

22nd

Annual Meeting Cancéropôle Grand Sud-Ouest

November 18-20, 2026

Congress Center / Nîmes

An aerial photograph of the city of Nîmes, France, showing the Roman Amphitheatre (Arènes de Nîmes) in the foreground. Overlaid on the right side of the image is a large graphic consisting of three thick, curved arrows in orange, yellow, and blue, pointing clockwise. Inside the white space of these arrows, the text '22nd Annual meeting', 'Congress Center, Nîmes', and 'November 18-20' is displayed in a sans-serif font.

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PRE-PROGRAM



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Wednesday 18th November

14h00: Opening Ceremony

14h10: Plenary session **TRANSLATIONAL RESEARCH IN COLORECTAL CANCER**

Lecture: **Eduard BATTLE**, Institute for Research in Biomedicine (Barcelona, Spain)

Lecture: **François GHIRINGHELLI**, Centre G.-F. Leclerc (Dijon)

Present and future of Immunotherapy for MSS Colorectal cancer

15h45 **CANCER RESEARCH IN TOULOUSE AT A GLANCE**

16h45: 2 Parallel sessions

- **PARALLEL AXIS 3 - THERAPIES & VACCINES**

Lecture: **Cindy NEUZILLET**, Curie Institute (Paris)

- **PARALLEL AXIS 2 - GENOME DYNAMICS AND EXPRESSION**

Lecture: **Maria ABAD**, Altos Labs (Cambridge, UK)

When the non-coding codes: Mining the hidden microproteome for new therapeutic targets

18h15: Drinks & Posters Session

Thursday 19th November

08h30: Plenary session **HOT TOPICS IN ONCOLOGY**

Lecture: **Fanny MANN**, Institute of Developmental Biology of Marseille (IBDM). *Nerve-tumor crosstalk in pancreatic cancer*

Lecture: **Luca MAGNANI**, The Institute of Cancer Research (London, UK). *Dormancy's Dice: The Long Game of ER+ Breast Cancer.*

11h15: Plenary session **ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE & RESEARCH**

Guest Moderator: **Hugues BERRY**, National Institute For Research In Digital Science And Technology (Lyon)

Lecture: **Marion TARDIEU**, Institute of Cancer Research of Montpellier

14h15: 3 Parallel sessions

- **PARALLEL AXIS 1 - SIGNALING, MICROENVIRONMENT AND TARGETING**

Lecture: **Vincent GUEN**, Nantes - Angers Cancer and Immunology Research Center, Inserm

Understanding and targeting tumor plasticity in breast cancer

- **PARALLEL AXIS 3 & 5 - NEW MODELS FOR PERSONALIZED MEDICINE**

Lecture: **Rita FIOR**, Champalimaud Research (Lisbon, Portugal)

- **PARALLEL AXE 4 - IA DANS LES SOINS**

Lecture: **Julien WELMANT**, Institut du Cancer de Montpellier, **Louise BAUSSARD**, Université Paul-Valéry Montpellier

Miroki, robot en radiothérapie à l'ICM : utilisation clinique comme soutien psychologique chez les enfants

Lecture: **Renaud SCHIAPPA**, Centre Antoine Lacassagne (Nice). *L'IA dans l'accès à l'innovation et aux essais cliniques*

16h45: Plenary session **MAKING SCIENCE MORE RELIABLE**

Lecture: **Ian TANNOCK**, Princess Margaret Cancer Centre (Toronto, Canada)

Clinical and scientific literature: Should we believe what we read ?

Panel discussion

Friday 20th November

09h00: Plenary session **"RISING STARS"**

10h20: Awards Ceremony

11h20: Plenary session **TRANSLATIONNAL RESEARCH IN PEDIATRIC ONCOLOGY**

Lecture: **Riccardo MASETTI**, University of Bologna (Italy)

Parallel session

- **PARALLEL AXE 4 - LITTERATIE EN SANTE - COMPREHENSION DE L'INFORMATION MEDICALE**

13h00: Closing buffet

