

# e-Masterclass

## on Systemic Sclerosis Interstitial Lung Disease (SSc ILD)

A Collaborative Endeavor by the World Scleroderma Foundation,  
Greek Rheumatology Society, & Greek Thoracic Society

Friday, April 19, 2024  
10:20-17:00

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# Programme

Friday, April 19th

Fully Virtual Online Format

10.20 AM

## WELCOME AND OPENING

Opening Remarks by *Marco Matucci-Cerinic-WSF, Petros P. Sfikakis*

10.30 AM - 1.00 PM

## SESSION 1: STATE OF THE ART LECTURES ON ILD SSC

A series of expert-led discussions exploring the latest in ILD SSC research and practice

**Chairs:** *Demosthenes Bouros, Stamatis-Nick Liossis, Argyris Tzouvelekis, Paraskevi Voulgaris*

- Pathophysiology of ILD in SSC - *Theofanis Karageorgas*
- Risk Stratification in SSc-ILD - *Theodoros Dimitroulas*
- Progression of Pulmonary Fibrosis in CTD and SSc - *Demosthenes Bouros*
- The contribution of HRCT to the diagnosis and follow up of ILD SSc - *Vasilios Tzilas*
- How to screen for progressive ILD in SSc (incl future techniques) - *Vasileios Kouranos*
- Outcome measures of ILD SSc to be used in practice - *Yanick Allanore*
- Are BAL and lung biopsy necessary today in ILD? - *Sara Tomassetti*

1.00 PM - 1.30 PM

## BREAK AND NETWORKING

1.30 PM - 3.00 PM

## SESSION 2: THE TREATMENT OF SSc ILD

In-depth analysis of current and emerging treatments for SSc ILD

**Chairs:** *Katerina Antoniou, Petros P. Sfikakis, Dimitrios Daoussis*

- Immunosuppressants, current practice: CYC, MMF Tocilizumab & RTX for SSc-ILD - *Stylianos Panopoulos*
- Antifibrotic therapy for SSc ILD and the contribution of NTD - *George Margaritopoulos*
- Combination therapy for SSc-ILD - *Dimitrios Daoussis*

3.00 PM - 4.00 PM

## SESSION 3: CURRENT PRACTICE OF MANAGEMENT OF SSc-ILD

Case studies and discussions on SSc-ILD management

**Chairs:** *Prodromos Sidiroopoulos, Theodoros Dimitroulas, Christina Katsiari*

- Cases of first diagnosed SSc-ILD - *Theodora Simopoulou, Elias Dimeas*
- Cases of progressive SSc-ILD - *Vasiliki-Kalliopi Bourni, Ourania Papaioannou*
- Cases of SSc-ILD plus PAH - *Argyro Repa, Eirini Vasarmidi*

4.00 PM - 4.30 PM

## GRAND ROUND:

A keynote presentation followed by an interactive Q&A session

**Chair:** *Dimitrios Daoussis* - **Speaker:** *Argyris Tzouvelekis*

5.00 PM

**CLOSING:** by *Petros P. Sfikakis & Marco Matucci-Cerinic*