

**Naef K. Basile Cancer Institute Breast Center of  
Excellence**

**& Clinical and Professional Development Center**

**& Continuing Medical Education Office**

**At**

**American University of Beirut Medical Center  
(AUBMC)**

**6th Annual Beirut Breast Cancer Conference  
BBCC-6**

**February 8-10, 2018, Gefinor Rotana Hotel,  
Beirut, Lebanon**

**In collaboration with**

**Lebanese Order of Physicians LOP  
Lebanese Society of Medical Oncology LSMO  
Lebanese Society of General Surgery SLCG  
Lebanese Society of Radiology LSR  
Order of Nurses in Lebanon ONL  
Arab Medical Association Against Cancer  
AMAAC**

## Scientific Program

### Thursday, February 8, 2018

12:00 pm: BBCC-6 Registration Open

14:00pm: Opening Welcome: Nagi El Saghir, MD, FACP

#### Rotana A

14:00-15:30pm: Advances in Early Breast Cancer

Moderators: Drs. Georges Aftimos, Toufic Eid, Nizar Bitar & Dolly Nasr

14:00-14:20      Ki67 Assessment in Breast Cancer: An Update  
Dr. Fouad Boulos

14:20-14:40      New Guidelines for Post-mastectomy and  
Accelerated Partial Breast Irradiation  
Dr. Youssef Zeidan

14:40-15:00      Fertility & Pregnancy after Breast Cancer  
Dr. Hatem A. Azim, Jr.

15:00-15:20      Genomic Profiling in Early Breast Cancer: When  
and Which?  
Dr. Hope Rugo

15:20-15:40      Coffee Break

15:40-17:00: Advances in Systemic Therapy in Early Breast  
Cancer

Moderators: Drs. Marwan Bachoor, Michel Daher & Fadi Farhat

15:40-16:00      Which Adjuvant Hormonal Therapy and for How  
Long?  
Dr. Sana Al-Sukhun

16:00-16:20      Which Adjuvant Targeted Therapy, How Many,  
and for How Long?  
Dr. Ahmad Awada

16:20-16:40      Surgical Management of Screen-detected  
Tumors in 2017  
Dr. Faek Jamali

### **16:40-17:00: Tumor Boards Round Table**

#### **Discussions\_1: Breast Cancer, Fertility and Pregnancy**

Moderators: Drs. Hatem A. Azim Jr & Ghina Ghazeeri

PANEL: Drs. Adel Tabchi, Lara Nassar & Arafat Tfayli

**17:00-17:45: Non-CME Lecture: Sponsored by an Unrestricted Educational Grant from Pfizer: The Road Ahead in HR+ HER2-Metastatic Breast Cancer: Are there differences among CDK4/6 inhibitors?**

**Under The Auspices of HE Ghassan Hasbani, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Public Health  
Opening Ceremony**

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**17:45 – 18:30: Opening Ceremony**  
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**18:00: BBCC-6 Opening Ceremony Debate:  
Gefinor Rotana Hotel Conference Room**

#### **Moderator: Journalist Roula Mouawad**

Nagi El-Saghir, MD, President, BBCC-6

Ali Taher, MD, Director, NKBCI, AUBMC

Joseph Makdessi, MD, President, LSMO

Joseph Maroun, MD, President, LSGS

Michel Ghossein, MD, President, LSR

Sami Khatib, MD, President, AMAAC

Nuhad Yazbik-Dumit, RN, PhD, President, ONL

Raymond Sayegh, MD, President, LOP-Beirut

Omar Ayyash, MD, President, LOP-Tripoli

HE DPM Minister of Public Health Mr. Ghassan Hasbani

**Followed by the Special Play وصفولي الصبر**

**18:30: Special Play: Wasafooli Al-Sabr (Prescription: be patient!)**

Written by: Abir Hamdar; Directed by: Lina Abyad

**AUBMC Saab Medical Library Building, 3rd Floor: Dr. Jaber Sawaya Conference Room 300**

## Friday, February 9, 2018



*Naef K. Basile Cancer Institute Breast Center of Excellence  
American University of Beirut Medical Center (AUBMC)*

07:30 Registration

### Rotana A

**08:45am - 12:30pm: 6<sup>th</sup> Oncology Nursing Symposium:**  
Moderators: Dr. Nuhad Doumit, Mrs. Hayat Shriem & Mrs. Zeina Koussa

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| 08:45 – 09:00 | Welcome and Introduction   |
| 09:00 – 09:20 | Shooting for the Stars: Multidisciplinary Care and Accreditation<br><i>Ms. Mariam Al Sabae</i> |
| 09:20 – 09:40 | Oral Chemotherapy Side Effects and Management<br><i>Ms. Latifa Shehab</i>                      |
| 09:40 – 10:00 | IV Chemotherapy Acute Side Effects: Prevention and Management<br><i>Ms. Rola Chehadeh</i>      |
| 10:00 – 10:20 | Shedding Light on Overlooked Symptoms in Breast Cancer<br><i>Ms. Linda Hariss</i>              |
| 10:20 -10:35  | Coffee Break   |
| 10:35 – 10:55 | Spirituality in Cancer<br><i>Dr. Myrna Doumit</i>  |
| 10:55 – 11:15 | Surviving With Psychosocial Support<br><i>Ms. Dina Mouzayen</i>                                |
| 11:15 – 11:35 | Early Palliative Care in Breast Cancer Care<br><i>Ms. Janane Hanna</i>                         |

