

2nd sohoMENA

SOCIETY OF HEMATOLOGIC ONCOLOGY



الجمعية اللبنانية لأمراض الدم و نقل الدم
LEBANESE SOCIETY OF HEMATOLOGY
AND BLOOD TRANSFUSION



PROGRAM

SEPTEMBER

26TH, 27TH & 28TH, 2024



Venue: National Library
Lebanese Ministry of Culture
Sanayeh - Beirut - Lebanon

In Association
with

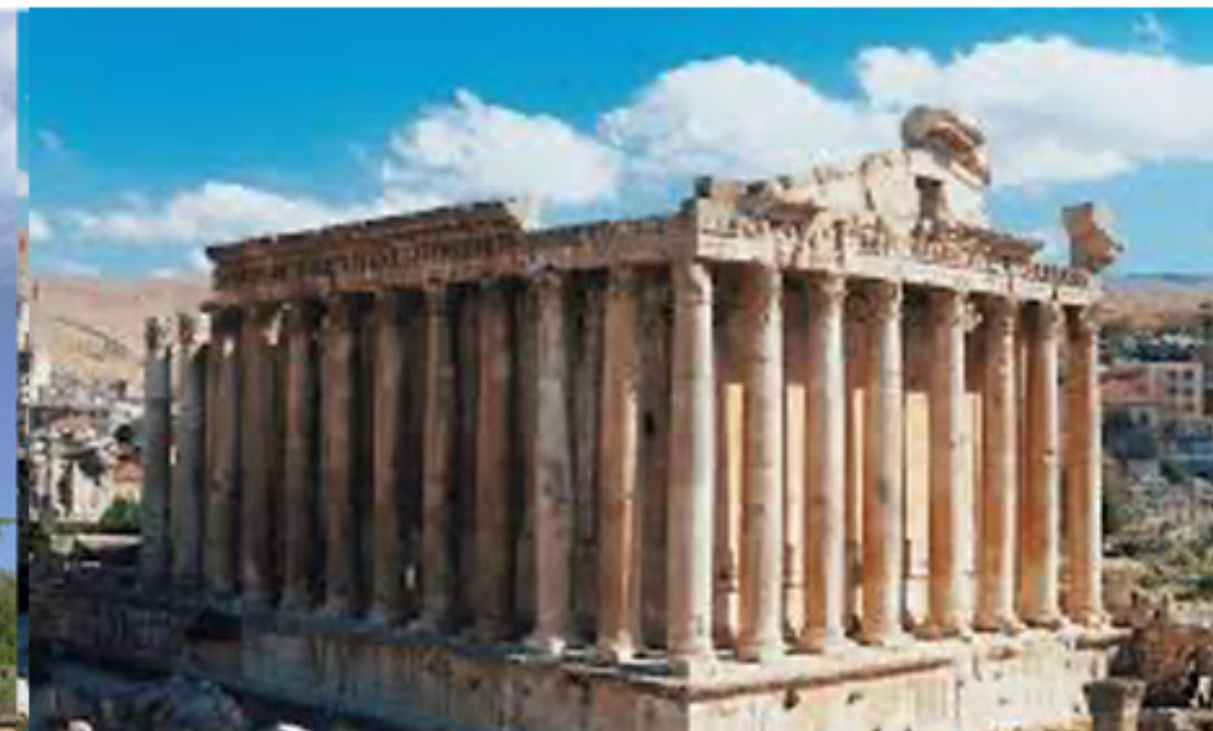
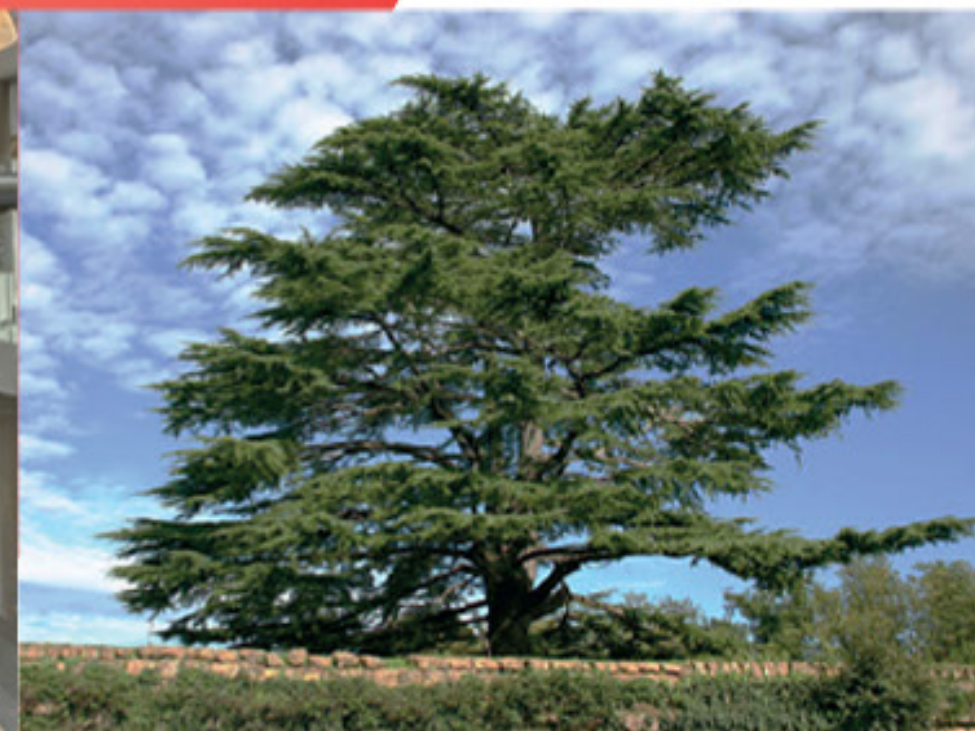


