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10:10-11:40		SYMPOSIUM	SYMPOSIUM	SYMPOSIUM
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09:25-09:55	PLENARY LECTURE					
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11:30-12:00	- BRAZILIAN COFFEE BREAK IN THE EXHIBITION AREA -					
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13:10-14:40	LUNCH SYMPOSIUM					
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MONDAY, OCTOBER 21TH						
07:30-08:30		BREAKFAST MEETINGS				
08:40-09:10	PLENARY LECTURE					
09:25-09:55	PLENARY LECTURE					
10:00-11:30		SYMPOSIUM	SYMPOSIUM	SYMPOSIUM	ORAL COMM.	CAMS
11:30-12:00	- BRAZILIAN COFFEE BREAK IN THE EXHIBITION AREA -					
12:00-13:00		DEBATE	SYMPOSIUM	SYMPOSIUM	ORAL COMM.	CAMS
13:10-14:40	LUNCH SYMPOSIUM					
14:50-16:20		SYMPOSIUM	SYMPOSIUM	SYMPOSIUM	ORAL COMM.	CAMS
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09:25-09:55		PLENARY LECTURE				
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10:25-11:55		SYMPOSIUM	IMPART QUIZ	ORAL COMM.		
12:00-13:00		SYMPOSIUM		ORAL COMM.		
13:10-13:25		IMS AWARDS				

PLENARY LECTURES:

Nick Panay
 Pieter van Keep Oration: Premature Ovarian Insufficiency

Gemma Figtree
 Heart Matters: The Unique Landscape of CV Health in Women

Rossella Nappi
 Bringing Sex Back into the Relationship

Eugene McCloskey
 Long Term Strategies for Osteoporosis Care

Susan Davis
 Not Just Sex: Other Roles for Testosterone in Women

Priya Sumithran
 Medical Management of Obesity: Unlocking the Potential

Karen Walker Bone
 Menopause, Women and the Workplace

Nanette Santoro
 Understanding the Perimenopause Journey

Angelica Lindén Hirschberg
 Enhancing Quality of Life: Addressing Vulvovaginal Atrophy

Jason Abbott
 Laser for GSM: What We Know and What We Need to Know

DEBATES

SHOULD MHT BE FIRST LINE FOR TREATING PERIMENOPAUSAL DEPRESSION?
Pauline Maki
Jayashri Kulkarni

SHOULD ESTROGEN ALWAYS BE DELIVERED TRANSDERMALLY?
Sonia Davison
Steven R. Goldstein

SHOULD MHT INITIATION BE LIMITED TO WOMEN?
Susan Davis
Mary Ann Lumsden

SYMPOSIA

OSTEOPOROSIS: WHEN AND HOW
Eugene McCloskey (UK)
 Diagnosis and Intervention Thresholds

Bronwyn Stuckey (AU)
 Pharmacological Treatment for Fracture Prevention: What is the Role of MHT?
Santiago Palacios (ES)
 Anabolic Treatment Fracture Prevention: New Perspectives

BONE CONUNDRUMS
Tobie De Villiers (ZA)
 Early Menopause; A Window of Opportunity for the Prevention of Bone Loss

Peter Ebeling (AU)
 Let's Start at the Beginning: A Bone Friendly Lifestyle
David Scott (AU)
 Sarcopenia: Can We Make Progress Without a Universally Accepted Definition?

PREMATURE OVARIAN INSUFFICIENCY
 A Patient's Perspective
Elena Tucker (AU)
 POI Genetics
Richard Anderson (UK)
 New POI Guidelines: Epidemiology, Causes, Diagnosis, Fertility, Pregnancy

Amanda Vincent (AU)
 New POI Guidelines: Long Term Implications

Vulvovaginal Atrophy/Genitourinary Syndrome of Menopause
Tim Hillard (UK)
 Genitourinary Changes with Age

Sarah Lensen (AU)
 What Should We Assess?
Nevine Te West (AU)
 The Impact of the Lower Genital Tract Microbiome

