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19th International Conference on Behçet's Disease

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Scientific Program

SESSION 1 - Basic and Translational Science

SESSION 3 - Genetics and Epidemiology : Is it all in the genes?

SESSION 5 - Challenges in Diagnosis

SESSION 2 Difficult to Treat Behçet's Disease
SESSION 4 - Difficult to Treat Behçet's Disease

SESSION 6 - Treatment - WIN (what is new)

SPECIAL SESSION - Towards A Treat-To-Target Strategy

Keynote speakers: George Tsokos (USA), John Ioannidis (USA), George Kollias (Greece)

Immune Cell Signaling, Gene Transcription and Mechanisms of Tissue Injury

George Tsokos

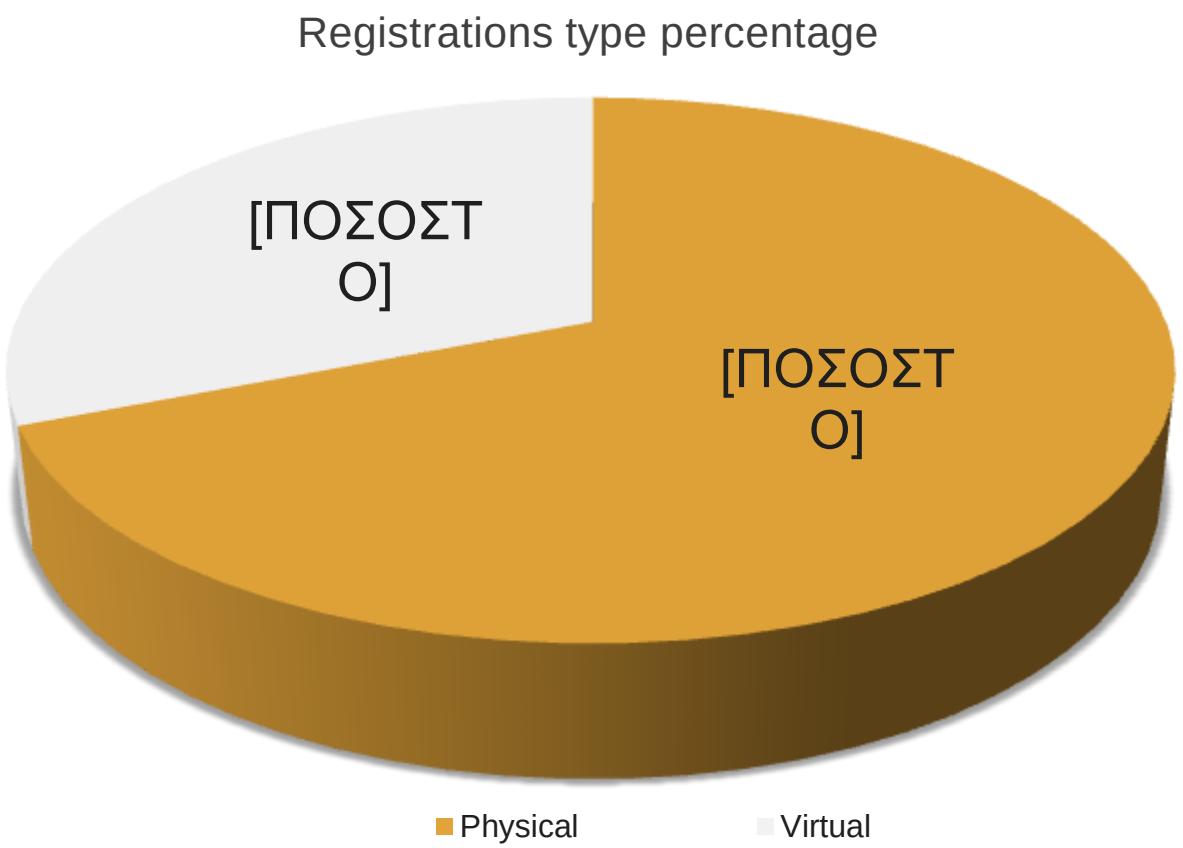
Reproducible and useful research on risk factors and treatments

