



**Pre World Congress of Dermatology  
Hidradenitis Suppurativa Session  
June 8, 2015**

**MARK YOUR CALENDARS ...**

**MONDAY, JUNE 8, 2015**

**1:00 TO 5:20 P.M.**

**THE FAIRMONT HOTEL VANCOUVER**

**900 WEST GEORGIA STREET**

The purpose of this symposium is to present an update of world expert opinion in the field of HS.

The program was created with the input of Hidradenitis Suppurativa Foundation, Inc. (HSF) and the European Hidradenitis Suppurativa Foundation e.V (EHSF) and is hosted by the Canadian Hidradenitis Suppurativa Foundation (CHSF).

**TOPICS INCLUDE**

- *New Insights into the Diagnosis of HS*
- *The Role of the Environment in HS*
- *Cancer and HS*
- *Wound Healing and Topical Therapy*
- *Pain Management*
- *The Role of:*
  - *Diet and Lifestyle*
  - *Laser Therapy*
  - *Biologics*
  - *Surgical Management*
- *Implementation of European Guidelines*

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# Suppurativa Update – WCD Satellite Symposium

## Monday, June 8, 2015

Time	Title	Speaker	Chair
1:00 – 1:05 p.m.	Welcome	Afsaneh Alavi Canada	
1:05 – 1:10 p.m.	Introduction	Paul Hazen USA	Paul Hazen USA
1:10 – 1:20 p.m.	Epidemiology and the burden of the disease	Gregor Jemec Denmark	
1:20 – 1:30 p.m.	An update on pathophysiology	Errol Prens Netherlands	
1:30 – 1:40 p.m.	New insights into diagnosis of HS & Classifications	Alexa Boer Kimball USA	
1:40 – 1:50 p.m.	Acne /HS/ Autoinflammatory syndrome	Dae Hun Suh Korea	
1:50 – 2:00 p.m.	The role of Environmental factors on HS	Qiang Ju China	
2:00 – 2:15 p.m.	Discussion		
2:15 – 2:20 p.m.	Introduction	Christos Zouboulis Germany	Christos Zouboulis Germany
2:20 – 2:30 p.m.	Comorbidity in hidradenitis suppurativa	Iben Miller Denmark	
2:30 – 2:40 p.m.	Identifying research gaps in hidradenitis suppurativa	John Ingram UK	
2:40 – 2:50 p.m.	Factors associated with hidradenitis suppurativa severity	Hessel van der Zee Netherlands	
2:50 – 3:00 p.m.	Cancer and HS	Ichiro Kurokawa Japan	
3:00 – 3:15 p.m.	Discussion		
3:15 – 3:25 p.m.	Break		
3:25 – 3:30 p.m.	Introduction	Gregor Jemec Denmark	Gregor Jemec Denmark
3:30 – 3:40 p.m.	Current treatment algorithm	Christos Zouboulis Germany	
3:40 – 3:50 p.m.	Role of Diet in HS	F W (Bill) Danby USA	
3:50 – 4:00 p.m.	Wound healing and topical therapy	Robert Kirsner USA	
4:00 – 4:10 p.m.	Traditional systemic treatment	Raed Alhusyen Canada	
4:10 – 4:20 p.m.	Discussion		
4:20 – 4:25 p.m.	Introduction	Gary Sibbald Canada	Gary Sibbald Canada
4:25 – 4:35 p.m.	The role of laser therapy	Iltefat Hamzavi USA	
4:35 – 4:45 p.m.	Pitfalls in Hidradenitis Suppurativa surgery	Falk Bechara Germany	
4:45 – 4:55 p.m.	The role of biologics	Alain Brassard Canada	
4:55 – 5:05 p.m.	Implementation of European guidelines	Wayne Gulliver Canada	
5:05 – 5:15 p.m.	Discussion		
5:15 – 5:20 p.m.	Conclusion	Alain Brassard Canada	