# 23<sup>rd</sup> CIMT Annual Meeting

May 11 - 13, 2026 Mainz, Germany

Europe's Cancer Immunotherapy Meeting

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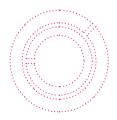


## SUPPORT THE FUTURE OF **CANCER IMMUNOTHERAPY**

The CIMT Annual Meeting is Europe's leading education and networking event focused on cancer immunotherapy research and development.

By choosing to sponsor the 23<sup>rd</sup> CIMT Annual Meeting, you are not merely supporting an event; you are propelling the future of cancer immunotherapy research and development in Europe and beyond.

As a non-profit organization, CIMT is committed to fostering the development and translation of cancer immunotherapies, and we genuinely cannot achieve our mission without the invaluable support from our sponsors. Align your organization with scientific excellence and innovation – sponsor the 23<sup>rd</sup> CIMT Annual Meeting and become a crucial stakeholder in shaping the future of cancer immunotherapy.



### **About CIMT**

The Association for Cancer Immunotherapy CIMT was founded in 2002 by physicians and researchers from different fields of clinical and theoretical medicine as an independent nonprofit organization to explore the field of cancer immunotherapy.

Since then, CIMT has been Europe's largest member-based information and education platform that facilitates the knowledge exchange between academic and industry scientists, physicians, and regulatory authorities who research and develop cancer immunotherapies. CIMT is financed by donations, sponsoring, and congress fees.

For more information on the Association, please go to www.cimt.eu

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## / MEETING OVERVIEW

The 23<sup>rd</sup> CIMT Annual Meeting will take place at the Rheingoldhalle Congress Center in Mainz, Germany, from **May 11 – 13, 2026**.

### Scientific Program

In 2026, the meeting will again feature the latest breakthroughs in translational cancer immunotherapy research, from pre-clinical research to clinical developments.

The program committee is preparing plenary sessions on the topics of Improving Immunity, Tumor Microenvironment, Novel Targets, Cellular Therapies, Artificial Intelligence, and Emerging Tools.



### **Meeting Dates and Deadlines**

Registration and abstract submission open: **January 5, 2026** 

Abstract submission deadline: **March 6, 2026** 

Conference advance registration deadline: **March 13, 2026** 

Industry exhibition registration deadline\*

March 27, 2026

\*Please note that industry booths are allocated on a first-come, first-served basis and may sell out earlier.

The plenary sessions will be complemented by a **poster exhibition** and selected **poster short talk sessions** covering six focus areas: Cellular Therapies, Tumor Biology & Interaction with the Immune System, Novel Tools & Technologies, Improving Immunity, New Targets & New Leads, and Immunomonitoring.

Companies will have the opportunity to showcase their latest products and services through an **industry exhibition** and a limited number of **corporate supported Career and Lunch and Learn talks**.

### Presenting new discoveries at the Poster and Short Talk Sessions

The CIMT Poster Exhibition is a lively platform for sharing fresh, cutting-edge, and often unpublished research from across the cancer immunotherapy landscape. Attendees have the opportunity to engage directly with presenters—many of them early-career scientists—fostering meaningful discussion, feedback, and idea exchange. It's an ideal setting to explore innovative data, form new collaborations, and stay at the forefront of emerging science. 10% of all submitted abstracts are chosen for short talk presentation through a meticulous blind evaluation by our abstract review committee.

Six poster awards, one for each category, are presented by a dedicated prize committee to honor outstanding research and presentation by young scientists.