- Participants who attend the “Oncology Nursing Symposium ” will receive 2.3 contact hours

*The planning committee and the presenter(s) declare no conflict of interest including financial interest in product or company; direct research support, or other form of potential bias.*

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### **11:35-12:30: Panel Med/Nursing/NGO/Press DEBATE: Support of cancer patients in Lebanon**

Moderator: Journalist Rolla Safa (MTV ALIVE Main Anchor)  
 Panel: Dr. Nuhad Yazbik-Dumit (ONL), Dr. Myrna Doumit (LAU), Dr. Hibah Osman (AUBMC & BALSAM), Ms. Zeina Koussa (AUBMC), Ms. Mirna Hoballah (LBCF), Ms. Ann Franjeh (Faire Face), Ms. Rima Dandachi (May Jallad Foundation)

12:30-13:30 LUNCH

**13:30-14:15: Non-CME Lecture: Sponsored by an Unrestricted Educational Grant from Roche: Early Breast Cancer: The Dawn of a New Era**

**14:15-15:00: Non-CME Lecture: Sponsored by an Unrestricted Educational Grant from Lilly: Challenges in treating hormonal sensitive advanced breast cancer & new perspectives**

15:00-15:20 **Special Session on Immunotherapy**  
 IO Principles; Indications and Research in Breast Cancer  
 Dr. Hope Rugo

15:20-16:30: Neoadjuvant therapy Breast Cancer Patients  
Moderators: Drs. Maha Manachi, Marcel Massoud & Arafat Tfayli

15:20-15:40 Neo-adjuvant therapy for HER2+ patients: Mono vs Dual anti-HER2 therapy  
 Dr. Hope Rugo, MD

15:40-16:00 BGICC Cairo & LABC guidelines  
 Dr. Hesham El-Ghazali

16:00-16:20 Advances in Conservative Surgery after  
Neoadjuvant Therapy  
Dr. Eman Sbaity

16:20-16:40 Neoadjuvant Therapy for Older Patients  
Dr. Matti Apro

16:40-17:10 **Coffee Break**

**17:10-18:00 Tumor Boards Round Table Case Discussions\_2**

Case Presentations with focus on various modalities of imaging:

Moderators: Dr. Ghina Berjawi and Dr. Nagi Khouri

PANEL: Drs. Hazem Assi, David Atallah, Fouad Boulos, Fady Geara, Marwan Ghosn, Mahmoud Al-Masri & Arafat Tfayli

**18:00-19:00: Non-CME Lecture: Sponsored by an Unrestricted Educational Grant from AstraZeneca:** New Practice in Metastatic HR+ HER2- Breast Cancer: Faslodex early from the start.

## **Saturday, February 10, 2018**

### **Rotana A**

Saturday Morning General Sessions:

09:00-10:30am: Advances in Breast Cancer Surgery & Adjuvant Therapy

Chairs: Drs. Shadi Al Beshlawi, Assem Hajj, Lara Nassar & Rabih Said

09:00-09:20 Evolution of Imaging and Management of the Axilla with Reference to Z0011 and Z1071  
Dr. Nagi Khouri, MD

09:20-09:40 Management of Locally Recurrent Breast Cancer  
Dr. Mahmoud Al-Masri

09:40-10:00 Breast Reconstruction in Patients with LABC  
Dr. Salim Saba

- 10:00-10:15 Positive Margins and LN after Neoadjuvant Therapy  
Dr. Jaber Abbas
- 10:15-10:30 Chemotherapy and Surgery of Pregnant Patients with LABC  
Dr. Hatem A Azim Jr.
- 10:30-10:50 Coffee Break
- 10:50-11:30: Tumor Boards Round Table Case Discussions\_3**  
PANEL: Drs. George Chahine, Reine Fahed, Imad Hajj, Khaled Ibrahim, Joseph Makdessi, Lara Nassar & Ziad Salem
- 11:30-12:30: Non-CME Lecture: Sponsored by an Unrestricted Educational Grant from by Novartis: Kisqali<sup>®</sup>: Power that redefines First Line**
- 12:30-13:30 Lunch
- 13:30-15:30**  
Next Monday Morning Clinic Session: Early and Metastatic Breast Cancer  
Moderators: Drs. Al Hadi Al Seoudi, Joseph Kattan & Ahmad Younis
- 13:30-13:50 St. Gallen 2017 Guidelines for Early Breast Cancer  
Dr. Hikmat Abdel-Razeq
- 13:50-14:10 Sequencing of Hormonal Therapy and Overcoming Resistance  
Dr. Hamdy A. Azim
- 14:10-14:30 Dual Targeted Therapy for HER2-positive MBC  
Dr. Alaa Kandil
- 14:30-14:50 Utility and Future of Genomic Profiling in Metastatic Breast Cancer  
Dr. Marwan Ghosn
- 14:50-15:10 ABC4 (ESO/ESMO) Guidelines for Advanced Breast Cancer  
Dr. Nagi El Saghir

