

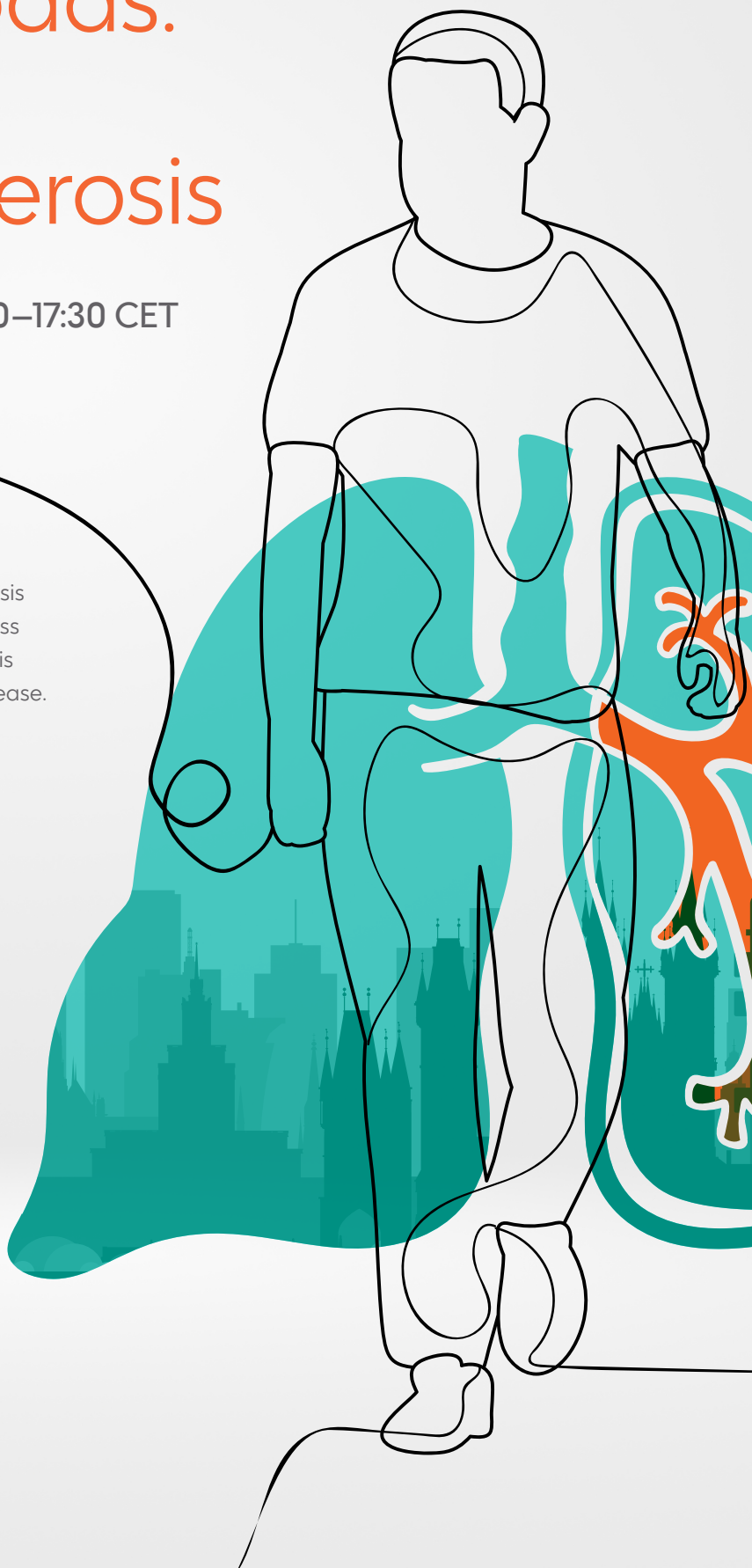
New Paths, New Crossroads: Seeing into Systemic Sclerosis

🕒 Thursday, 14th March 2024, 17:00–17:30 CET

📍 Forum Hall, 2nd floor

Join GSK Medical Affairs at the 8th Systemic Sclerosis World Congress for an industry symposium to discuss the latest developments in the immunopathogenesis of systemic sclerosis-associated interstitial lung disease. This symposium will encourage medical education between the speakers and the audience.

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Symposium agenda:

- **17:00 Setting the scene:** Challenges and unmet needs in SSc-ILD – Professor Christopher Denton
- **17:05 Research in review:** Latest findings on SSc-ILD immunopathogenesis – Professor Denton and Professor Jörg Distler
- **17:20 Live audience and feedback discussion** moderated by Professors Denton and Distler

Meet our speakers



Professor Christopher Denton

Christopher Denton is Professor of Experimental Rheumatology at UCL and Consultant Rheumatologist and Head of the Centre for Rheumatology, Royal Free Hospital in London. He leads a large clinical program in scleroderma at the Royal Free Hospital and coordinates multidisciplinary care for more than 1500 patients. Professor Denton's research focuses on understanding the underlying molecular and cellular mechanisms that give rise to scleroderma; this involves abnormalities of the immune system, vasculature, and fibrogenic cells.



Professor Jörg Distler

Jörg Distler is Professor of Rheumatology at the Heinrich Heine University in Düsseldorf and Director, Department of Rheumatology at the University Clinic Düsseldorf. His research focuses on the molecular mechanisms underlying the aberrant tissue responses in fibrotic diseases and the development of novel strategies for therapeutic intervention. He is on the editorial board of several leading journals in rheumatology and is the spokesperson of the German Network of SSc.

This non-promotional GSK-funded and organised session at the 8th Systemic Sclerosis World Congress will be available to registered healthcare professional attendees of the congress.