www.sohomena.com

Organized by



www.m2med.org



WELCOME NOTE

Following the success of the first SOHO MENA 2023 meeting, the Society of Hematologic Oncology (SOHO) is expanding its global community, spanning from Houston, Texas, to Beirut, Lebanon. This growth is driven by the SOHO Ambassador Program, which appoints renowned experts in different countries to represent the Society in their regions.

These ambassadors facilitate local discussions among experts and organize official SOHO satellite meetings, often in hybrid formats. The SOHO MENA meeting, in collaboration with the Lebanese Society of Hematology and Blood Transfusion (LSHBT) and hematologic societies across MENA countries, will take place in person at the Ministry of Culture | National Library in Sanayeh, Beirut, Lebanon, on September 26th, 27th & 28th, 2024 and also offered a virtual attendance option for those who could not attend physically.

Ahmad Ibrahim, MD, FRCP

Co-Chair

Balamand, Lebanese & Beirut Arab
Universities, Lebanon

Ali Taher, MD, PhD, FRCP

Co-Chair

AUBMC, Lebanon

Ali Bazarbachi, MD, PhD

Co-Chair

AUBMC, Lebanon

Georges Chahine, MD

Co-Chair

Hotel Dieu de France, Lebanon

Elias Jabbour, MD

Co-Chair

MD Anderson Cancer Center, USA

Amer Zeidan, MD

Co-Chair

Yale School of Medicine, USA

Rami S. Komrokji, MD

Co-Chair

Moffit Cancer Center, USA

HONORARY PRESIDENT:



Hagop Kantarjian, MD



EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE:



