



Dear colleagues,

We are pleased to invite you to the 1st Sarcoma Symposium of Southeast Europe (1st SSSE), which will take place on 13 November 2025. at the Sheraton Dubrovnik Riviera Hotel, Srebreno.

The Croatian Society for Medical Oncology of the Croatian Medical Chamber (HDIO), Mesenchymal Tumor Section, is proud to host this inaugural event. The symposium will precede the 17th Congress of the Croatian Society for Medical Oncology, which begins later the same afternoon.

The 1st Sarcoma Symposium of Southeast Europe will bring together specialists from the region involved in the treatment of soft tissue and bone sarcomas, including surgeons, orthopedists, maxillofacial surgeons, pathologists, oncologists, and radiologists. The goal of this event is to foster interdisciplinary collaboration and provide a platform for sharing the latest research, technological innovations, and clinical experiences, with a special focus on sarcoma management in this part of Europe.

Renowned international and regional experts will lead the scientific program, offering valuable insights into advances in diagnostics, treatment, and patient outcomes.

Sincerely, Davorin Herceg



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Wednesday 12 November

19:00 - 20:00

Registration

Thursday 13 November

8.30	Welcome and introduction
	Session 1 Panellists: Krešimir Saša Đurić, Zagreb, Croatia, Sanda Smuđ Orehovec, Zagreb, Croatia
08.40-09.10	What's new in spine and sacral surgery? Aron Lazary, Budapest, Hungary
09.10-09.20	Discussion
	Session 2 Panellists: Krešimir Blažičević, Zagreb, Croatia, Marija Ban, Split, Croatia
09.20-09.50	Recent developments in soft tissue sarcoma systemic therapy. Peter Reichardt , Berlin, Germany
09.50-10.00	Discussion
	Session 3 Panellists: Borislav Belev, Zagreb, Hrvatska, Nikola Milašević, Podgorica, Montenegro
10.00-10.30	Recent changes in GIST therapy, Andrea Franza, Milan, Italy

10:30-10.40	Discussion
10.40-10.55	Coffee break
	Session 4 Panellists: Luka Simetić, Zagreb, Hrvatska, Tatjana Ladenhauser, Osijek, Hrvatska
10.55-11.25	Molecular profiling (NGS) in sarcoma patients: what have we learned and how to use it? Snježana Dotlić , Zagreb, Croatia
11.25-11.35	Discussion
	Session 5 Moderators: Davorin Herceg, Zagreb, Hrvatska, Borislava Nikolin, Novi Sad, Srbija
11.35-12.35	Challenges in treating sarcoma in Southeast Europe - oral poster session

SATELLITE SYMPOSIUM GENESIS PHARMA

12.35-12.55 Qinlock (ripretinib) in the treatment of advanced gastrointestinal stromal tumor

Borislav Belev