## PRELIMINARY PROGRAM\*

CIMT 2026 Annual Meeting

Day 1 - May, 11 - Monday			Day 2 - May, 12 - Tuesday			Day 3 - May, 13 - Wednesday		
08:00-08:30								
08:30-09:00	Registration  Welcome Address		<b>Cellular Therapies</b> Christoph Bock, Michael Lotze					
09:00-09:30					<b>Tumor Microenvironment</b> Anna Obenauf, Greg Delgoffe			
09:30-10:00								
10:00-10:30			Coffee Break		Coffee Break			
10:30-11:00			Short Talk		Short Talk	Short Talk	Short Talk	
11:00-11:30			Ses	sion I	Session II Improving Immunity	Session III  Novel Targets	Session IV Tumor Biology	
11:30-12:00			Cellular	Therapy				
12:00-12:30	Lunch	Lunch & Learn				Short Talk Session V	Short Talk Session VI	
12:30-13:00			Lunch	Ma	Also Calibora	Emerging Tools	Immunomonitoring	
13:00-13:30				Med	et the Editors	Lunch		
13:30-14:00	<b>Enhancing Translatability</b> Renata Stripecke, Daniela Thommen				Lunch			
14:00-14:30			Overcoming Resistance (tbd) Alternatively: Al-enhanced Immunotherapy Edward Green		Novel Targets (tbd) Alternatively: Emerging Tools			
14:30-15:00								
15:00-15:30	Poster Session I + Coffee Break  Tumor Biology, Improving Immunity, Novel Targets  xxx posters							
15:30-16:00			Poster Session II		Poster Awards, Closing Remarks			
16:00-16:30				+ Coffee Break				
16:30-17:00			Cellular Therapy, Immunomonitoring, Emerging Tools					
17:00-17:30								
17:30-18:00	<b>Keynote Lecture</b> Ira Mellman		xxx posters					
18:00-18:30			<b>Breakthrough Lecture</b> Tyler Jacks					
18:30-19:00	Ice Breaker Event							
19:00-19:30			Wine walks through Mainz					
19:30-20:00								
20:00-24:00								

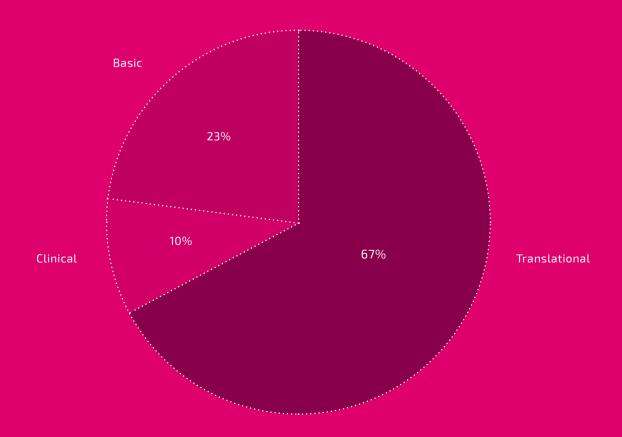
 $<sup>^{\</sup>star}$  Sessions and times are subject to change



Attracting between 700 and 900 academic and industry scientists, physicians, and representatives from regulatory authorities every year, it is the largest annual meeting dedicated to cancer immunotherapy in Europe.

### Attendee Breakdown\*





<sup>\*</sup> Data based on 2025 Annual Meeting

## / MEETING LOCATION

The 2000-year-old city of Mainz is centrally located in the heart of Europe, at the Rhine River, and in the middle of the larger Frankfurt/Rhine-Main region.

Attractive squares, beautifully maintained half-timbered houses, and magnificent churches give the Old Town of Mainz its charming character. Behind medieval and baroque facades you will find elegant boutiques, cafés and wine taverns.

Mainz was home to the inventor of the first letterpress, Johannes Gutenberg, who revolutionized the dissemination of information through moveable type printing. Today, Mainz is the home of the Johannes Gutenberg-University with over 30,000 students and a modern media and biotechnology hub. It is also a member of the Great Wine Capitals Global Network of leading wine tourism destinations.







The meeting will be held at Rheingoldhalle Congress Center, located in downtown Mainz, on the banks of the Rhine River.

The closest airport is Frankfurt International Airport, 37km from the venue, easily reached by taxi or public transportation.

### Venue address:

Rheingoldhalle Congress Center Rheinstraße 66 55116 Mainz, Germany

# OVERVIEW 2026 SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Become a sponsor of the 23<sup>rd</sup> CIMT Annual Meeting and support our mission to connect the stakeholders in the field of cancer immunotherapy.

Benefit from unparalleled collaborative opportunities, and gain visibility among the elite scientific community.

Explore collaborations and network with leading experts, showcase your products and services, and learn about the latest developments in the field. Benefit from a wide range of sponsorship opportunities and help make this event a success.

