

# 1<sup>st</sup> GRECO-ISRAELI HEMATOLOGY MEETING

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## Organizing Committee

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## Invitation

Dear colleagues,

It is our pleasure and privilege to invite you to join the 1st Israeli-Greek Hematology meeting which will be held in Thessaloniki, Greece, on the 26th, 27th and 28th of April 2018. The aim of the conference is to bring together doctors and scientists from Israel and Greece and give them the opportunity to be aware of each other's work, to exchange ideas and to establish collaborations.

Greece and Israel have a long history in medicine and science and by joining our efforts we can open new horizons and achieve scientific goals.

We are establishing alternate meetings every year, which will be held one year in Greece and the other in Israel in a way to give the opportunity in both countries to participate.

Thessaloniki, named in honour of the sister of Alexander the Great has 23 centuries of history in which a strong and flourishing Jewish community had a major contribution.

All these will ensure the aims of the meeting: High quality conference in a beautiful and historical environment. We are sure you will enjoy the conference and we are looking forward to welcome you to Thessaloniki in 2018.

Co-Chairmen

**Damianos Sotiropoulos**  
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G. Papanikolaou Hospital, Thessaloniki

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Director, Dept of Hematology,  
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## MAJOR TOPICS

- ✓ Thrombosis and Hemostasis
- ✓ Hematopoietic stem cell transplantation
- ✓ Multiple myeloma
- ✓ CML and Ph(-) Myeloproliferative neoplasms
- ✓ CLL
- ✓ Myelodysplastic Syndromes
- ✓ Flow cytometry and molecular biology
- ✓ Emerge of new drugs in Hematology
- ✓ Bone marrow donors and cord blood banking



## WORKING GROUP MEETINGS

- ✓ CML and MPNs
- ✓ Multiple Myeloma
- ✓ Transplantation
- ✓ Thrombosis and Hemostasis
- ✓ Flow cytometry

In Parallel to the Meeting, there will be sessions of Working Groups, offering the participants the opportunity to meet and discuss their work and research.

## MEETINGS FOR PHARMACEUTICAL COMPANIES

Greek Pharmaceutical companies, including pharmaceutical industry will have the opportunity to meet and exchange ideas with companies from Israel.



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## CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

### Instructions for authors

The 1<sup>st</sup> Greco-Israeli Hematology Meeting will take place in Makedonia Palace Hotel, Thessaloniki Greece, on April 26, 27 & 28, 2018.

Delegates who would like to present their work at the Greco-Israeli Hematology Meeting are invited to submit an abstract.

Abstracts for presentation will be reviewed and accepted as an oral or poster presentation.

### ► General instructions

- All abstracts should be submitted in English. Abstract submission deadline is **February 8, 2018** - Modification of Abstracts will not be accepted after the deadline.
- Abstract presentation during the Congress must be in compliance with the submitted Abstract, (title, authors and content). There will not be a submission fee.

### ► Preparation of the Abstract

#### Title

- Title must be short and concise and written in capital letters.

#### Authors - Centre of Origin/Affiliations

- This information should be typed below the title, in lowercase. The first name should precede the last name and NOT written in full, but only with the first initial. (Eg D. Smith).
- Center of origin/Authors' Affiliations should be written below the authors.
- In case of multiple origin centers, they must be separated by numbers in superscript:
  - After each name, e.g. D. Smith<sup>1</sup>, A. Dimou<sup>2</sup>
  - Before each center origin, e.g. <sup>1</sup>Origin Center A, <sup>2</sup>Origin Center B

#### Text summary and Tables

- The body of the Abstract (text and tables) should not exceed 300 words.
- The Abstract should be structured in the following order: a) Purpose of the study, b) Material and Methods, c) Results and d) Conclusions.
- If the Abstract refers to a clinical study, the approval of the National Drug Authority should be mentioned.
- For the objective evaluation of the Abstracts, identifying features such as author or institutional names should not be mentioned either in the title or in the text of the Abstract.

#### General instructions for the preparation of Abstracts

- Do not leave a space at the beginning of each paragraph.
- Use the tab key and not the space bar, to line up text lines or table rows, when necessary.
- Do not use characters that are not common in all fonts.
- Charts and tables should be placed one below the other, not side by side.



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## ► Submission of Abstracts

- All Abstracts should be submitted not later than **February 8**. Submission of Abstracts will be made through the online Abstract submission program on the website of the Secretariat **[www.vitacongress.gr](http://www.vitacongress.gr)**
- Abstracts submitted by e-mail, fax or post, will not be accepted.
- The desired presentation form could optionally be indicated (oral or poster).
- For each Abstract, a corresponding author should be mentioned (Name, phone number, e-mail). The corresponding author, will receive all correspondence by the Congress Secretariat.
- The receipt of Abstracts will be confirmed electronically by e-mail automatically upon submission (each Abstract has a unique ID Number sent upon submission). Please also check your junk e-mail folder. If you do not receive a confirmation e-mail, please contact the Congress Secretariat (info@vitacongress.gr, tel: 00302107254360).
- If you need to change the text of your Abstract, please send an e-mail to the Congress Secretariat with reference to the ID number of your Abstract.
- Questions about the procedure may be submitted by e-mail: info@vitacongress.gr

## General information

### ► Venue

The 1<sup>st</sup> Greco-Israeli Hematology Meeting will be held in Thessaloniki, Greece, at the Makedonia Palace Hotel, April 26-28, 2018.

### ► Participation Eligibility

Delegates are entitled to participate only if they have registered.

### ► Language

The official language of the Congress will be English.

### ► Congress Secretariat

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## ► Registration Fee

Registration Fee in Euro*	
<b>Doctors</b>	€ 100
<b>Resident Doctors, Postdoctoral fellows</b>	€ 50
<b>Biologists, Biochemists and other professionals</b>	€ 60
<b>Nurses and Technologists</b>	€ 30
<b>Undergraduate students</b>	€ 10

Registration includes

- Congress bag (program/abstract book)
- Congress attendance
- Coffee breaks /light lunches
- Welcome reception
- Certificate of Attendance

## ► Hotel Accommodation

HOTEL MAKEDONIA PALACE*****		
Standard Room*	SINGLE	DOUBLE
	€ 150	€ 160

\*Prices are per night. Breakfast and all taxes are included

For Hotel reservations please contact the Congress Secretariat (tel. 00302107254360, e-mail: info@vitacongress.gr).

## Participation Form

FIRST NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ LAST NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

AFFILIATION: \_\_\_\_\_

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HOSPITAL: \_\_\_\_\_ COUNTRY: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE No: \_\_\_\_\_ E-MAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

Categories	Fee
<b>Doctors</b>	€ 100
<b>Resident Doctors, Postdoctoral fellows</b>	€ 50
<b>Biologists, Biochemists and other professionals</b>	€ 60
<b>Nurses and Technologists</b>	€ 30
<b>Undergraduate students</b>	€ 10

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- Credit Card  
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