POSTMENOPAUSAL PELVIC FLOOR HEALTH
Lynsey Hayward (NZ)
 Midlife Bladder Problems: Initial Assessment and Management

Phil Toozs Hobson (UK)
 Stress Urinary Incontinence: What Do We Do Now?
Tommaso Simoncini (IT)
 What To Do with a Prolapse: Non-Surgical and Surgical Options

PERIMENOPAUSE AND PMS
Richard Anderson (UK)
 Perimenopause: Making the Diagnosis
Paula Briggs (UK)
 Perimenopausal Contraception
Steven R. Goldstein (US)
 Management of Bleeding During the Perimenopause and Menopause

OBESITY MANAGEMENT

Irene Lambrinoudaki (GR)
 It's Frustrating: Menopause Related Changes in Body Composition, Weight Gain & Diabetes
John Dixon (AU)
 Weight Management: What Works and For Whom?
Priya Sumithran (AU)
 GLP1 Analogues for Obesity in Menopausal Women

CONTEMPORARY ISSUES IN MENOPAUSE

Nick Panay (UK)
 Evidence Based, Modern Management of PMS / PMDD
Ang Seng Bin (SG)
 Artificial Intelligence (AI) and Midlife Women's Healthcare
Zachary Nash (UK)
 Menopause Priority Setting Partnership (MAPS): The Top Ten

CANCER

Howard Carp (IL)
 Realising The Promise of Cancer Predisposition Genes
Anna Fenton (NZ)
 Menopause After Cancer: Managing The Whole Woman
Ludwig Kiesel (DE)
 Advances in Management of Endometrial Cancer

MENTAL HEALTH

Pauline Maki (US)
 Perimenopausal Cognitive Changes
Claudio Soares (CA)
 Menopause and Depression: How to Manage?
Herman Depypere (BE)
 MHT and Dementia: Is There a Link?

NEW AND REVISITED THERAPIES

Joann Pinkerton (US)
 SERMS: When to Use?
Marla Shapiro (CA)
 Non-Hormonal Treatments for Menopause
Ho Choon Moy (MY)
 Menopause and Complementary Therapies: What the Science Says

MENOPAUSE AND LIFESTYLE

Robin Daly (AU)
 Lifestyle Management of Menopause: What's Really Effective?
Kerri Melehan (AU)
 Understanding sleep disorders around menopause
Martha Hickey (AU)
 An empowerment model for managing menopause

MENOPAUSE IN UNDER-SERVED POPULATIONS

Xiangyan Ruan (CN)
 Managing the World's Biggest Menopause Clinic
Nicole Jaff (ZA)
 Menopause in Low Income Countries
Premitha Damodaran (MY)
 Menopause in a Multi-ethnic Population: Challenges with Attitudes and Cultures

MENOPAUSE IN SOUTHEAST ASIA

Unnop Jaisamrarn (TH)
 Menopause in Thailand
Fidel Ganis Siregar (ID)
 Menopause in Indonesia
Maria Jesusa Banal-Silao (PH)
 Menopause in Philippines
Ng Beng Kwang (MY)
 Menopause in Malaysia

MENOPAUSE IN LATIN AMERICA

Nestor Siseles (AR)
 Menopause in Argentina
Maria Celeste Osorio Wender (BR)
 Menopause in Brazil
David Vasquez Awad (CO)
 Menopause in Colombia
Sonia Cerdas (CR)
 Menopause in Costa Rica

PROGESTOGENS

Alfred Mueck (DE) Progestogens and Their Effects on Other Steroid Receptors
Antonio Cano (ES) Progestogens: Which One, When, How Much, How Long?

MENOPAUSAL COMPLEXITIES

Haitham Hamoda (UK)
 NICE, Menopause and MHT: A Clinician's Perspective
Janice Rymer (GB)
 Menopause and endometriosis

LATE BREAKING NEWS

Sonia Davison (AU)
 Sonia's Snippets

