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Welcome Note

Dear Colleagues,

It gives us great pleasure to welcome you to the 18th International Congress of the Egyptian Society of Pediatric Allergy and Immunology (ESPAI 2023). Our event is hosting several distinguished international and national pioneers in allergy and immunology. The congress received accreditation with 17.75 CME hours from the American Association of Continuing Medical education (AACME).

We wish to thank the World Allergy Organization (WAO) and the American College of Allergy, Asthma, and Immunology (ACAAI) for their ever-lasting support to our meetings. This year we are blessed to have among us Prof. Bryan Martin the WAO president and Prof. James Tracy the ACAAI vice president. We are also happy to announce that Prof. Anete Grumach from the Center of Reference for Rare Diseases, São Paulo, Brazil, will participate in our scientific program as well as Prof. Sanaa Mahmoud (Kentucky, USA) and the Egyptian experts in pediatric allergy/immunology.

This brochure will provide you with detailed info of all you need to know about the sessions and speakers. Meeting local, regional and international colleagues will be enjoyable indeed.

We look forward to a topmost elaborate congress that will meet your expectations en-shaa-Allah.

Sincerely,

Zeinab A. El-Sayed

Zeinab A. El-Sayed President of ESPAI

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Invited Speakers



Prof. James Tracy University of Nebraska, USA. Vice President, American College of Allergy, Asthma and Immunology





Prof. Bryan Martin Ohio State University, USA.

President of the World Allergy Organization





Prof. Anete Grumach Center of Reference for Rare Diseases, Faculty of Medicine ABC, São Paulo, Brazil



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The 18th International Congress of the Egyptian Society of Pediatric Allergy and Immunology (Salah El-Deen Hall)

The Program at a Glance

Wednesday 25/10/2023	09:00-10:00	Morning Lecture and Panel Discussion: Immune Uveitis
	10:00-10:30	Opening Ceremony and Recognition of Invited Speakers
	10:30-11:00	Coffee Break
	11:00-12:30	Plenary Session 1: Childhood Asthma: The Basis and Prospects
	12:30-14:30	Plenary Session 2: Hereditary Angioedema: Deep Dive
	14:30-15:30	Lunch Break and Poster Discussions
	15:30-17:30	Symposium 1: Clinical Issues in Pediatric Allergy/Immunology 1

Thursday 26/10/2023	08:30-09:30	Morning Lecture and Panel Discussion: Drug Allergy		
	09:30-11:00	Plenary Session 3: Update on Biologics in Pediatric Allergy/Immunology		
	11:00-12:30	Plenary Session 4: Inborn Errors of Immunity: What's New?		
	12:30-13:00	Coffee Break		
	13:00-14:30	Symposium 2: Hot Topics in Pediatric Rheumatology	Symposium 3: Food Allergy: Diagnostic Challenges	
	14:30-15:30	Lunch Break and Poster Discussions		
	15:30-17:30	Symposium 4: Clinical Issues in Pediatric Allergy/Immunology 2		



Wednesday October 25; 09:00-10:00

Morning Lecture and Discussion

Immune Uveitis



Prof. Dalia El-Ghoneimy

Pediatric Allergy, Immunology and Rheumatology Unit, Children's Hospital, Ain Shams University, Egypt

Prof. Mona Kamal

Ophthalmology Department, Faculty of Medicine Ain Shams University, Egypt

Plenary Session 1 Childhood Asthma: The Basis and Prospects Wednesday, October 25, 2023; 11:00-12:30

MODERATORS



Prof. Magda El-Seify, Egypt



Prof. Elham Hossny, Egypt



Prof. Sanaa Mahmoud, USA

SPEAKERS			
Prof. Zeinab A. El-Sayed, Egypt Pediatric Allergy, Immunology and Rheumatology Unit, Children's Hospital, Ain Shams University.	Epidemiology of asthma and wheeze in preschoolers 11:00 – 11:30		
Prof. Bryan Martin, USA WORLD ALLERCY ORGANIZATION Ohio State University, Columbus, OH. President of the World Allergy Organization (WAO)	Immunotherapy in asthma and allergies: what is the evidence? 11:30 – 12:00		
Prof. James Tracy, USA University of Nebraska, NE. Vice President of the American College of Allergy, Asthma and Immunology (ACAAI)	Biologics Basics and the TH2 Response 12:00 – 12:30		

Plenary Session 2

Hereditary Angioedema – Deep Dive Wednesday, October 25, 2023; 12:30-14:00

Prof. Alyaa A. Kotby, Egypt

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Prof. Manal H. El-Sayed, Egypt

