



Sponsoring Prospectus

6th ESCMID Conference on Vaccines:
from development to real-world clinical practice
and global health

Lisbon, Portugal
September 10 – 13, 2025



Announcement

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Dear Esteemed Colleagues and Sponsors,

On behalf of the European Society of Clinical Microbiology and Infectious Diseases (ESCMID) in scientific collaboration with the European Society for Paediatric Infectious Diseases (ESPID), the European Association of Hospital Pharmacists (EAHP) and the European Medicines Agency (EMA), we are delighted to invite you to the 6th ESCMID Conference on Vaccines, taking place in Lisbon, Portugal at the Lisbon Marriott Hotel from 10 to 13 September 2025.

The recent pandemic and multiple infectious disease outbreaks and emergencies have underscored vaccinations' critical importance and effectiveness for global health. Continuous collaboration among healthcare professionals, industry, policymakers, and the public is essential to achieving a healthier international community through vaccination.

This conference will begin with an educational morning on the general principles of vaccination and immunological response mechanisms. During the conference, participants will be updated on the latest developments on vaccinations for a broad spectrum of infectious diseases in adults and children. The conference programme will also cover post-license surveillance systems and challenges related to vaccination hesitancy.

The conference will offer various sessions designed to encourage scientific exchange and provide unparalleled networking opportunities. Participants are also invited to share their latest research findings through poster presentations, with a selection receiving the opportunity for oral presentations during the conference.

Registration for the conference will open in April 2025, and abstracts can be submitted from 28 April to 1 June 2025. Late breaking abstracts submission will be open from 11 to 29 of August 2025.

We are eagerly anticipating your participation in Lisbon,

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Scientific Programme (Subject to change)

Time	Wednesday 10 September	Thursday 11 September	Friday 12 September	Saturday 13 September	
08:00 – 08:15			Industry Breakfast Symposium by GSK	30-Min Presentation: Ticking time bombs: update on vaccination for Lyme disease and tick-borne encephalitis	
08:15 – 08:30		Sy (3 talks): Vaccines against gastro-intestinal infections			
08:30 – 08:45			Sy (3 talks): New developments in vaccine R&D	Keynote: How to improve vaccine confidence and improve public communication	
08:45 – 09:00					
09:00 – 09:15					
09:15 – 09:30	Keynote: Understanding vaccination: Mechanisms of immune activation following different types of vaccination		Oral presentations	Panel discussion: How can we enhance immunisation information systems and optimize vaccination of healthcare workers in hospitals and trans-mural care?	
09:30 – 09:45					
09:45 – 10:00					
10:00 – 10:15	30-Min Presentation: Correlates of protection for vaccine-induced immune responses and duration of protection	Coffee Break	Coffee Break		
10:15 – 10:30				Coffee Break	
10:30 – 10:45	Coffee Break	Sy (4 talks): Outbreaks and routes to vaccine licensure: the need for a One Health approach	Sy (4 talks): Eliminating hepatitis by 2030: how vaccines are key to achieving the WHO's vision?		
10:45 – 11:00					
11:00 – 11:15	Meet the Expert: The future of real-world evidence <i>Marco Cavaleri, EMA</i>				Sy (3 talks): Exploring the future: vaccines targeting parasitic infections
11:15 – 11:30					
11:30 – 11:45					
11:45 – 12:00					
12:00 – 12:15	Industry Lunch Symposium by Pfizer	Industry Lunch Symposium by GSK	Industry Lunch Symposium by Pfizer	Industry Lunch Symposium by Pfizer	
12:15 – 12:30					
12:30 – 12:45					
12:45 – 13:00					
13:00 – 13:15	Break	Break	Break	Break	

Keynotes
Scientific Programme
Oral presentations & Poster Sessions
Industry sponsored session
Breaks

Scientific Programme (Subject to change)