### **15:10-16:00: Oral Presentations and Prizes for Best Posters**

(Posters will be on display throughout the conference)

Moderators: Doctors Matti Aapro, Hatem A. Azim Jr, Joseph Kattan, Hamdy Azim, Alaa Kandil, Hikmat AbdelRazeq, Fady Geara

- 15:10 – 15:20      Expression Analysis of Pro-Survival Pathways mRNA markers in Basal-like Breast Cancer Subtype  
Presented by Dr. Rola F. Jaafar  
Authors: Rola F. Jaafar, PhD<sup>1,2</sup>; Adrienne Gorman, PhD<sup>2</sup>; Walid Faraj, MD<sup>1</sup>  
1 Department of Surgery, American University of Beirut Medical Center  
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- 15:20 – 15:30      Different inhibitors for the same target but is there any difference?  
Presented by Dr. Elie El Rassy  
Authors: Elie El Rassy, Marwan Ghosn, Ziad Bakouny, Tarek Assi, Joseph Kattan  
1Oncology department, Saint Joseph University, Faculty of Medicine, Beirut, Lebanon
- 15:30 – 15:40      HER2-positive Breast cancer at the American University of Beirut 2005-2015  
Presented by Dr. Paul El Tomb  
Authors: Drs. Paul El Tomb, Johny Fares, Nour Moukalled, Rana Salem, Layal Al Mahmasani, Maya Charafeddine, Fouad Boulos, Lara Nassar, Arafat Tfayli, Hazem Assi, Sally Temraz, Faek Jamali, Eman Sbaity, Jaber Abbas, Ziad Salem, Fadi Geara, Ali Shamseddine, Nagi El Saghir  
American University of Beirut Medical Center, Beirut Lebanon
- 15:40 – 15:50      Long – term Survival of HER2-positive Metastatic Breast Cancer  
Presented by Dr. Nour Moukalled  
Authors: Drs. Nour Moukalled, Rana Salem, Paul El Tomb, Johny Fares, Maya Charafeddine,



Bassem El Saghir, Arafat Tfayli, Hazem Assi, Ali Shamseddine, Ziad Salem, Nagi El Saghir  
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- 15:50 – 16:00 Outcome of Early and Locally Advanced HER2-positive Breast Cancer at the American University of Beirut Medical Center  
Presented by Dr. Johny Fares  
Authors: Drs. Johny Fares, Paul El Tomb, Nour Moukalled, Rana Salem, Layal Al Mahmasani, Maya Charafeddine, Ghina Berjawi, Arafat Tfayli, Hazem Assi, Bassem Youssef, Ali Shamseddine, Ziad Salem, Nagi El Saghir  
American University of Beirut Medical Center,  
Beirut Lebanon
- 16:00 – 16:10 Phyllodes Tumors of the Breast Treated in a Tertiary Health Care Center  
Presented by Dr. Fares Sukhon  
Authors: Hazem Assi, MD1\*, Rana Salem, MD1\*, Fares Sukhon, MD1, Mohamad Srouf, MD1, Jaber Abbas, MD2, Nagi El Saghir, MD1.  
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## Rotana B

### Saturday Morning Parallel Session:

09:00 – 13:00: Pharmacotherapy Updates – Pharmacy Session  
(3.5 CE)

Chairpersons: Dr. Ulfat Usta & Dr. Rony Zeenny

- 09:00-09:30 Chemotherapy Sequencing in Breast Cancer Protocols  
Ms. Fatima Ismail
- 09:30 – 10:00 Chemotherapy Allergies, Management and Desensitization

Ms. Maha Wazne

- 10:00 – 10:30 Oral Cancer Medications: A New Shift in Breast Cancer Treatment and the Pharmacist's Role in Addressing New Challenges  
Dr. Rhea Saad
- 10:30 – 11:00 DVT Treatment for Cancer Patients: Chest Guideline Updates  
Dr. Hyatt Assafiri
- 11:00 – 11:30 Coffee Break
- 11:30 – 13:00 Workshop Biosimilar for Biologic Products in Breast Cancer  
Dr. Ulfat Usta

14:30-16:30: Special Breast Imaging Case-Based Session  
(in collaboration with LSR)

Moderators: Drs. Sami Faddoul & Nagi Khouri

- 14:30-14:50 Recent Advances in Breast Cancer Screening  
Dr. Nagi Khouri
- 14:45-15:00 Recent Advances in Mammographic Screening Imaging  
Dr. Christine Salem
- 15:00-15:15 Recent Advances in MRI Screening Imaging  
Dr. Ghina Berjawi
- 15:15-15:30 Breast Cancer Screening in Egypt  
Dr. Durria Salem
- 15:30-16:00 Breast imaging Case Discussions

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15:00 – 17:00 Saturday Afternoon Parallel Session: NGO  
Workshop

Chairpersons: Ziad Hamdan & Asma Hoballah