Ahmad Ibrahim, MD



Elias Jabbour, MD



Ali Bazarbachi, MD



Ali Taher, MD



Amer Zeidan, MD



Georges Chahine, MD



Rami Komrokji, MD



SOHO MENA 2024 **SPEAKERS**



Ahmad Ibrahim, MD



Anna Sureda, MD



Gilles Salles, MD



Ali Bazarbachi, MD



Courtney DiNardo, MD



Giuseppe Saglio, MD



Alvaro Urbano-Ispuiza, MD



Elias Jabbour, MD



Guillermo Garcia-Manero, MD



Amer Zeidan, MD



Eolia Brissot, MD



Hady Ghanem, MD



SOHO MENA 2024 **SPEAKERS**



Hagop Kantarjian, MD



Naval Daver, MD



Robin Foà, MD



**Ibrahim Yakoub
Agha, MD**



Nitin Jain, MD



Sanam Loghavi, MD



**Jean-Jacques
Kiladjian, MD**



Rachid Baz, MD



Tapan Kadia, MD



Nabil Chamseddine, MD



Rami Komrokji, MD



Thierry Facon, MD



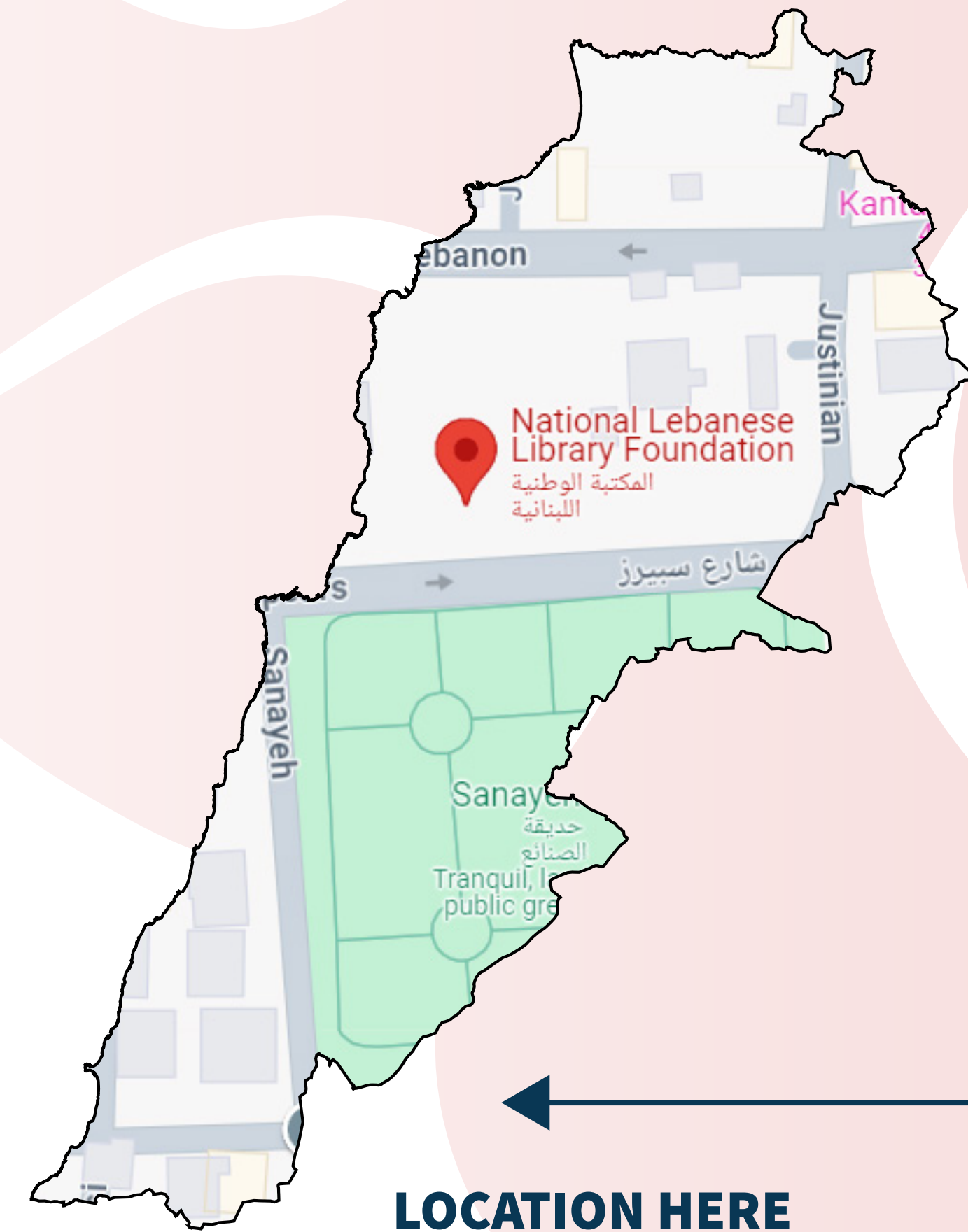
Rami Mahfouz, MD

SOHO MENA 2024

VENUE | **MINISTRY OF CULTURE THE LEBANESE NATIONAL LIBRARY**

In 1999, the Lebanese National Library was allocated the building of the Faculty of Law and Political Sciences of the Lebanese University, located in the Sanayeh district of Beirut, by decision of the Council of Ministers.

The Sanayeh complex, located in Ramlet al-Zarif, was originally built during the reign of Sultan Abdulhamid II and included the Hamidian School and Hamidian Hospital. The complex, completed in 1907, housed the School of Arts and Crafts, led by Ahmad Abbas al-Azhari, to provide vocational training for underprivileged children. It was inaugurated on August 19, 1907, by Wali Khalil Pacha, marking a significant urban development in Beirut.



DAY 1: THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 26TH, 2024

12:45 - 13:00

Welcome Note | **Executive Committee SOHO MENA 2024**

13:00-13:30

PFIZER SYMPOSIUM

Advancements in CML treatment: Understanding the role of Bosulif in treatment strategies

Nabil Chamseddine

CML – MPN SESSION

**Chairs: Georges Chahine
Nabil Chamseddine**

