



IFPA 2025

Erfurt | 17th–20th September 2025



WEDNESDAY | SEPTEMBER 17, 2025

Pre-conference	Clinical Satellite Symposium in Jena, Germany	
10:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.	IFPA Executive Committee Meeting (by invitation only)	Salon Liszt
12:30 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.	IFPA Executive Committee Lunch (by invitation only)	Salon Liszt
1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.	Awards Committee Meeting (by invitation only)	Salon Liszt
3:00 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.	Opening Address	Kaisersaal
3:15 p.m. – 4:15 p.m.	Joan Hunt IFPA Senior Award Lecture	Kaisersaal
4:15 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.	Presentation of the New Investigators Travel Awards	Kaisersaal
4:30 p.m. – 11:00 p.m.	Medieval Reception at Leuchtenburg Castle	



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THURSDAY | SEPTEMBER 18, 2025

7:00 a.m. – 8:00 a.m.	Optional: IFPA Run Club	
9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.	Plenary Session I – Emerging methods and novel technologies	Kaisersaal
10:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	Coffee break	Exhibition Area
11:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.	Elsevier Placenta New Investigator Award Presentations – Part 1	Kaisersaal
12:30 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.	Lunch break	Exhibition Area
	Placenta Editorial Board Meeting (by invitation only)	Salon Liszt
1:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.	Placenta function in health and disease	Kaisersaal
	Tiny Talks, EV Talks: Messages that Shape Pregnancy	Salon Paganini
	Decoding Placental Function: Insights from Animal Models	Salon Schumann
3:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Coffee break	Exhibition Area
4:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.	Elsevier Trophoblast Research Award Lecture	Kaisersaal
4:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	Poster Session	
8:30 p.m. – 11:00 p.m.	Early Every Career Researchers Function	



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FRIDAY | SEPTEMBER 19, 2025

8:30 p.m. – 9:20 p.m.	IFPA Regional Meeting: EPG	Kaisersaal
	IFPA Regional Meeting: JPA	Salon Liszt
	IFPA Regional Meeting: ANZPRA	Salon Paganini
	IFPA Regional Meeting: PAA	Salon Schumann
9:30 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.	IFPA Award in Placentology Lecture	Kaisersaal
10:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	Coffee break	Exhibition Area
11:00 a.m. – 12:30 a.m.	Elsevier Placenta New Investigator Award Presentations – Part 2	Kaisersaal
12:30 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.	Lunch break	Exhibition Area
	Mentoring Lunch Session - So, We Got Matched... Then What?	Kaisersaal
1:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.	Pregnancy in vitro models: Shaping the Future of Innovation and Impact	Kaisersaal
	Global Environmental Pollutants: Challenges for Placental Function	Salon Paganini
	Crossing identities – the many shades of Microchimerism	Salon Schumann
3:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Coffee break	Exhibition Area
4:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Plenary Session II – Genetic History of Europe: Adaptation and Migration in prehistory	Kaisersaal
5:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.	Poster Session	



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SATURDAY | SEPTEMBER 20, 2025

9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	NIH Lecture	Kaisersaal
10:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.	Plenary Session III – The evolution of fetal-maternal communication in eutherian mammals	Kaisersaal
10:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	Coffee break	Exhibition Area
11:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.	Plenary Session IV – Crossing Boundaries in Placental Research	Kaisersaal
12:30 p.m. – 1:15 p.m.	Lunch break	Exhibition Area
	Final Poster Judging	
1:15 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.	Effect of maternal health on placental vasculature; Listen to Mum!	Kaisersaal
	Placental nutrient and drug transport in health and disease	Salon Paganini
	The placental transcriptome in health and disease	Salon Schumann
3:30 p.m. – 4:15 p.m.	Andre Gruslin Award Lecture	Kaisersaal
4:15 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.	Closing Remarks	Kaisersaal
4:30 p.m. – 5:15 p.m.	Awards Committee Meeting (by invitation only)	Salon Paganini
7:00 p.m. – late	Key lecture and dinner	Kaisersaal