindy Goldman, Canada
13:30 - 14:00		Effectiveness of donor questionnaire to ensure donor safety	Mindy Goldman	Canada		
14:00 - 14:15	1a1	Are hemoglobin,cholesterol, mean arterial pressure and draw time factors associated with donor vasovagal reactions and needle injuries	Marjorie Bravo	USA		
14:15 - 14:30	1a2	Screening blood donors for pulse rate abnormalities: Does it prevent cardiac ischemic events?	Marc Germain	Canada		
14:30 - 14:45	1a3	Blood donation or blood donor deferral based on data on non-conformities detected in post-selection period (during and after blood collection)	Tomislav Vuk	Croatia		
14:45 - 15:00	1a4	Donor vigilance: A five-year journey of continuous process improvement	Hani Kamel	USA		
PARALLEL 1b		Tissue Transplantation Adverse Events			Jo Wiersum, Netherlands	Cindy Hyson, Canada
13:30 - 14:10		WHO Initiative on Vigilance for Organs, Tissues and Cells: Project NOTIFY	Michael Strong	WHO Consultant for the NOTIFY		
14:10 - 14:35		Cells Tissue and Organ Surveillance System	Cindy Hyson	Canada		
14:35 - 15:00		Tissue vigilance in the Netherlands	Jo Wiersum	Netherlands		
PARALLEL 1c		Hemovigilance at the Hospital			Nawej Karl Itaj, Canada	Erica Wood, Australia
13:30 - 14:00		Clinical governance and hemovigilance	Erica Wood	Australia		
14:00 - 14:30		Setting up a hemovigilance system in a hospital network	Ginette Labonté	Canada		
14:30 - 14:45	1c1	Wrong blood in tube - The tip of the iceberg	Paula Bolton-Maggs	United Kingdom		
14:45 - 15:00	1c2	Universal adoption of pathogen inactivation of platelet components in Switzerland	Morven Rüesch	Switzerland		
15:00 - 15:30		coffee/tea break - Exhibit				

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PARALLEL 2a		Hemovigilance Systems			Jean-Claude Faber, Luxembourg	Gilles Lambert, Canada
15:30 - 16:00		Hemovigilance in Brazil	Luiz Amorim	Brazil		
16:00 - 16:30		Hemovigilance in Sri Lanka	Ananda Gunasekera	Sri Lanka		
16:30 - 16:45	2a1	The frequency of transfusion related sepsis and death imputed to platelet components: Impact of pathogen inactivation	Larry Corash	USA		
16:45 - 17:00	2a2	Recognising and reporting acute transfusion reaction: Experience from STIR	Erica Wood	Australia		
PARALLEL 2b		Adverse Transfusion Reactions			Gilles Delage, Canada	
15:30 - 16:00		Update on ISTARE project	Constantina Politis	Greece		
16:00 - 16:30		Pediatric cases reported to SHOT	Paula Bolton-Maggs	UK		
16:30 - 16:45	2b1	Transfusion-related acute lung injury and fatalities reported to a U.S. Blood Center with a male-predominant plasma strategy.	Anne Eder	USA		
16:45 - 17:00	2b2	Pediatric transfusion related acute lung injury: A case series and review of the literature	Lani Lieberman	Canada		
PARALLEL 2c		USA Biovigilance System - Blood Recipients			Cindy Hyson, Canada	Hany Kamel, USA
15:30 - 15:50		Recipient Biovigilance in the USA	Matthew Kuehnert	USA		
15:50 - 16:10		The Hemovigilance Module of the National Healthcare Safety Network - Preliminary data	Alexis Harvey	USA		
16:10 - 16:35		AABB as a Patient Safety Organization and its role in hemovigilance	Barbee Whitaker	USA		
16:35 - 17:00		TRALI cases validation - AABB Working Group	Mark Fung	USA		
		end of Day 2				
Friday 27 April 2012						
		Hot Topics			Paul Strengers, Netherlands	Paula Bolton-Maggs, UK
08:30 - 09:10		Surveillance of blood utilization: usefulness for hemovigilance	Jonathan Wallis	United Kingdom		
09:10 - 09:50		Donor hemoglobin and ferritin	Gilles Delage	Canada		
09:50 - 10:30		TTIs: Emerging and submerging pathogens	Roger Dodd	USA		
10:30 - 11:00		coffee/tea break - Exhibit				
					Erica Wood, Australia	
11:00 - 11:45		Age of blood: what do we know?	Jacques Lacroix	Canada		
		Presentation of IHN Medal	Jean-Claude Faber		Jean-Claude Faber, Luxembourg	
11:45 - 11:55		Presentation of IHN medal	Erhard Siefried	Germany		
11:55 - 12:30		IHN medal lecture	René de Vries	Netherlands		
		Closing				
12:30-12:45		Closing words by the president of the IHN	Jean-Claude Faber	Luxembourg		
		end of Day 3 and the Congress				