13:30-13:45

Frontline therapy in CML: Cost and survival versus 2nd generation TKI and TFR

HAGOP KANTARJIAN

13:45-14:00

Novel agents in CML

ELIAS JABBOUR

14:00-14:15

Novel therapies in MF

JEAN-JACQUES KILADJIAN

14:15-14:30

How I treat PV

RAMI KOMROKJI

14:30-14:40

Panel Discussions and Q & A

DAY 1: THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 26TH, 2024

AML SESSION

Chairs: Iman Abou Dalle
Mohamad Haidar

14:40-14:55	Is 3+7 still standard of care for AML? NAVAL DAVER
14:55-15:10	Management of AML in older patients AMER ZEIDAN
15:10-15:25	BCL2 combinations in AML COURTNEY DINARDO
15:25-15:40	Novel Targeted therapies in AML NAVAL DAVER
15:40-15:55	MRD and maintenance therapy in AML TAPAN KADIA
15:55-16:05	Panel Discussions and Q & A
16:05-16:35	Coffee Break & Networking
16:35-17:20	JANSSEN SYMPOSIUM The landscape of frontline therapy in CLL Elias Jabbour

DAY 1: THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 26TH, 2024

17:20-17:35

Q and A

CLL SESSION

Chairs: Jawad Makarem
Mirna El- Hajj

17:35 -17:50

Is finite therapy a standard of care in CLL?
NITIN JAIN

17:50 -18:05

New treatment in CLL
NITIN JAIN

18:05-18:15

Panel Discussions and Q & A

18:15 -18:55

CHAIR : ELIAS JABBOUR
ADAPTIVE BIOTECHNOLOGIES SYMPOSIUM
The utility of MRD in trials and clinical practice
Elias Jabbour, Sanam Loghavi & Rachid Baz

18:55 -19:40

Opening SOHO lecture:
THE CURE OF ALL IN OUR LIFETIME
HAGOP KANTARJIAN

Q&A and End Of Day 1

DAY 2: FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 27th, 2024

ALL SESSION

Chairs: Joseph Makdessi
Peter Noun

09:00 – 09:15	How to sequence Immunotherapies in R-R ALL ELIAS JABBOUR
09:15 – 09:35	Debate: allo for Ph-positive ALL: No vs Yes: allo for Ph-positive ALL ELIAS JABBOUR AHMAD IBRAHIM
09:35 – 09:50	Biology and Management of Ph-like and ETP-ALL ROBIN FOÀ
09:50 – 10:00	Panel Discussions and Q & A

