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Get to Know Your Study Group Leaders

With several recent changes in Study Group leaders, it's a good time to provide an updated list. Thanks to retiring Chairs and Vice-Chairs for their valued service: Jane Bryce, Florian Strasser, Francisco Luis Pimental, Tanya Rouleau, Deborah Saunders, and Siri Beier-Jensen. Deb Saunders has retired as Chair of Oral Care but is filling in for now as Vice-Chair.

Antiemetics — *Management of nausea and vomiting induced by chemotherapy and radiotherapy.*

Chair: Matti Aapro, MD - Switzerland

Vice-Chair: Bernardo Rapoport, MD - South Africa

Vice-Chair: Rita Wickham PhD, RN, AOCN - USA

Bone — *Research and practice guidelines for skeletal complications of cancer and its treatments.*

Chair: Ourania Nicolatou-Galitis, DDS - Greece

Vice-Chair: Winston Tan, MD - USA

Vice-Chair: Beatrice Edwards, MD - USA

Education — *Promotion of patient education as integral to cancer supportive care across countries, languages, and cultural settings.*

Chair: Paz Fernández-Ortega, RN, MSc, PhD - Spain

Vice-Chair: Manon Lemonde, PhD, RN - Canada

Vice-Chair: Judy Phillips, DNP, FNP-BC, AOCN - USA

Fatigue — *Research toward a greater understanding of fatigue mechanisms and experience across the cancer continuum.*

Chair: Karen Mustian, PhD - USA

Vice-Chair: Stephen R Samuel, PhD, MPT - India

Vice-Chair: Debra Barton RN, PhD, AOCN, FAAN - USA

Geriatrics — *Promoting awareness of issues in geriatric oncology and developing guidelines for managing treatment complications in older adults.*

Chair: Christopher Steer, MBBS, FRACP - Australia

Vice-Chair: Holly Holmes, MD - USA

Hemostasis — *Providing guidance and guidelines for bleeding and clotting complications in cancer patients.*

Chair: Carmen Escalante, MD - USA

Vice-Chair: Thomas Butler, MD - USA

Vice-Chair: Carme Font, MD - Spain

Mucositis — *Research and practice guidelines on oral and gastrointestinal mucositis associated with anticancer therapies.*

Chair: Sharon Elad, DMD MSc - USA

Vice-Chair: Paolo Bossi, MD - Italy

Vice-Chair: Karis Cheng, PhD, RN - Singapore

Neurological Complications — *Raising awareness about central and peripheral nervous system injuries induced by cancer treatments.*

Chair: Charles Loprinzi, MD - USA

Vice-Chair: Alex Chan, PharmD - Singapore

Vice-Chair: Maryam Lustberg - USA

Neutropenia, Infection & Myelosuppression — *Research and practice guidelines concerning immune system adverse effects of cancer chemotherapies.*

Chair: Jean Klastersky, MD - Belgium

Vice-Chair: Bernardo Rapoport, MD - South Africa

Nutrition and Cachexia — *Research and clinical practice in clinical nutrition as it relates to cancer.*

Chair: Liz Isenring, PhD - Australia

Vice-Chair: Egidio G. del Fabbro, MD - USA

Oral Care — *Increasing knowledge and developing guidelines regarding therapy-associated oral complications.*

Chair: Kıvanç Bektaş Kayhan, MD - Turkey

Vice-Chair: Deb Saunders, DMD - Canada

Palliative Care — *Fostering international collaborations related to education and research in supportive and palliative oncology to improve the quality of cancer care.*

Chair: Andrew Davies, MD - UK

Vice-Chair: David Hui, MD - USA

Vice-Chair: Gregory Crawford, MD - Australia

Pediatrics — *Bridging the gap between research and clinical practice as it applies to children with cancer.*

Chair: Marianne van de Wetering, PhD - Netherlands

Vice-Chair: Andrea Orsey, MD, MSCE - USA

Psychosocial — *Making psychosocial dimensions of care integral to the care of all cancer patients.*

Chair: Lidia Schapira, MD - USA

Vice-Chair: Penelope Schofield, PhD - Australia

Rehabilitation, Survivorship, Quality of Life — *Optimizing patients' and survivors' quality of life through research, education, and individualized goals and treatment plans.*

Chair: Ray Chan, PhD, MAppSc, BN, RN, FACN - Australia

Vice-Chair: Margaret Fitch, RN, PhD - Canada

Skin Toxicities — *Raising awareness of dermatological conditions in cancer patients and the emerging field of cancer-related skin toxicities management.*

Chair: Jennifer Choi, MD - USA

Vice-Chair: Mario E. Lacouture, MD - USA

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