

## AGENDA DESCRIPTION

<b>Symposium Mendoza - May, 18th</b>		
Time	Title	Speaker
<b>Day 5 - May 18th</b>		
08:30 - 08:45	Introduction	
08:45 - 09:45	Early and pre-clinical Rheumatoid Arthritis: Etiology, natural history and novel pathogenic and therapeutic concepts.	Jose U. Scher, MD
09:45 - 10:45	Rheumatoid arthritis: Current approaches to RA treatment (Treat to target concept and T2T trials, new biologic agents, classification and remission criteria and their impact on RA management)	Yusuf Yazici, MD
10:45 - 11:00	Break	
11:00 - 12:00	Review of T2T and How to implement in US and Argentina	Jose U Scher, MD, (Speaker local)
12:00 - 12:45	Measures in RA: Joint counts, X-rays and imaging, laboratory tests, and patient questionnaires: advantages and limitations	Theodore Pincus, MD
12:45 - 13:45	Lunch	
13:45 - 14:30	Are psycho-socio-economic problems as important as immunologic abnormalities in care and outcomes of rheumatic and most chronic diseases?	Theodore Pincus, MD
14:30 - 15:30	Current state of RA treatment in Cuyo	Dr. Cristian Moreno Dr. Carlos Videla (a conf.)
15:30 - 15:45	Break	
15:45-17:15	Round table discussion: "Controversies in RA diagnosis: Implications for RCT and routine care"	All faculty
17:15 - 17:30	Closing remarks	