

# RECRUITMENT IN CLINICAL TRIALS



**ICTD** International Clinical  
Trials Day  
17 May 2022

## JOIN US:

Langenbeck-Virchow-Haus,  
Berlin

OR  
online

10:00- 17:00 CEST  
Admission: free  
Registration required:  
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# PROGRAMME

## WELCOME AND KEYNOTE

10:00 - 10:10 **Welcome**

Jacques Demotes, *Director General, ECRIN*  
Heiko von der Leyen, *German member of ECRIN  
Network Committee*

10:10 - 10:30 **Introduction: Delay and premature  
termination in publicly funded clinical trials  
due to insufficient recruitment**

Eva Müller-Fries, *Scientific Officer, DLR Project  
Management Agency*

10:30 - 11:15 **Keynote lecture: Recruitment in clinical trials:  
The ultimate challenge**

Matthias Briel, *Head of Meta-Research Centre,  
University Hospital Basel*  
Adjunct Professor, *McMaster University*

## MORNING SESSION: PERSPECTIVE ON PATIENT RECRUITMENT

11:15 - 11:40 **European perspectives for recruitment in  
clinical trials**

Speaker (TBC)

11:40 - 12:05 **Patient involvement in clinical research and  
its impact on patient recruitment**

Joan Jordan, *EUPATI fellow*

12:05 - 12:30 **Clinical trial feasibility and patient  
recruitment: Industry perspective**

Speaker (TBC)

## AFTERNOON SESSION: BEST PRACTICES

14:00 - 14:25 **Difficulties of recruitment in early disease  
stages - experience from the MACUSTAR  
study**

Jan H. Terheyden, *Dept of Ophthalmology, University  
of Bonn*

14:25 - 14:50 **Pragmatic trial design and trials within cohort**

Anna C. Bibby, *Consultant Respiratory Physician &  
Honorary Senior Research Fellow, University of Bristol*

14:50 - 15:15 **VACCELERATE Volunteer Registry: A European  
study participant database to facilitate  
clinical trial enrolment**

Jon Salmanton-García, *ECMM & CECAD, University of  
Cologne*

## PANEL SESSION AND CONCLUSION

15:45 - 16:45 **Panel discussion: New perspective for patient  
recruitment**

Speakers from the Scientific Program

16:45 - 17:00 **Closing remarks**

Jacques Demotes, *Director General, ECRIN*  
Co-host ICTD 2023 (TBC)