

PRELIMINARY PROGRAM  
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The 37<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the  
**Scandinavian Sarcoma Group**

Stockholm



**Date:** May 20-22, 2015

**Place:** Norra Latin  
Drottninggatan 71B  
111 23 Stockholm

## Conference venue

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# Symposium – Biology of Mesenchymal Tumors

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## Wednesday May 20, 2015

The Biology of Mesenchymal Tumors

Place: Norra Latin

Room: Pelarsalen/The Pillar Hall

09.00

Registration

Place: Outside Pelarsalen/The Pillar Hall

**09.25**

**Introduction and welcome**

*B. Brodin, Dept. of Oncology and Pathology, Karolinska Institute, Stockholm*

**09.30–10.30**

**Session I: THE SARCOMA GENOME**

Chairman: N.N.

09.30

L1

**Searching for fusion genes – A 20-year Odyssey**

*I. Paganopoulos, Institute for Cancer Genetics and Informatics, Norwegian Radium Hospital, Oslo*

10.00

L2

**Genomic analysis of soft tissue tumors**

*F. Mertens, Clinical Genetics, Faculty of Medicine, Lund University*

10.30

L3

**Unscrambling the genomic chaos in osteosarcomas**

*L. Meza-Zepeda, Norwegian Radium Hospital, Oslo*

11.00

L4

**CircSarc-Circulating Tumor DNA in sarcoma**

*H. Namlø, Norwegian Radium Hospital, Oslo*

11.30–12.30

*Lunch (Norra alt. Södra ljusgården)*

**12.30–15.00**

**Session II: PREDICTIVE MARKERS & PERSONALIZED MEDICINE**

Chairman: *B. Bjerkehagen, Norwegian Radium Hospital, Oslo*

12.30

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**The CINSARC signature**

*F. Chibon, INSERM-Institute Bergonié, Bordeaux*

- 13.00 L6 **Recent advances in *Forme Fruste* sarcomas: synovial sarcoma, myxoid liposarcoma, epithelioid sarcoma and clear cell sarcoma**  
*T. Nielsen, University of British Columbia, Vancouver*
- 13.30 L7 **NoSarC**  
*O. Myklebost, Norwegian Radium Hospital, Oslo*
- 14.00 L8 **How can the SSG register center support sarcoma research; examples from prognostic studies in pleomorphic STS**  
*M. Nilbert, RCC South, Lund*
- 14.30–15.00 *Coffee break (Marmorvalvet/The Marble Vault)*
- 15.00–17.00** **Session III: EMERGING THERAPEUTIC STRATEGIES**  
Chairman: *T. Foukakis, Karolinska Institute, Stockholm*
- 15.00 L9 **FET oncogene carrying tumors, molecular biology, diagnostics and clinical trials**  
*P. Åman, Gothenburg University Hospital*
- 15.30 L10 **Lytic peptides in human sarcoma treatment**  
*Ø. Rekdahl, University of Tromsø*
- 16.00 L11 **The microenvironment of sarcoma as sources of therapeutic targets**  
*D. Heymann, INSERM, University of Nantes*
- 16.30 L12 **Sirtuins as therapeutic targets for sarcoma**  
*B. Brodin, Dept. of Oncology and Pathology, Karolinska Institute, Stockholm*

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**Tuesday May 19, 2015**

17.00–19.00      Board meeting  
Room: C9 at Clarion Sign In Hotel

20.00              Dinner (board members only)  
*Restaurant at Clarion Sign In Hotel*

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# SSG Plenary Meeting

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**Wednesday May 20, 2015**

16.00-17.00      Registration (outside Pelarsalen/The Pillar Hall)

Exhibition Stand & Poster Exhibition  
(Marmorvalvet/The Marble Vault)

17.15

Introduction and welcome  
Room: Pelarsalen/The Pillar Hall  
*K. Sundby Hall, Oslo, O. Brosjö, Stockholm*

**Joint session with doctors, scientists, nurses and  
physiotherapists**

Room: Pelarsalen/The Pillar Hall

17.20-19.00

Quiz  
*L. Jeys, Birmingham, D. Vanel, Bologna*

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**Thursday May 21, 2015**

07.00–08.30 *Breakfast*

07.45–09.00 Registration (outside Pelarsalen/The Pillar Hall)