Time	Wednesday 10 September	Thursday 11 September	Friday 12 September	Saturday 13 September
13:15 – 13:30	Sy (3 talks): Vaccines against top-killer bacterial pathogens	Sy (3 talks): Defending against respiratory viruses: innovations in vaccine development	Sy (3 talks): Safeguarding the vulnerable: breakthroughs in vaccination against herpesviruses	Sy (2 talks): Rethinking retroviruses: innovative solutions in vaccine science
13:30 – 13:45				
13:45 – 14:00				
14:00 – 14:15				
14:15 – 14:30				
14:30 – 14:45	Coffee Break	Coffee Break	Coffee Break	Time reserved for presentations on emerging issues in vaccines
14:45 – 15:00	Industry Afternoon Symposium by Merck	Industry Afternoon Symposium by AstraZeneca	Keynote: Are we ready for the next pandemic?	
15:00 – 15:15				
15:15 – 15:30				
15:30 – 15:45	Meet the Expert: Childhood vaccination, is it time to make some changes?	Sy (3 talks): Defending against infections in the young: what is new?	Sy (3 talks): Frontline defenses: Innovative vaccines combatting sexually transmitted diseases	
15:45 – 16:00				
16:00 – 16:15				
16:00 – 16:15	Oral presentations	Sy (3 talks): Defending against infections in the young: what is new?	Keynote: Mpx vaccination unleashing innovative solutions for emerging infections	
16:15 – 16:30				
16:30 – 16:45	Meet the Expert: Childhood vaccination, is it time to make some changes?			
16:45 – 17:00				
17:00 – 17:15				
17:15 – 17:30	Keynote: Ethical aspects of vaccine research	Keynote: Mpx vaccination unleashing innovative solutions for emerging infections		
17:30 – 17:45				
17:45 – 18:00				
18:00 – 18:15	Keynote: The title and scope will cover COVID-19 and Influenza	Keynote: Ethical aspects of vaccine research	Keynote: Mpx vaccination unleashing innovative solutions for emerging infections	
18:15 – 18:30				
18:30 – 18:45				
18:45 – 19:00				
19:00 – 19:15				
19:15 – 19:30	Poster Session	Poster Session	Poster Session	
				Keynotes
				Scientific Programme
				Oral presentations & Poster Sessions
				Industry sponsored session
				Breaks

Registration

Registration will open in April 2025.

Registration Fees

	Fee until June 30th 2025	Fee as of July 1st 2025
ESCMID member	€ 660	€ 770
Non-member	€ 880	€ 1045
ESCMID Young Scientist Member	€ 510	€ 620
ESCMID LMIC Member	€ 450	€ 550

The Venue – An urban resort in the city of Lisbon

Prepare to embark on a journey of discovery as we dive into the wonders of Portugal. Step into our revitalized bedrooms, each boasting floor-to-ceiling windows and private balconies. Experience the comfort and elegance of Marriott bedding, ensuring a restful stay before a meeting or a busy day of exploring nearby and easily accessible Lisbon’s historic attractions, main football stadiums, and cultural must-sees.



Explore the burgeoning brunch scene and sample the most authentic Portuguese dishes at Citrus Restaurant Grill. Savour our cocktails, wine, and local sangria on the terrace of Tapas & Tiles Cafe Terrace overlooking our garden and outdoor pool. Your immersive Portuguese experience awaits at Lisbon Marriott Hotel, strategically located between the Lisbon airport and the city centre.

Become a part

The conference organizing committee will offer potential sponsors and interested parties' opportunities for visibility, product information and scientific contribution to the congress. We expect around 400 participants from all over the world at this conference.

All sponsors will be mentioned on the website of the conference, during the conference and in all printed materials at this event.

Why Sponsor / Exhibit at ESCMID Conference on Vaccines

Increase your global visibility! ESCMID provides many opportunities for your company to increase visibility and showcase your products messages and benefits while supporting the conference activities

The ESCMID mission is to improve the diagnosis, treatment and prevention of infection-related diseases. This is achieved by promoting and supporting research, education, training, and good medical practice. With its yearly congress and different conferences throughout the year it pursues this objective

ESCMID offers marketing and sponsorship opportunities to create and build brand awareness

It is a unique opportunity to network with colleagues, build relationships, and generate leads from around 400 attendees in just a few days.

Sponsorship categories	Minimum contribution
Platinum sponsor	€ 25,000
Gold sponsor	€ 15,000
Silver sponsor	€ 7,500
Bronze Sponsor	€ 5,000
Supporters	All support up to € 5,000

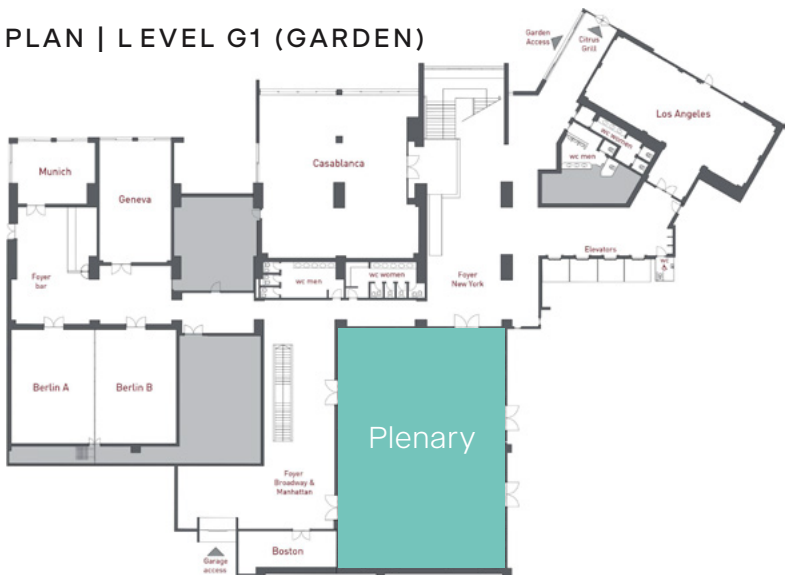
All costs are given in Euros (V.A.T. not included)

