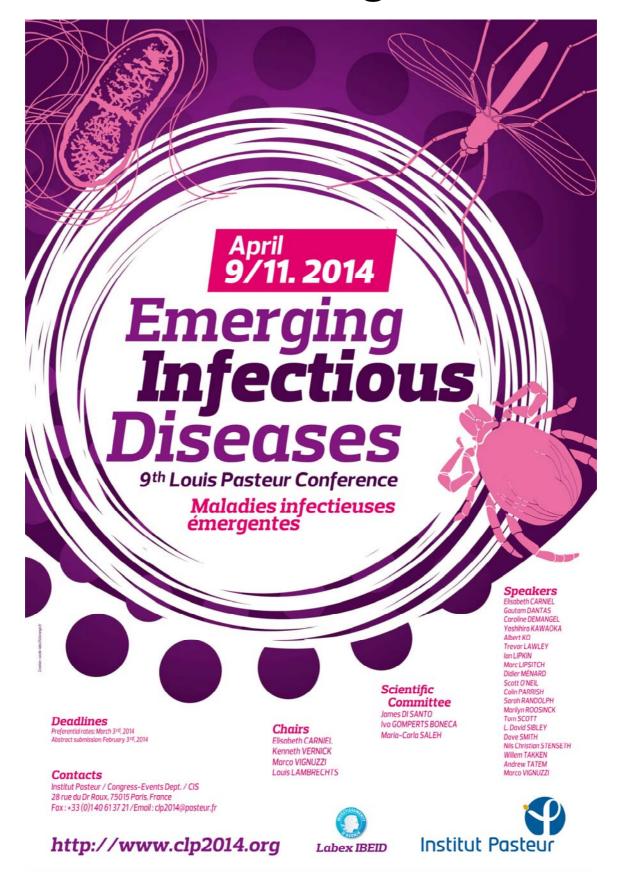
Scientific Programme





Fifty years ago, the General Surgeon declared the end of the infectious diseases era based on the success of antimicrobial therapies that improved substantially the life expectancy in developed countries. However, infectious disease remained a problem in impoverished regions and rapid human development steadily increased the risk for emergence of new infectious diseases. The recent outbreaks of SARS, multidrug resistant MDM1 *E. coli* and the never-ending burden of malaria constitute such an example.

The Institut Pasteur has always been at the frontier of emerging infectious disease discovery and the 2008 Nobel Price of Medicine and Physiology is a living proof of the continuous effort the institution has devoted to emerging infectious diseases since its creation 125 years ago. Nevertheless, a few decades ago, emerging infectious diseases were not the subject of interest they are today. In the last decade, however, the landscape has changed, witnessed by the resurgence or emergence of new infectious diseases. This has led to increased institutional support of research in this area that has not only improved public health but has also provided a better understanding of the scope of the problem. Sharing and disseminating this recent knowledge within the scientific community is essential. For these reasons we have decided to organize the "9th Conference Louis Pasteur" to be held on April 9-11, 2014 at the Institut Pasteur in Paris that will be specifically devoted to this subject. The conference will gather a broad range of participants: senior scientists, young investigators and students working in bacterial, parasitic and viral emerging diseases as well as dedicated sessions on vectors and on the impact of climate change in epidemics. We believe that this conference will mobilize the community and encourage researchers to develop collaboration across fields.

Scientific Committee

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Elisabeth Carniel, Institut Pasteur, France Kenneth Vernick, Institut Pasteur, France Marco Vignuzzi, Institut Pasteur, France Louis Lambrechts, Institut Pasteur, France



Wednesday 9th April 2014

5:45 pm	Welcome addresses
6:00 pm	Keynote lecture William Hanage, Harvard School of Public Health, USA Impact of vaccination on the evolution of pneumococci
7:00 pm	Cocktail in the hall of CIS

Thursday 10th April 2014

Session 1 // Emerging bacterial diseases - Chair: Elisabeth Carniel		
9:00 am	Elisabeth Carniel, Institut Pasteur, France Title to be announced	
9:30 am	Albert Ko, Yale School of Public Health, USA Leptospirosis: An emerging urban slum health problem	
10:00 am	Two short talks	
10:30-11:00 am	Coffee Break	
11:00 am	Trevor Lawley , Welcome Trust Sanger Institute, UK Emergence and spread of epidemic Clostridium difficile throughout the global healthcare system	
11:30 am	Caroline Demangel, Institut Pasteur, France Buruli ulcer disease: emergence of control	
12:00 pm	Gautam Dantas, Washington University, USA Exchanging antibiotic resistomes of human and environmental microbiota	
12:30-15:00 pm	Lunch and Poster sessions	

Session 2 // Emerging parasitic diseases - Chair: Ken Vernick		
3:00 pm	Didier Ménard , Institut Pasteur du Cambodge, Cambodia <i>Artemisinin resistant Malaria</i>	
3:30 pm	Andrew Tatem, University of Florida, USA Mapping and modeling human and vector-borne disease mobility	
4:00 pm	Two short talks	
4:30-5:00 pm	Coffee Break	

5:00 pm	L. David Sibley , Washington University, USA Title to be announced
5:30 pm	Willem Takken, Wageningen University, The Netherlands Title to be announced
7:00 pm	Gala diner

Friday 11th April 2014

Session 3 // Emerging viral diseases - Chair: Marco Vignuzzi		
9:00 am	Marco Vignuzzi, Institut Pasteur, France	
9:30 am	Yoshihiro Kawaoka, University of Wisconsin, USA	
10:00 am	Two short talks	
10:30-11:00 am	Coffee Break	
11:00 am	Colin Parrish , Cornell University, USA Emergence of new epidemic viruses - the molecular bases of host range variation of canine parvovirus and canine influenza virus	
11:30 am	Marilyn Roossinck, Penn State University, USA Title to be announced	
12:00 pm	Ian Lipkin, Columbia University, USA Small Game Hunting	
12:30-15:00 pm	Lunch and Poster sessions	

Session 4 // Vector-borne emerging diseases - Chair: Louis Lambrechts		
3:00 pm	Scott O'Neill, Monash University, Australia The use of Wolbachia infections to control dengue transmission by mosquitoes	
3:30 pm	Tom Scott , University of California at Davis, USA Fine-scale patterns in dengue invasion and persistance	
4:00 pm	Two short talks	
4:30-5:00 pm	Coffee Break	
5:00 pm	Sarah Randolph , University of Oxford, UK Biology determines the presence, but socio-economics triggers the emergence of tick-borne diseases	
5:30 pm	Dave Smith, John Hopkins University, USA Models of Mosquito-borne transmission of malaria	
6:00 pm	Closing Keynote lecture Nils Christian Stenseth, Centre for Ecological and Evolutionary Synthesis, Norway Climate change and impact on emerging infectious diseases	