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FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 21, 2025 / SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM

11:00 - 12:30

APPLICATION STUDY

Applied Bioinformatics

M. Tevfik Dorak (İngiltere)

12:30 - 13:30

Break

13:30 - 17:00

CONTINUING EDUCATION PROGRAM: HOW DOES A TISSUE TYPING LABORATORY WORK?

Moderator: Mehmet Ali Öktem

13:30 - 14:00

Immunological History

Emel Ekşioğlu Demiralp

14:00 - 14:30

HLA Typing Methods and Analysis

R. Derya Aksoy

14:30 - 15:00

Anti-HLA Antibody Typing Methods and Analysis

R. Derya Aksoy, Servet Uluer Biçeroğlu

15:00 - 17:00

CrossMatch Tests

Servet Uluer Biçeroğlu

- Conditions Affecting Flow Cross-Match Analysis, Analysis Approaches
- Conditions Affecting CDC Cross-Match Analysis



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17:00 - 17:10

OPENING SPEECH

Association President
Ministry of Health

17:10 - 17:55

OPENING CONFERENCE

**Academic Journey: Experiences, Learnings, and
Future Goals**
Günnur Deniz



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SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 22, 2025 / SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM

08:30 - 09:10

CONFERENCE

What has National Biobanks Done for HLA
M. Tevfik Dorak (İngiltere)

09:10 - 10:30

SESSION I: NK AND TRANSPLANTATION

09:10 - 09:30 NK and KIR in the Immune Response
Emel Ekşioğlu Demiralp

09:30 - 09:50 Immune Reconstruction After Hematopoietic Stem Cell;
NK and T cells
Klara Dalva

09:50 - 10:10 NK Cells in Solid Organ Transplantation
Barbaros Oral

10:10 - 10:30 Oral Presentations

10:30 - 10:45 Coffee Break ☕

10:45 - 12:05

SESSION II: HLA AND NON-HLA ANTIBODIES

10:45 - 11:05 Use of Donor-Derived Cell-Free DNA (dd-cfDNA) in
Pediatric Renal Transplantation
Duygu Övünç Hacıhamdioğlu

11:05 - 11:25 The Importance of Non-HLA Antibodies
Füsun Özmen

11:25 - 11:45 Anti-HNA and Anti-HPA in Transfusion Medicine
Sevgi Kalayoğlu Beşışık

11:45 - 12:05 Oral Presentations



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SATELLITE SYMPOSIUM

12:50 - 14:00

Lunch 🍴🍷

14:00 - 14:40

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Epitops in Organ transplantation: DSA, Eplets, Graft Survival
Ilias Doxiadis (Almanya)

14:40 - 15:40

SESSION III: STEM CELLS AND TRANSPLANTATION

14:40 - 15:00

Current Donor Selection Approaches in Hematopoietic Stem
Cell Transplantation
Elif Can Karakulak

15:00 - 15:20

GVHD and Cellular Therapies
Zeynep Şahika Aki

15:20 - 15:40

NGS and dPCR approaches in chimerism analysis
Nihan Somuncu

15:40 - 16:00

Coffee Break ☕



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**HLA Antibody and Memory B Cell Detection in Highly
Sensitized Patients**

Gonca Karahan (Hollanda)

16:40 - 17:20

KIDNEY TRANSPLANT VIRTUAL COUNCIL WITH CASES

Ali Şengül, Müge Değer, Begüm Avcı

17:20 - 17:40

TREATMENT AND IMMUNOLOGICAL MONITORING IN IMMUNIZED PATIENTS

Begüm Avcı

17:40 - 18:25

SATELLITE SYMPOSIUM

18:25 - 19:15

POSTER PRESENTATION



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09:00 - 09:40

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**The Importance of MHC Peptide Complex in Tuberculosis
Diagnosis**

Orhan Kaya Köksalan (Türkiye)

09:40 - 11:00

SESSION IV: DISEASE AND HLA RELATIONSHIP

09:40 - 10:00

Important Viral Infections in Kidney Transplantation

A. Arzu Sayiner

10:00 - 10:20

Autoimmune Diseases and HLA

Sevgi Çolak

10:20 - 10:40

Population HLA and Diseases

Emel Yantır

10:40 - 11:00

Oral Presentations

11:00 - 11:15

Coffee Break ☕

11:15 - 12:00

SATELLITE SYMPOSIUM

12:00 - 12:30

HITID JOINT SESSION

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Lunch 🍽️



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SESSION V: ACCREDITATION OF TISSUE TYPING LABORATORIES

13:30 - 14:00

ISO Accreditation Standards
Gülderen Yanıkkaya Demirel

14:00 - 14:30

EFI Accreditation Standards
Fatma Savran Oğuz

14:30 - 15:00

INTERACTIVE DISCUSSION

Discussing DTL Issues

15:00 - 15:15

CLOSING CEREMONY