Levels of support

Levels of support	Logo in Final Programme	Logo on Website	Logo on Flyers	Logo on "Thank you Banner" onsite	Complimentary Flyer onsite	Thanks in the Opening Lecture
Platinum	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Gold	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Silver	✓	✓	✓	✓		
Bronze	✓	✓	✓			
Supporters	✓	✓				

Exhibition opportunities

FLOOR PLAN | LEVEL G1 (GARDEN)



Exhibition opportunities

Roll-up banner

€ 1,000 (+VAT) limited to 4 companies

- Banner will be placed in the public area around the session hall. Banner must be provided by the company (limited to 4 units).

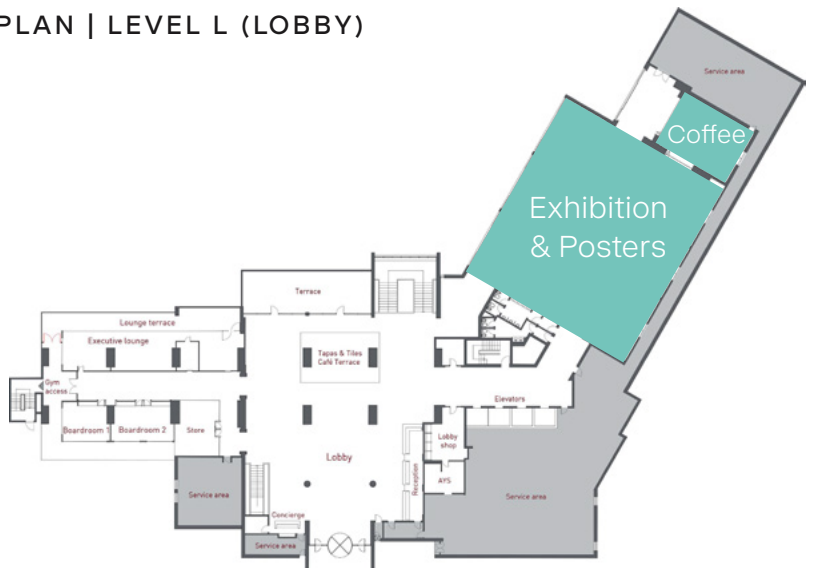
In case the company cannot attend the event, the banner can also be shipped and will be placed by the ESCMID staff in the catering area.

Table in the Catering/Poster Area maintained by your staff

€ 3,000 (+VAT) limited to 8 companies

- One table (approx 180*80cm).
- Incl. 1 table, 2 chairs, 1 trash bin, 1 multiple socket, electricity
- Kindly note that registration is not included

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Session opportunities

Sold out

Breakfast symposia

- Breakfast can be added at € 12.50 p.p (minimum 250 pax)

30 min

6,000€*

* recording included

Possible Timeslots:

Friday, 12 September 2025

08:00-08:30

Sold (GSK)

Industry sponsored lunch session

1 h

12,000€*

* recording included

Possible Timeslots:

Wednesday, 10 September 2025 12:00-13:00 **Sold (Pfizer)**

Thursday, 11 September 2025 12:00-13:00 **Sold (GSK)**

Friday, 12 September 2025 12:00-13:00 **Sold (Pfizer)**

Saturday, 13 September 2025 12:00-13:00 **Sold (Pfizer)**

Use the main conference room for your own integrated session. This session needs to be scientific. Product shows, company presentations and advertisement are not allowed (for events like this, please refer to our Meeting Rooms).

The Programme Committee will appoint one chair, to ensure the balance of the programme. Programmes are subject to approval.

Lunch is served in the hotel restaurant, for an additional fee of 15€ per person. This can be converted to lunch boxes.

Deadline for submission: 30 June 2025.