**08.30–10.00 Session I – Special tumors**

Room: Pelarsalen/The Pillar Hall

Chairmen: *M. Skorpil, Stockholm, J. Engellau, Lund*

08.30 L13 Optimal treatment of desmoid tumors  
*L. Jeys, Birmingham*

08.45 L14 Giant cell tumors: imaging features in the era of denosumab  
*M. Geijer, Lund*

09.00 L15 Chordoma versus benign notochordal cell tumor – radiological aspects  
*I. Taksdal, Oslo*

09.15 L16 Differentiating lipomatous tumors with MRI-technique  
*M. Skorpil, Stockholm*

09.30 L17 Second sarcomas  
*B. Bjerkehagen, Oslo*

09.45 Discussion

10.00–10.30 *Coffee break (Marmorvalvet/The Marble Vault)*

**10.30–12.30 Session II – Visceral & retroperitoneal sarcoma**

Room: Pelarsalen/The Pillar Hall

Chairmen: *T. Hølmekbakk, Oslo, N. Jebsen, Bergen*

10.30 L18 Current concepts and future perspectives for surgical treatment of visceral and retroperitoneal sarcomas  
*A. Gronchi, Milan*

11.00 L19 Current concepts and future perspectives for surgical treatment of GIST  
*J. Åhlén, Stockholm*

11.30 L20 Radiotherapy for retroperitoneal sarcomas: how and when and for whom?  
*R. Haas, Amsterdam*

**12.00 Free presentations**

12.00 L21

12.10 L22

12.20 L23

*12.30–13.30 Lunch (Norra alt. Södra ljusgården)*

**13.30–15.00 Session III – Bone sarcoma**  
Room: Pelarsalen/The Pillar Hall  
Chairmen: *O. Brosjö, E. Lidbrink, Stockholm*

13.30 L24 Challenges for new trials in osteosarcoma and Ewing sarcoma  
*J. Whelan, London*

14.00 L25 Orthopaedic challenges for osteosarcomas and Ewing sarcomas  
*O. Brosjö, H. Bauer, Stockholm*

14.30 L26 Computer navigation of pelvine tumors  
*L. Jeys, Birmingham*

15.00 L27 Challenges in today's radiology in sarcoma diagnosis, staging and therapy response  
*D. Vanel, Bologna*

*15.05–16.00 Coffee break (Marmorvalvet/The Marble Vault)*

**16.00-17.00**

**Free presentations**

Chairmen: *C. Blomqvist, Helsinki, E. Styring, Lund*

16.00 L28

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17.00-18.00 SSG matters (members only)

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### 08.30–15.10 **Joint session with doctors, scientists, nurses and physiotherapists**

Room: Pelarsalen/The Pillar Hall

### 08.30-10.00 **Session IV – Supportive care in relation to sarcoma treatment**

Chairmen: *H. Bauer, Stockholm, S. Granlien, Oslo*

08.30 L34 RESPECT – Rehabilitation including social, physical activity and education in children and teenagers with cancer  
*H. Baekgaard, Copenhagen*

08.50 L35 Teenagers losing a parent to cancer. Experience, modifiable risk factors and long-term outcome  
*T. Bylund Grenklo, Stockholm*

09.10 L36 Benefits and rationale for exercise during cancer therapy  
*M. Quist, Copenhagen*

09.30 L37 Sarcoma patients' advocacy groups in Europe  
*N.N, SPAEN*

09.50 Discussion

10.00-10.30 *Coffee break (Marmorvalvet/The Marble Vault)*

### 10.30-12.00 **Session V – Medical treatment of advanced soft tissue sarcoma**

Chairmen: *M. Eriksson, Lund, A. Krarup-Hansen, Herlev*

10.30 L38 How and when to treat advanced GIST – with examples from real life in Eastern Germany

*P. Reichardt, Berlin*

11.00 L39 How and when and for how long to use chemotherapy – with examples from real life in Texas  
*B. Benjamin, Texas*

11.30 L40 How and when and for whom to use targeted therapy – with examples from real life in Lombardia  
*S. Stacchiotti, Milan*

12.00–13.00 *Lunch (Norra alt. Södra ljusgården)*

13.00 L41 Scandinavian Sarcoma Group: Bone sarcoma trials  
*K. Sundby Hall, Oslo*

L42 Scandinavian Sarcoma Group: Soft tissue sarcoma trials  
*M. Eriksson, Lund*

L43 Scandinavian Sarcoma Group: Recommendations for radiotherapy  
*N. Jebsen, Bergen*