MDS SESSION

Chairs: Colette Hanna

10:00 – 10:15	Biology of MDS and Revised Classification RAMI KOMROKJI
10:15 – 10:30	Low-risk MDS GUILLERMO GARCIA-MANERO
10:30 – 10:45	High-risk MDS AMER ZEIDAN
10:45 – 10:55	Panel Discussions and Q & A

DAY 2: FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 27TH, 2024

10:55 - 11:25	Coffee Break & Networking
JOINT : SOHO-IACRLRD SESSION	
Chairs: Ali Bazarbachi	
11:25-11:55	The cure of AML TAPAN KADIA
11:55-12:25	The cure of CML: TFR a reality GIUSEPPE SAGLIO
12:25 - 13:05	ROCHE SYMPOSIUM DLBCL Uncovered: Understanding the disease and innovations in treatment Ali Bazarbachi
13:05 - 13:50	LUNCH
13:50 - 14:30	MERSACO SYMPOSIUM Acute Lymphoblastic leukemia management: A focus on Blincyto Hady Ghanem

DAY 2: FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 27TH, 2024

LYMPHOMA SESSION

Chairs: Ali Youssef
Ahmad Chahrour & Christina Khater

14:30 - 14:50	Updates on DLBCL GILLES SALLES
14:50 - 15:05	Updates on Hodgkin disease ANNA SUREDA
15:05 - 15:20	Updates on T-Cell NHL ALI BAZARBACHI
15:20 - 15:35	CAR T-Cell therapy in NHL ALVARO URBANO-ISPUIZA
15:35 - 15:45	Panel Discussions and Q & A
15:45 - 16:15	Coffee Break & Networking
16:15-16:45	BIOLOGIX SYMPOSIUM
16:45 -17:45	Meet the experts session

DAY 2: FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 27TH, 2024

JOINT SOHO- IACH SESSION

Chairs: Jean El Cheikh

17:45 - 18:15	Cellular Therapies in AML EOLIA BRISSOT
18:15 - 18:45	Hereditary hematologic malignancies COURTNEY DINARDO
End Of Day 2	



DAY 3: SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 28TH, 2024

MM SESSION

Chairs: Jad Wakim
Khaled Ibrahim & Nour Moukalled

09:00 - 09:15	How I treat newly diagnosed fit MM RACHID BAZ
09:15 - 09:30	How I treat newly diagnosed unfit MM THIERRY FACON
09:30 - 09:50	R-R MM Role of : CART vs Bispecific Antibodies IBRAHIM YAKOUB AGHA RACHID BAZ
09:50 - 10:00	Panel Discussions and Q & A
10:00 - 10:30	PHARMAMED SYMPOSIUM
10:30 - 11:00	Coffee Break & Networking
11:00 - 11:45	JANSSEN SYMPOSIUM Revolutionizing multiple myeloma treatment with Bispecific therapies Rachid Baz

DAY 3: SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 28TH, 2024

PATHOLOGY SESSION

Chairs: Hanady Samaha
Hampig Kourieh & Zaher Chakhachiro

11:45 - 12:00	Updates in Classification, Risk Stratification and Monitoring in Acute Leukemias SANAM LOGHAVI
12:00 - 12:15	MRD monitoring in Hematologic Malignancies RAMI MAHFOUZ
12:15 - 12:30	From basic Morphology to Molecular Signatures: The Spectrum of Pathologic change in Myeloid Neoplasms SANAM LOGHAVI
12:30 - 12:40	Panel Discussions and Q & A
12:40 - 13:00	Closing Remarks/ Adjourn 2nd SOHO MENA 2024 Executive Committee SOHO MENA 2024