

# PTCOG 2020 Online

## PTCOG BNCT Working Group

### Invitation

Due to the Corona pandemic, the PTCOG meeting in 2020 will be organized online. We would like to invite you to join the meeting of the PTCOG BNCT Working Group. This Working Group was established during the PTCOG congress 2019 in Manchester to make a link between BNCT and other hadron therapies for cancer treatment.

As co-chairpersons were elected:

Stuart GREEN  
Koji ONO  
Gustavo SANTA CRUZ  
Wolfgang SAUERWEIN

Our coordinator person at the PTCOG is Huan GIAP

We now can start to organize our collaboration. This committee is open to physicians, physicists, biologist, (bio-)chemist, engineers and vendors. Anyone who is interested in clinical BNCT is invited to join this meeting.

It will be organized as a ZOOM conference call on

**September 11, 2020 at 13:00 MEST\***  
**(7 am Eastern Standard Time and 8 pm 日本標準時)**

and will last 90 minutes

If you did not attend the founding meeting but would like to participate in the PTCOG BNCT Working Group, please send your contact information to

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to receive an invitation to participating in the ZOOM meeting.

# Program

We have to identify and discuss tasks and distribute them to volunteers. The preliminary topics are listed below, please feel free to contact us for further topics to be discussed.

- 1) Create electronic library of clinical trials: past and present
- 2) Create electronic library of seminal publications on BNCT
- 3) Create Directory of BNCT centers (past, current, and planning stage) and contact persons
- 4) Organize and planning of the Scientific and Educational sessions at PTCOG meetings
- 5) Organize and planning of the Scientific and Educational sessions at ASTRO and ESTRO meetings
- 6) Generate and publish white papers on BNCT
- 7) Organize a special edition on BNCT in IJPT
- 8) Collaborating with other BNCT organizations (ISNCT, national BNCT Societies) in:
  - (a) Planning of clinical trials on BNCT
  - (b) Standards and Guidelines for treatment planning, dose prescription, reporting, and verification
- 9) Collaborating with technology vendors and pharmaceuticals in advancing BNCT.
- 10) Creating patient education and information about BNCT

We hope for many participants!

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