Prof. Zeinab A. El-Sayed, Egypt SPEAKERS

Prof. Elham Hossny, Egypt Pediatric Allergy, Immunology and Rheumatology Unit, Children's Hospital, Ain Shams University.	HAE overview and differential diagnosis 12:30 - 12:50	
Prof. Anete Grumach, Brazil Center of Reference for Rare Diseases, Faculty of Medicine ABC, São Paulo.	Management guidelines and therapeutic options 12:50 - 13:10	
Prof. Sanaa Mahmoud, USA Pikeville School of Medicine, Kentucky. Emeritus Prof, Ain Shams University	Management of special populations 13:10 - 13:30	
Prof. Anete Grumach, Brazil Center of Reference for Rare Diseases, Faculty of Medicine ABC, São Paulo.	Clinical trials' update 13:30 – 13:50	
Dr. Walaa Shoman, Egypt Pediatric Immunology Unit, Children's Hospital, Alexandria University	Case Discussions 13:50 – 14:10	
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Q&A and Panel Discussion (14:10 – 14:30).

Symposium 1

Clinical Issues in Pediatric Allergy and Immunology I Wednesday, October 25, 2023; 15:30-17:30

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Prof. Nayera Hazaa, Egypt



Prof. Mona Rashad, Egypt



Prof. Ihab El-Hakim, Egypt



Prof. Amel Elfaramawy, Egypt



Prof. Terez

Kamel,

Egypt



Assoc. Prof. Rasha El-Owaidy, Egypt

	SPEAKERS	
Prof. Heba Gomaa, Egypt Pediatric Hematology and Oncology Unit, Children's Hospital, Ain Shams University.	Castleman disease and the immune system 15:30 - 15:45	
Assoc Prof. Dina E. Sallam, Egypt Pediatric Nephrology and Dialysis Unit, Children's Hospital, Ain Shams University.	Renal failure, hemolysis, and bleeding: how to proceed? 15:45 - 16:00	
Assoc Prof. Eman Fahmy, Egypt Pediatric Immunology Unit, Children's Hospital, Sohag University	Vaccination of the immunocompromised. 16:00 - 16:15	
Assoc. Prof. Marwa Wahid, Egypt Pediatric Cardiology Unit, Children's Hospital, Ain Shams University.	Cardiovascular defects in CANDLE syndrome 16:15 – 16:30	
Dr. Heba Hamza, Egypt Pediatric Pulmonology Unit, Children's Hospital, Ain Shams University.	Allergic bronchopulmonary aspergillosis in children 16:30 – 16:45	
Dr. Naglaa Osman, Egypt Pediatric Immunology Unit, Children's Hospital, Assiut University	Chronic spontaneous urticaria 16:45 – 17:00	

Q&A and Panel Discussion (17:00 – 17:30)

Thursday October 26; 08:30-09:30

Morning Lecture and Discussion

Drug Allergy



Assoc. Prof. Rasha El-Owaidy

Pediatric Allergy, Immunology and Rheumatology Unit, Children's Hospital, Ain Shams University, Egypt



Assoc. Prof. Ahmed Rezk

Pediatric Intensive Care Unit (PICU), Children's Hospital, Ain Shams University, Egypt

Plenary Session 3

Update on Biologics in Pediatric Allergy/Immunology

Thursday, October 26, 2023; 09:30-11:00



Prof. Hanan Ibraheim, Egypt

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Prof. James Tracy, USA



Prof. Maggie L. Naguib, Egypt

SPEAKERS			
Prof. Bryan Martin, USA Ohio State University, Columbus, OH. President of the World Allergy Organization (WAO)	 Biologics in pediatric asthma and other allergies 09:30 - 10:00 		
Prof. Sanaa Mahmoud, USA Pikeville School of Medicine, Kentucky. Emeritus Prof., Pediatric Allergy, Immunology and Rheumatology, Ain Shams University	Biologics in difficult-to-treat pediatric skin disordersImage: Construction of the second se		
Prof. Ashraf Abd El-Baky, Egypt Head, Dept of Pediatrics, MTI University. Emeritus Prof., Pediatric Allergy, Immunology and Rheumatology, Ain Shams University.	Targeted therapy in pediatric rheumatologyImage: Comparison of the pediatric rheumatology10:30 - 11:00Image: Comparison of the pediatric to the pediatric 		

Plenary Session 4

Inborn Errors of Immunity: What's New?

