



Clinical Workshop Rare cancers

October 29th , 14.00-18.00 (+ networking till 19.00), Location: Bar Beton, Utrecht Central.

Chairs: Henk Verheul (Erasmus MC) and Wilbert Zwart (Oncode Investigator & NKI)

13.30-14.00	Coffee/walk-in
14:00 – 14.10	Marlinde Smit – Oncode Institute, Welcome and introduction
14:10-14.30	Carla van Herpen - Radboud UMC <i>Title: Rare Cancers: Challenging, Crucial, Not So Rare. Insights from Salivary Gland Cancer Research</i>
14:30-14.50	Wilbert Zwart – NKI <i>Title: the RADAR-study: joining forces to combat rare cancers</i>
14:50-15.10	Annemiek Walenkamp - UMCG (Force Initiative) <i>Title: TBD</i>
15:10-15:30	Winette van der Graaf - AVL (Sarcoma) <i>Title: TBD</i>
15:35 – 15:55	Jarno Drost - Princess Máxima Center (rare cancers in children) <i>Title: TBD</i>
15:55-16:25	Break 30 min + walk to break out rooms
16:25-17:25	Brainstorm sessions in different break-out rooms*
17.25-17:30	Back to plenary
17:30-18.10	Summary brainstorm and general discussion
18:10	Networking drinks

***Topics:**

1. How to maximally benefit from Genomic insights into Rare Cancers, from Novel targets towards new therapies?
2. How to maximizing the impact of Biobanking in Rare Cancer Research and the development of novel ex vivo model systems for translational research?
3. How to best design drug repurposing efforts and the use of existing therapeutics in rare cancers?
4. From n=1 to n=many: Can we convert the scattered landscape of rare cancer research into overarching themes and reveal shared biology, towards commonly shared therapeutic strategies?