For more information, please contact Christiane Wellié-Reeve at the CIMT office:

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2026 SUPPORT CATEGORIES AND BENEFITS	Diamond € <b>50,000</b>	Platinum €25,000	Gold <b>€15,000</b>	Silver <b>€10,000</b>
Support recognition/logo placement on CIMT Annual Meeting homepage	x	x	x	x
Support recognition/logo placement on electronic meeting newsletters reaching over 4,000 selected contacts	x	x	x	x
Support recognition on CIMT social medial channels	x	X	X	X
Support recognition/logo placement Company ad slide on intermission projection in conference hall	x	x	x	x
Prominent exhibit floor space (6 m²) at CIMT Annual Meeting*	X	X	X	X
Access to exclusive business meeting room during the conference including advanced scanning system with API access	x			
Keynote** or select main session recognition	x			
Lunch or coffee break sponsorship recognition				X
Poster session sponsorship recognition		X		
Short talk session sponsorship recognition			X	
Your company banner ad on conference app pages		X	X	
Your company logo on conference app cover page	X			
15 complimentary tickets to CIMT Annual Meeting	x			
8 complimentary tickets to CIMT Annual Meeting		X		
6 complimentary tickets to CIMT Annual Meeting			X	
4 complimentary tickets to CIMT Annual Meeting				X
25% discount on additional tickets (up to 5 additional tickets)	x	X	X	X
Career Talk	x	X	X	X

Please ask us about additional high-visibility support opportunities, such as sponsorship of the conference **app**, conference lanyards, and other **conference materials**.

<sup>\*</sup> value: €4,200

<sup>\*\*</sup> Limited availability

# / INDUSTRY EXHIBIT

Exhibiting at CIMT gives you exposure to international decision-makers in experimental and commercial R&D.

The Annual Meeting attendees are investigators from **academic institutions**, **industry and regulatory agencies**, including **basic and translational researchers**, post-doctoral fellows, graduate students, **clinicians**, and **health professionals** involved in cancer research.

Conference exhibits will be displayed on the catering and poster exhibition floor of the Rheingoldhalle Congress Center and are accessible at all times during conference hours. Please note that industry booths are allocated on a first-come, first-served basis and might sell out earlier.

### Rental space fees:

€ 4,200 rental fee for 6m² booth space or € 6,300 for a 10m² booth space (both exclusive of utilities) includes 2 free exhibitor passes for every booth, access to all scientific lectures, and catering. CIMT will also advertise the industry exhibit to all conference participants.

### **Lead Management Systems**

Two types of scanning systems are available for exhibitors to record booth visitors.

Standard Scanning System: Manual badge scanning using a device provided by the organizer.

Cost: €1,000

Advanced Scanning System with API Access: Manual badge scanning using the exhibitor's own device. The collected data is automatically transferred to the exhibitor's system in real time. Cost: €2,000

### Career Talk: €750

Exhibitors have the opportunity to book a dedicated 15-minute slot in the Career Talk sessions to present their company, research focus, and career opportunities to conference participants. This format will take place at the Spotlight Area during the poster sessions and is designed to connect industry with highly qualified young scientists and experienced researchers who are exploring career options in industry.

The industry exhibit order form can be downloaded at: www.meeting.cimt.eu/industry-exhibit

Please contact Lisa Stuhlmacher at lisa.stuhlmacher@wikonect.de for more information.



Industry exhibition registration deadline: March 27, 2026

### / LUNCH AND LEARN COMPANY TALKS

In addition to a booth, industry exhibitors can book a slot for a company talk during lunch hours. The talk gives you the opportunity to present your latest services and developments to delegates. Each talk will be 20 minutes long and will be held in the main conference auditorium during the lunch breaks. There are only a limited number of slots available.

The talks will take place back-to-back at the lecture hall during lunch breaks. Exact times are to be confirmed.

Company talk fee: € 6,500\*

### The purchase of a talk slot includes:

- Room rental and AV equipment and services: amplification, data projection technicians.
- Publication of talk program on CIMT website as well as in the meeting app
- Promotion of talks to all registered Annual Meeting participants
- One complimentary ticket for your speaker plus one additional complimentary ticket

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\*Prerequisite is the purchase of an industry booth.



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