



1st Eureka International Network Meeting

June 24th, 2015 at Hilton San Diego Bayfront, California, USA
in conjunction with FOCiS 2015

Objectives:

To discuss current situation, experiences and outcomes, in the most objective fashion possible (“mind the gap” data)

To design together our “Road Map”. (A questionnaire will be sent Network wide and the results will provide the basis for the discussion)

To integrate alumni from various years

To provide opportunity for faculty/alumni and alumni alumni interactions

PROGRAMME

8:00–8:15	Welcome by Salvo and Berent
8:15-9:45	Speed dating
9:45-10:00	Break
10:00–11.30	Translational Medicine Diaries 1: Wading through the Valley of Death (we all have been there): Three real life experiences from Manuela, Femke and Shaun
11:30-1155	Lunch (<i>open to FOCiS community</i>)
12:00-13:00 open to public	Translational Medicine Diaries 2 (<i>open to FOCiS community</i>): <i>Eureka and the advancement of Translational Medicine: from regional challenges to global solution</i> - Salvatore Albani, MD., Ph.D., Duke-NUS Medical School, and Berent Prakken, M.D., Ph.D. UMC (15’) <i>Eureka! The Potential Cause of Autoimmune Disease</i> - David A Hafler, M.D. Yale School of Medicine (25’) <i>Eureka! The Potential Cure of Autoimmune Disease</i> - Maria-Grazia Roncarolo, M.D. Stanford School of Medicine (25’)
13:00-13:30	Break
13:30- 1430	Mind the Gap report and discussion (Berent and Norm)
14.30-1500	Break
1500-1630	Discussion of the “Road map” questionnaire results. Road mapping discussion as a group (Salvo, Berent, Manuela and Rich as facilitators)
17:30-18:15	FOCIS opening keynote address
18:30	Transport to Salvo’s house
19:15	Social Gathering (<i>Party at Salvo’s ocean front house</i>)
21:30	1st pick up back to Hilton Bayfront Hotel
23:00	Final pick up back to Hilton Bayfront Hotel