



Presentations of BAY 43-9006 at the 2004 Annual Meeting of the American Society of Clinical Oncology (ASCO)

Time	Presentation Title	Abstract #	Speaker	Type
Saturday, 6/5/04	Preliminary antitumor activity of BAY 43-9006 in metastatic renal cell carcinoma and other advanced refractory solid tumors in a phase II randomized discontinuation trial (RDT).	4501	Mark J. Ratain, MD	Integrated Education Sessions
Sunday, 6/6/04	A randomized phase I clinical and biologic study of two schedules of BAY 43-9006 in patients with myelodysplastic syndrome (MDS) or acute myeloid leukemia (AML): A National Cancer Institute of Cancer Clinical Trials Group Study.	6611 (Poster #: L11)	Michael Crump, MD	General Poster Sessions
Sunday, 6/6/04	BAY 43-9006 in patients with advanced melanoma: The Royal Marsden experience.	7506	Tanya Ahmad, MRCP	Oral Presentation Sessions
Sunday, 6/6/04	Phase I/II trial of BAY 43-9006, carboplatin (C) and paclitaxel (P) demonstrates preliminary antitumor activity in the expansion cohort of patients with metastatic melanoma.	7507	Keith T. Flaherty, MD	Oral Presentation Sessions
Monday, 6/7/04	A phase I/II trial of BAY 43-9006 and gemcitabine in advanced solid tumors and in advanced pancreatic cancer.	3059 (Poster #: M9)	Lillian L. Siu, MD	General Poster Sessions
Monday, 6/7/04	Results of a phase I trial of BAY 43-9006 in combination with doxorubicin in patients with refractory solid tumors.	3049 (Poster #: L10)	Heike Richly, MD	General Poster Sessions
Monday, 6/7/04	Results of a phase I trial of BAY 43-9006 in combination with oxaliplatin in patients with refractory solid tumors.	3056 (Poster #: M6)	Petra Kupsch, MD	General Poster Sessions
Tuesday, 6/8/04	Pharmacodynamic study of the raf kinase inhibitor BAY 43-9006: Mechanisms of hypertension.	2035 (Poster #: 25)	Maria Luisa Veronese, MD	Poster Discussion Sessions

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