

# 17<sup>th</sup> WAA & 22<sup>nd</sup> ESFH 6<sup>th</sup> TSHRD

Hybrid Joint Congress



14-17  
September  
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## MESSAGE FROM THE WAA PRESIDENT

It is a great honor to announce that the 17<sup>th</sup> WAA and the 22<sup>nd</sup> ESFH will be held in Istanbul between September 14-17, 2022, as a joint congress.

Istanbul, the only city in the world built on two continents, stands on both shores of the Bosphorus where the waters of the Black Sea mingle with those of the Sea of Marmara. Istanbul has endless variety with its gourmet restaurants and nightlife, arts, museums, ancient churches, palaces, great mosques, bazaars and Bosphorus. No matter how long you stay, whether for just a few days or longer, your visit to this beautiful city will be unforgettable.

The scientific program covers topics from all the different fields related to hemapheresis. State of the art lectures, evidence-based

apheresis sessions, and satellite symposia covering information on the most up-to-date apheresis technologies and their clinical applications, will be the main parts of the program.

We believe the scientific success of a congress depends on the contribution of its delegates. Therefore, we hope that you will all be actively involved in the organization of a truly satisfying, memorable, highly scientific congress. We have no doubt that the scientific program, Turkish hospitality, the charm of Istanbul and our unforgettable social events will help establish closer social and professional links to all our friends and colleagues from all over the world. Let's meet in a city that never sleeps and offers everything possible for different tastes.

We look forward to welcoming you to our joint congress between September 14-17, 2022 in Istanbul.

**Dr. Fevzi Altuntaş, WAA President**



## MESSAGE FROM THE ESFH PRESIDENT

With great happiness I invite you to attend the face-to-face joint meeting of the World Apheresis Association, the Turkish Society of Hematological Rare Diseases and the European Society for Hemapheresis.

The meeting will be held in the beautiful city of Istanbul, Turkey between September 14th and 17th, a period of the year that will allow us to enjoy not only the excellent scientific program prepared by the Scientific Committee but also the art and history of the city.

Looking forward to meeting in person in Istanbul in September.

Kind regards,  
**Dr. Miquel Lozano, ESFH President**

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## IMPORTANT DATES

**Congress Date**  
September 14-17, 2022  
**Deadline of Abstract Submission**  
May 25, 2022  
**Acceptance of the Abstracts**  
June 15, 2022  
**Deadline for Early Bird**  
June 25, 2022



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