

**DEPARTAMENTUL IMUNOLOGIE TRANSLAȚIONALĂ
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Translational Immunology Symposia & Seminars
Science talks featuring distinguished experts and young investigators

Spring 2026 Symposium
Complement in Focus: Pathways, Insights, and Modulators

Date : April 20th 2026

Location: MEDFUTURE Building, 1st floor, Pasteur Street no. 4-6, Cluj-Napoca, Romania

Preliminary program

14.00 **Tania Crișan** Opening and welcome

Session 1

14.05 **Reinhard Würzner**, Medical University of Innsbruck

Brief overview on complement and history of the WIELISA

14.35 **Peter Garred**, University of Copenhagen

Novel applications of the complement system

15.05 **Francesco Tedesco**, University of Trieste

Opposing roles of complement in the pathophysiology of pregnancy

15.35 Coffee break

Session 2

16.00 **Valentin Nica**, Medical Genetics & Translational Immunology Medfuture UMF Cluj

Transcriptomic reprogramming and inflammation in gout and hyperuricemia

16.20 **Dávid Kegyes**, Personalized Medicine and Rare Diseases Medfuture UMF Cluj

DKK1-inhibition and Resistance to Venetoclax in Acute Myeloid Leukemia

16.40 **Irena Nedelea**, Immunology and Allergology UMF Cluj

Liver disease in common variable immunodeficiency

17.00 **Leo Joosten**, Radboudumc Nijmegen & Translational Immunology UMF Cluj

Mechanisms of inflammation in rheumatic diseases

17.30 Closing of the event

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