



SST Annual Meeting 2021

Radisson Blu Hotel, Steinentorstrasse 25, Basel (CH)

08:00–09:00	<i>Arrival and poster set-up</i>	
09:00–09:05	Thomas Weiser President of SST	Welcome and introduction; Housekeeping issues
Session 1: Safety of products based on phytochemical preparations (Chairpersons: Muriel Cuendet and Hailey Gahlon)		
09:10–09:55	Matthias Hamburger University of Basel	Keynote Address: How to deal with the complexity of medicinal plants and herbal extracts
09:55–10:15	Elisabeth Klenke Swissmedic	Special considerations in the regulation of phytopreparations
10:15–10:50	<i>Coffee break and poster viewing</i>	
Session 2: Safety concerns for gene therapy and novel vaccines (Chairpersons: Silvana Libertini and Alberto Del Rio Espinola)		
10:50–11:10	Jose Carballido Novartis	Immunological mechanisms regulating the safety and efficacy of COVID-19 vaccines
11:10–11:30	Bence Gy�rgy IOB - Basel	Risks associated with AAV delivery of gene editors
11:30–11:50	Annette Deichman GeneWerk	Vector integration and insertional mutagenesis risk assessment
11:50–12:55	<i>Lunch</i>	
Session 3: Thyroid (Chairpersons: Colette vom Berg and Martin Wilks)		
12:55–13:25	Lisa Baumann University of Heidelberg	Aquatic ecology and toxicology of endocrine disrupting chemicals
13:25–13:55	Aldert Piersma RIVM - NL	Quantitative AOP for a liver enzyme inducer leading to thyroid hormone changes and developmental neurotoxicity (online)
13:55–14:25	Peter Taylor Cardiff University	Epidemiology of thyroid dysfunction (online)
14:25–15:00	<i>Coffee break</i>	
Session 4: Short oral presentations selected from posters (Chairperson: Laura Suter-Dick)		
15:00–15:10	(Will be communicated following selection of the poster)	
15:10–15:20	(Will be communicated following selection of the poster)	
15:20–15:30	(Will be communicated following selection of the poster)	
15:30–15:35	Peter Wick EMPA	Introduction of the Keynote Speaker
15:35–16:25	Vincenzo Ribi, Bernet Relations AG	Keynote Address: Science on the news ticker: Media relations in times of the Covid-19 crisis
16:25–16:30	Shana Sturla ETH	Closing of the oral session by meeting organizer
16:30–17:45	Poster session	



Career session for students / young toxicologists

17:45-19:00

*Presentation of possible career options plus Q&A with 3
seasoned toxicologists representing different career paths*

*Lothar Aicher Representing: University institute / Industry
SCAHT*

*Christine Lorez Representing: Industry / Consultancy
Syngenta*

*Lisa Fischer Representing: Start-up / Consultancy / Regulatory authority /
Consultant Study director*

17:45-18:30

General Assembly of the SST

19:00

Dinner at the Restaurant of the Radisson Hotel
