ELPAT ESOT | The European Platform on Ethical, Legal and Psychosocial Aspects of Organ Transplantation

ELPAT Congress 2025 | At A Glance

DAY 1
THURSDAY, 9 OCTOBER 2025

- 17:00 – 18:30: **Plenary Opening** – Navigating ethical complexity in Xenotransplantation
- 19:00 – 20:30: **Networking Event & Poster Viewing**

DAY 2
FRIDAY, 10 OCTOBER 2025

- 9:00 – 10:00: Organ donation after euthanasia: the evolving boundary of dying and saving lives
- 10:30 – 11:30: **Coffee Break**
- 11:30 – 12:30: **FOCUS SESSION 1**: Public Trust in Organ Donation and Transplantation
- 11:30 – 12:30: **FOCUS SESSION 2:** Inequitable access to transplantation: Why confronting and eliminating inequity matters
- 11:30 – 12:30: **FOCUS SESSION 3:** Joint ELPAT/EDTCO: Every time a deceased child's organ isn't used the world is sadder
- 12:30 – 13:30: **Lunch Break**
- 13:30 – 14:30: **FULL ORAL SESSION 1:** Ethics, Society and Law
- 13:30 – 14:30: **FULL ORAL SESSION 2:** Cultural considerations
- 13:30 – 14:30: **FULL ORAL SESSION 3:** Pediatric Donation and Transplantation
- 14:00 – 14:30: Break
- 14:30 – 15:30: **WORKSHOP 1:** Criteria for ethical donation after euthanasia
- 14:30 – 15:30: **WORKSHOP 2:** Shared decision-making in living organ donation – The Moral Matrix
- 14:30 – 15:30: **WORKSHOP 3**: Transplant opportunities for children with complex neuro-disability and/or chromosomal abnormalities
- 15:30 – 16:00: Coffee Break
- 16:00 – 17:00: **FULL ORAL:** End of life decisions in organ donation
- 16:00 – 17:00: **FULL ORAL**: Living donation
- 16:00 – 17:00: **FULL ORAL:** Advances in transplant technology
- 17:00 – 17:30: Break
- 17:30 – 18:30: **FOCUS SESSION 1:** Living kidney trade in the 21st century: lessons learnt from criminal cases
- 17:30 – 18:30: **FOCUS SESSION 2:** Joint PC/ELITA session: Equity of access in transplantation in Alcoholic liver disease
- 17:30 – 18:30: **FOCUS SESSION 3:** Bioartificial organs and the rise of new generation biocyborgs: Where medical device technology, cellular therapy and artificial intelligence intersect
- 19:30 – 20:30: Faculty Dinner

DAY 3
SATURDAY, 11 OCTOBER 2025

- 8:30 – 9:30: Emerging Technologies in transplantation – Ethical aspects
- 10:00 – 10:30: Coffee Break
- 10:30 – 11:30: **FULL ORAL SESSION 1:** Global mobility and organ trade
- 10:30 – 11:30: **FULL ORAL SESSION 2:** Psychosocial aspects
- 10:30 – 11:30: **FULL ORAL SESSION 3:** Advances in transplant technology
- 11:30 – 12:30: **Lunch Break**
- 12:30 – 13:30: **WORKSHOP 1:** Should we allow payments for organs if the general public agrees? Discussing the latest research and legislative proposals
- 12:30 – 13:30: **WORKSHOP 2:** Transplant Psychiatry: managing challenging patients
- 12:30 – 13:30: **WORKSHOP 3:** Joint ELPAT/Basic Science committee session: The scientific and ethical landscape of biobanking biobanking
- 13:30 – 14:00: Break
- 14:00 – 15:00: **FOCUS SESSION:** Consent to machine perfusion
- 14:00 – 15:00: **FOCUS SESSION:** Joint ELPAT/EKITA: Access to living donation across Europe
- 14:00 – 15:00: **FOCUS SESSION:** Joint ELPAT/ETAHP: How to support coherence and adaptation after solid organ transplantation
- 15:30 – 16:30: **Plenary Closing:** The human factor and the future of transplantation

ELPAT Congress Sessions | **Network Event & Poster Viewing** | **Lunch & Breaks**

*This programme may be subject to change
(Last update 12/03/2025)