Thursday, October 26, 2023; 11:00-12:30

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Prof. Ashraf Abd El-Baky, Egypt



Prof. Bryan Martin, USA



Prof. Nermeen Galal, Egypt

SPEAKERS			
Prof. James Tracy, USA University of Nebraska, NE. Vice President of the American College of Allergy, Asthma and Immunology	Evaluation and management of primary immunodeficiency in childrenImage: Compare the second seco		
Prof. Dalia El-Ghoneimy, Egypt Pediatric Allergy, Immunology and Rheumatology Unit, Children's Hospital, Ain Shams University.	EBV in monogenic immune defects: not just an infection 11:30 – 12:00		
Dr. Reem Elfeky, UK Consultant in Paediatric Immunology, Great Ormond Street Hospital (GOSH), London.	Status and prospects of hematopoietic stem cell transplantationImage: Comparison of the state of the s		

Symposium 2

Hot Topics in Pediatric Rheumatology

Thursday, October 26, 2023; 13:00-14:30

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Prof. Nehal El-Raggal, Egypt





Prof. Khaled Awwad, Egypt

Prof. Hoda Tomoum, Egypt

SP	SPEAKERS			
Assoc. Prof. Nesrine Radwan, Egypt Pediatric Allergy, Immunology and Rheumatology Unit, Children's Hospital, Ain Shams University.	Diagnostic lag in Pediatric SLE 13:00 – 13:20			
Assoc. Prof. Hanan Hamad, Egypt Pediatric Allergy, Immunology and Rheumatology Unit, Children's Hospital, Ain Shams University.	Pediatric interferonopathies: spectrum and management 13:20 – 13:40	amil Contraction		
Prof. Shaimaa Abdelsattar, Egypt Pediatric Radiology Unit, Radiodiagnosis Department, Ain Shams University.	Imaging of vasculitis in pediatric rheumatology 13:40 – 14:00			

Discussion 14:00-14:30

Symposium 3

Food Allergy - Diagnostic Challenges

Thursday, October 26, 2023; 13:00-14:30

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Prof. Ehab Khairy, Egypt







Prof. Ahmad Hamdy, Egypt

SPEAKERS			
Prof. Elham Hossny, Egypt Pediatric Allergy, Immunology and Rheumatology Unit, Children's Hospital, Ain Shams University.	The DRACMA guidelines of cow's milk allergy 13:00 – 13:20		
Assoc. Prof. Yasmin Gamal, Egypt Pediatric Clinical Nutrition Unit and General Manager, Children's Hospital, Ain Shams University	Lactose intolerance in the pediatric age group 13:20 – 13:40		
Assoc. Prof. Ghada Shousha, Egypt Pediatric Allergy, Immunology and Rheumatology Unit, Children's Hospital, Ain Shams University.	Eosinophilic esophagitis: when to suspect? 13:40 – 14:00		

Discussion 14:00-14:30

Symposium 4

Clinical Issues in Pediatric Allergy and Immunology II Thursday, October 26, 2023; 15:30-17:30

MODERATORS



Prof. Dalia

El-Ghoneimy,

Egypt



Prof. Marwa El-Deeb, Egypt



Prof. Safaa Shafik Egypt



Prof. Randa Matter, Egypt







Prof. Reham El-Hossiny, Egypt

SI	PEAKERS	
Assoc. Prof. Ali Sobh, Egypt Pediatric Immunology Unit, Children's Hospital, Mansoura University	Non-infectious features of inborn errors of immunity: Mansoura experience 15:30 - 15:45	
Assoc Prof. Maha Zakariya, Egypt Pediatric Neurology Unit, Children's Hospital, Ain Shams University.	Neurological defects in Aicardi- Goutières syndrome 15:45 - 16:00	
Assoc. Prof. Batoul Abdel Raouf, Egypt Pediatric Psychiarty Unit, Children's Hospital, Ain Shams University.	Psychologic burden of juvenile systemic sclerosis 16:00 - 16:15	
Assoc Prof. Yosra M. Awad, Egypt Pediatric Gastroenterology Unit, Children's Hospital, Ain Shams University	Very early onset inflammatory bowel disease. 16:15 – 16:30	
Dr. Sally Gouda, Egypt Pediatric Allergy, Immunology & Rheumatology Unit, Children's Hospital, Ain Shams University	The description of Churg-Strauss syndrome in children 16:30 – 16:45	
Dr. Yasmeen A. Fereig, Egypt Pediatric Endocrinology Unit, Children's Hospital, Ain Shams University.	Diabetes in pediatric rheumatologic diseases 16:45 – 17:00	
Q&A and Panel Discussion (17:00 – 17:30)		





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