Industry Afternoon Symposium

1 h

12,000€*

* recording included

Possible Timeslots:

Wednesday, 10 September 2025 15:00-16:00 **Sold (Merck)**

Thursday, 11 September 2025 15:00-16:00 **Sold (AstraZeneca)**

Awards & Grants

Poster Award

€ 1,000 (+VAT)

- Sponsor the best 3 Posters.
- The awards will be given during the last session of the conference.
- The sponsor will be names and their logo will be printed on the envelope, as well as shown on the screen.
- This is a cash Price for the TOP Three Paper Posters: 500/300/200 EUR
- Selection will be made by the Programme Committee

Oral Presentation Award

€ 1,000 (+VAT)

- Sponsor the best Oral Presentation.
- The award will be given during the last session of the conference.
- The sponsors' names and logos will be printed on the envelope, as well as shown on the screen.
- Selection will be made by the Programme Committee
- Awardee will be granted free registration to the next edition of the conference.

Travel grants

Minimum contribution of 5 persons

€ 1300 per person (+VAT)

- Young scientists who have submitted abstracts of outstanding scientific quality will be supported with travel grants. The amount and number of travel grants provided may be defined by the sponsor in agreement with the organizing committee.* Recipients of a sponsored travel grant are selected by the Programme Committee.
- The travel grant will be named after the sponsor and advertised on the conference website.
- For more information, please contact the office.

* minimum 5 scientists need to be supported

Sponsorship items

Conference Materials

Printed advertising material in the congress bags
€ 2,000 (+VAT)

- One A4 format folded leaflet printed on both sides (supplied by the Sponsor) and provided 1 month before the conference.

Advertising in the conference book
€ 1,500 (+VAT)

- Printed programme and participant list and online abstract book (PDF), diffusion to all registered participants.
- One-page advertisement in the Program (A5).

Conference Bag

Conference Bag – 400 pieces
€ 8,500 (+VAT)

- Sponsor design will be placed on the bags. Design must be provided by the company.



Sponsorship items

Material to be provided for the Conference Bag 400 pieces

Pens

€ 2,000 (+VAT)

- Provided-in-kind
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Notebooks

€ 2,000 (+VAT)

- Provided-in-kind



Sponsorship items

Conference Catering Sponsorship

Welcome reception

€ 8,800 (+VAT)

Opportunity to support the welcome reception for all participants of the conference

- The reception will be held on the first evening, see schedule
 - The company logo will be on the menu, that can be found on every table
 - Acknowledgment: conference website, on-site signage, name of the sponsor will be added to the programme (Reception)
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Daily Sponsored Welcome Coffee

€ 2,500 (+VAT)

The company can sponsor a Welcome-Coffee (one company per morning)
Daily Coffee timeslot will be before the first scientific sessions:

- Acknowledgment: conference website, congress program book, on-site signage
 - Brochure / signs on the coffee tables
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Cocktail during Poster Sessions

€ 6,000 (+VAT)

Opportunity to support the Refreshments during a Paper Poster Session
(one company per session)

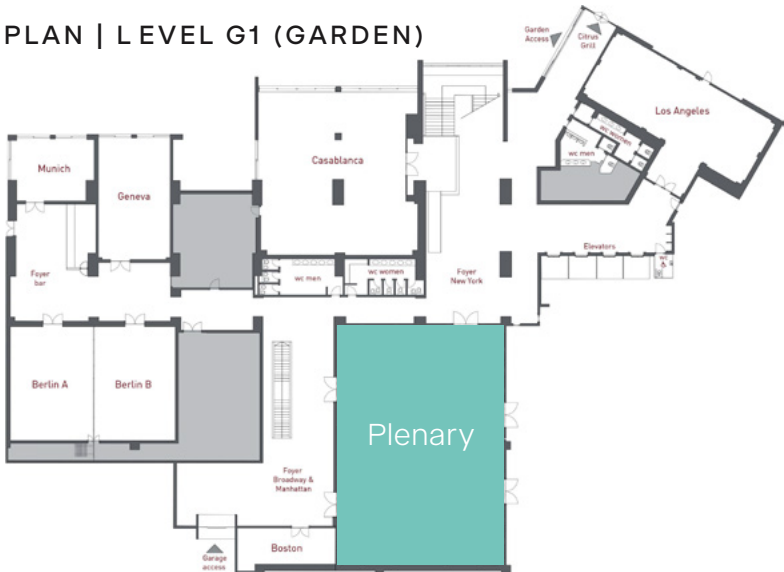
- Acknowledgment: conference website, congress program book, on-site signage
- Brochure / signs on the coffee tables

Meeting rooms

Meeting rooms can be booked for a day or the entire duration of the conference. Pricing depends on duration and the size of the meeting room. Each room is equipped with basic AV (screen that can be connected to your notebook / beamer & screen).

For inquiries, please contact Carla Seiler (carla.seiler@escmid.org)

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Make your reservation today

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