**13.40-15.30 Session VI - Poster presentations**

Chairmen: *T. Böhling, Helsinki, F. Mertens, Lund, P. Bergh, Gothenburg, H. Knobel, Trondheim*

**15.30 Closing remarks**

*K. Sundby Hall, Oslo, O. Brosjö, Stockholm*

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**08.30–18.00** **Nurses & physiotherapists session**  
Room: Musiksalen (fourth floor, room 456)

08.30–08.40 Welcome!  
*L. Våde, Oslo*

**08.40-10.20** **Session I – Retroperitoneal sarcomas (including GIST)**  
Chairmen: *L. Våde, Oslo, A. Mortensen, Herlev*

08.40 L44 GIST and surgery  
*T. Hølmekbakk, Oslo*

09.00 L45 Medical treatment and research for GIST  
*M. Eriksson, Lund*

09.20 L46 Health-related Quality of life, anxiety and depression symptoms  
in patients who have had surgery for abdominal sarcoma  
*L. Smedberg, Stockholm*

09.50 L47 I will turn 50....believe it or not!  
My 19, soon 20 years as a GIST patient  
*S. Thorbjørnsen, Oslo*

10.20–10.45 *Coffee break (Marmorvalvet/The Marble Vault)*

**10.45-12.30** **Session II – Supportive care for sarcoma patients**  
Chairmen: *L. Smedberg, Stockholm, H. Fuglø, Copenhagen*

10.45 L48 Social life for children and teenagers during chemotherapy  
*M. af Sanderberg, Stockholm*

- 11.05 L49 Rehabilitation conversations with cancer patients in hospitals  
*L. B Thisted, Copenhagen*
- 11.25 L50 Cancer and sexual health  
*E-M. Rasmusson, Lund*
- 11.45 L51 Nausea and vomiting: treatment by evidence and history  
*D.M. Sørensen, Vejle*
- 12.05 L52 Oral complications of cancer therapies  
*S. Beier Jensen, Herlev*
- 12.30–13.30 Lunch (Norra alt. Södra ljusgården)*
- 13.30–15.30 Session III – Adolescent with sarcoma**  
Chairmen: *K. Källberg, Lund, L. Utne, Bergen*
- 13.30 L53 Important issues in care for TYA (teenagers and young adults) treated for cancer  
*M. Olsson, Gothenburg*
- 13.50 L54 Municipal rehabilitation in Copenhagen Centre for Cancer and Health  
*K. Birtø, Copenhagen*
- 14.10 L55 Quality of life in children and adolescents after malignant bone tumour surgery of the leg  
*W. P. Bekkering, Leiden*
- 14.30 L56 Adolescent with cancer, a clinical practical guideline  
*K. Stokke, K. Tveten, Oslo*
- 15.00–15.30 Coffee break (Marmorvalvet/The Marble Vault)*
- 15.30 L57 Young and cancer  
*Ung Cancer, Sweden*
- 16.00–17.00 Annual meeting**

## **Program SSG Physiotherapists session**

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07.45–08.30 Registration (outside Pelarsalen/The Pillar Hall)

**08.30–12.30** **Physiotherapists session**  
Room: 454 (fourth floor)

08.30–08.35 Welcome!

**08.35–10.20** **Session I**  
Chairmen: *S. Ludvigsen, Oslo, A. Lekven, Stavern*

08.35 L58 Physiotherapy following surgery  
*J. Thorkildsen, Oslo*

09.20 L59 Functional ability and physical activities in children and adolescents after malignant bone tumor surgery of the leg  
*W. P. Bekkering, Leiden*

09.50 L60 Physiotherapy after surgery, clinical exercise  
*M. Lia Johansen, Oslo*

10.20–10.45 *Coffee break (Marmorvalvet/The Marble Vault)*

**10.45–12.30** **Session II**  
Chairmen: *M. Lia Johansen, Oslo, L. Stridh, Lund*

10.45 L61 Pain and sarcoma, reflections from a physiotherapist  
*H. Hallström, Stockholm*

11.15 L62 Physical exercise for patients undergoing chemotherapy  
*M. Quist, Copenhagen*

12.00 Discussion

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## **Social program**

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**20.00                    Dinner at Norra Latin (Bruces Restaurant)**

**Thursday May 21, 2015**

**19.00                    Dinner cruise on board the steamship M/S Gustafsberg VII**

