

LECTURE SERIES - THEME 2025 - 2026: CANCER Epidemiology & Prevention

Designed to foster an interdisciplinary, technical-scientific dialogue on the epidemiology and prevention, mortality, and survival projections, risk factors, screening, care measures, related developments in research and other relevant topics, renowned international keynote speakers will deliver high-level lectures.



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LECTURE *

1 A-B Rue Thomas Edison,
1445 Luxembourg
Salle Marie S. Curie &
Salle Louis Pasteur

MEET, GREET & EAT

light lunch provided

11.00-12.00am **12.00-13.30pm**



*For exact time and location, please refer to upcoming individual lecture poster

**02
Oct.**

Best practices for doing science with data

Dr. Bruno Rodrigues
Head of Statistics department
Ministry of Research and Higher Education, Luxembourg

Invited by:
Dr. Bruno Lima

**19
Feb.**

The Provision of Global Cancer
Statistics at IARC/WHO

Dr. Adalberto M. Filho
Staff Scientist
International Agency for Research on Cancer/
World Health Organization

Invited by:
Dr. Allini Mafra

**05
Mar.**

A family affair? Long-term economic
and mental health effects of spousal cancer

Professor Petri Böckerman
Professor, University of Jyväskylä, Labour Institute
for Economic Research, and IZA Institute of Labor

Invited by:
Dr. Jason Settels

**18
Jun.**

Global surveillance of trends in cancer
survival – what's the problem?

Dr. Michel P. Coleman
Professor of Epidemiology and Vital Statistics,
London School of Hygiene & Tropical Medicine

Invited by:
Dr. Allini Mafra

**10
Sept.**

The impact of alcohol on the global burden
of cancer: evidence and estimates from
epidemiological studies

Dr. Harriet Rumgay
Epidemiologist, Cancer Surveillance Branch,
International Agency for Research on Cancer

Invited by:
Dr. Allini Mafra

**15
Oct.**

Prognostic and predictive biomarkers
in glioma clinical care

Dr. Annette Molinaro
Professor, Department of Neurological Surgery,
University of California, San Francisco, USA

Invited by:
Dr. Aurélie Poli

**29
Oct.**

Cancer: Living longer with AI

Dr. Titus Josef Brinker
Division Head
German Cancer Research Center (DKFZ)

Invited by:
Professor Christof von Kalle

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