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Program

9.00 a.m.	Welcome Matthias Guckenberger, University Hospital Zurich Michael Weller, University Hospital Zurich	1.30 p.m.	Controversies from the CNS Metastasis Guideline process: screening, timing of radiotherapy, intrathecal pharmacotherapy Matthias Preusser, University Hospital Vienna
9.10 a.m.	Session 1: Isabell Witzel Novel diagnostic approaches for CNS metastasis Pieter Wesseling, Amsterdam University Medical Centers, Amsterdam, and Princess Máxima Center for Pediatric Oncology, Utrecht, The Netherlands	2.00 p.m.	CNS trials at the Comprehensive Cancer Center Zurich Emilie Le Rhun, University Hospital Zurich
9.40 a.m.	Where do we stand with liquid biopsy in CNS metastases? Joan Seoane, Vall d'Hebron Institute of Oncology, Barcelona	2.15 p.m.	Pharmacoscopy for CNS metastasis Berend Snijder, ETH Zurich
10.10 a.m.	Coffee Break	2.30 p.m.	Session 3: Andreas Wicki Blood brain barrier and pharmacokinetic and phase 0 studies Dieta Brandsma, Netherlands Cancer Institute – Antoni van Leeuwenhoek, Amsterdam
10.30 a.m.	CSF studies in patients with CNS metastasis Adrienne Boire, Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center, New York	3.00 p.m.	Assessing response in CNS metastases trials: the RANO perspective Lakshmi Nayak, Harvard University, Boston
11.00 a.m.	Markers of response or hyperprogression to immune checkpoint inhibition Mitchell Levesque, University Hospital Zurich	3.30 p.m.	Coffee Break
11.30 a.m.	Session 2: Nicolaus Andratschke New challenges and opportunities for neurosurgeons in the management of brain metastasis Marian Neidert, Cantonal Hospital St. Gallen	3.50 p.m.	How to integrate brain metastasis into clinical trials: lessons from melanoma Reinhard Dummer, University Hospital Zurich
12.00 p.m.	New challenges and opportunities for Radiation Oncology in the management of brain metastasis Giuseppe Minniti, University La Sapienza, Rome	4.20 p.m.	Keynote Lecture: Michael Weller Neoadjuvant immunotherapy: a perspective and a vision Alexander Eggermont, Prinses Máxima Centrum voor Kinderoncologie, Utrecht
12.30 p.m.	Lunch Break	4.50 p.m.	Wrap Up