



# ESMO Workshop: Science for advocates

ESMO workshop for cancer patient advocates

Munich, Germany 13-14 October 2017

## ***Preliminary Program***

### Preparation

Participants will receive the Scientific publication relevant to their disease prior to the workshop and will be expected to prepare.

## **Friday 13<sup>th</sup> October**

*Morning*

*Arrivals*

**14.30-15.00**

**Welcome coffee**

**15.00-16.00**

**Welcome and introduction to the workshop**, *Bettina Ryll, Sweden*

- Scientific concepts and methodology
- Why should patient advocates care about science?

*16.00-16.30*

*Coffee*

**16.30-17.30**

**Introduction to statistics for patient advocates** *Darren Dahly, Ireland*

- Statistics relevant to understanding clinical trial results (e.g. p-Values, confidence intervals, hazard ratio; endpoints; intent-to-treat populations, censoring; effects of cross-overs; different plots)

*19.00*

*Dinner and Networking*

## **Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> October**

**09.00-10.00**

**Introduction to the ESMO MCBS scale**, *Elisabeth de Vries, The Netherlands*

- Value frameworks in general
- Motivation for the ESMO MCBS
- Similarities and differences to other academic frameworks
- The ESMO MCBS explained

**10.00-11.00**

**Small groups Apply and calculate the MCBS scores yourselves.** Material and guidance will be provided!

*Jean Yves Douillard (CH), Nicola Latino (CH), Elisabeth de Vries (NL)*

*11.00-11.30*

*Coffee*