John Ioannidis

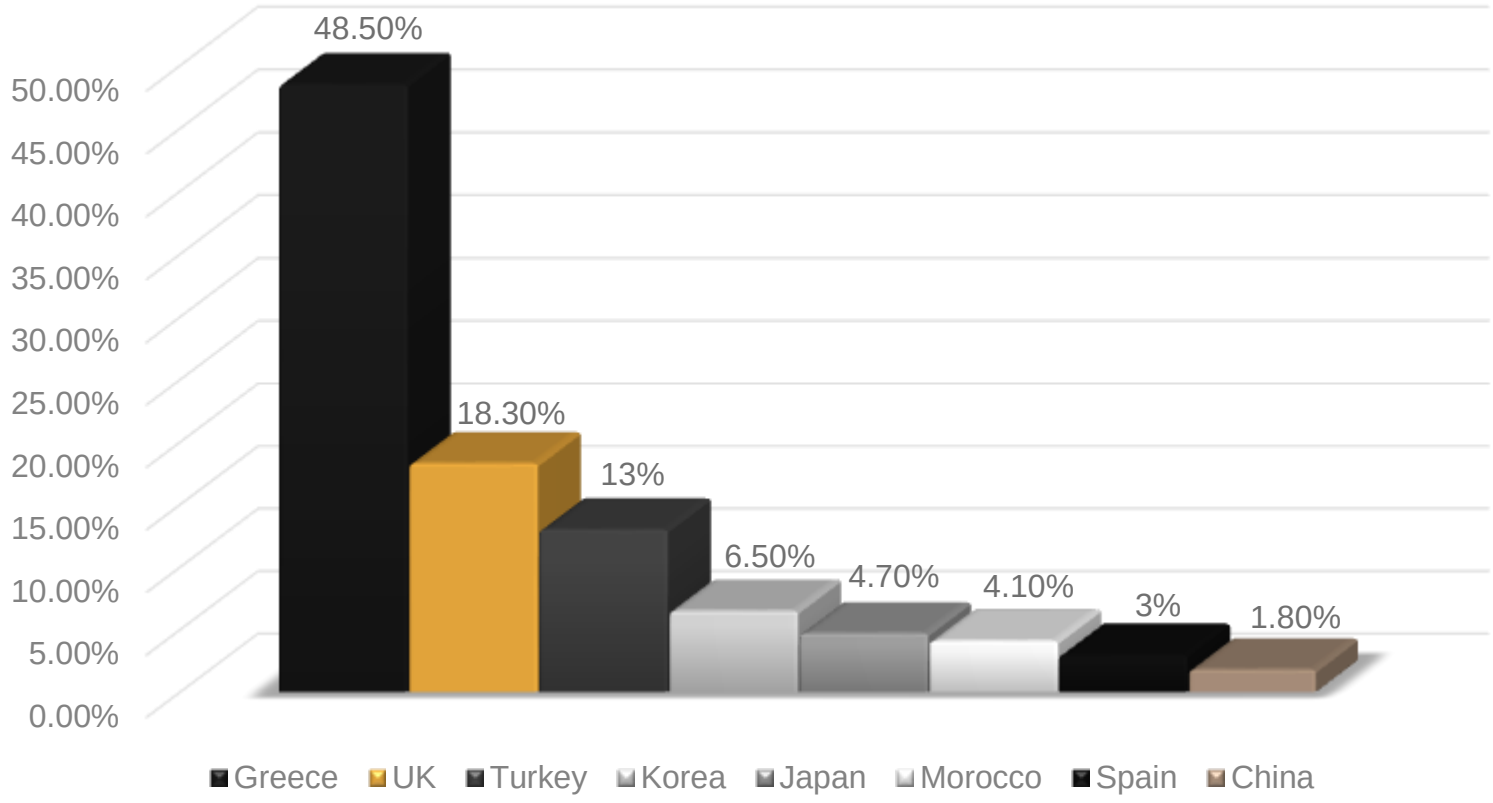
The journey of TNF blockade

George Kollias

257 Registrations in total

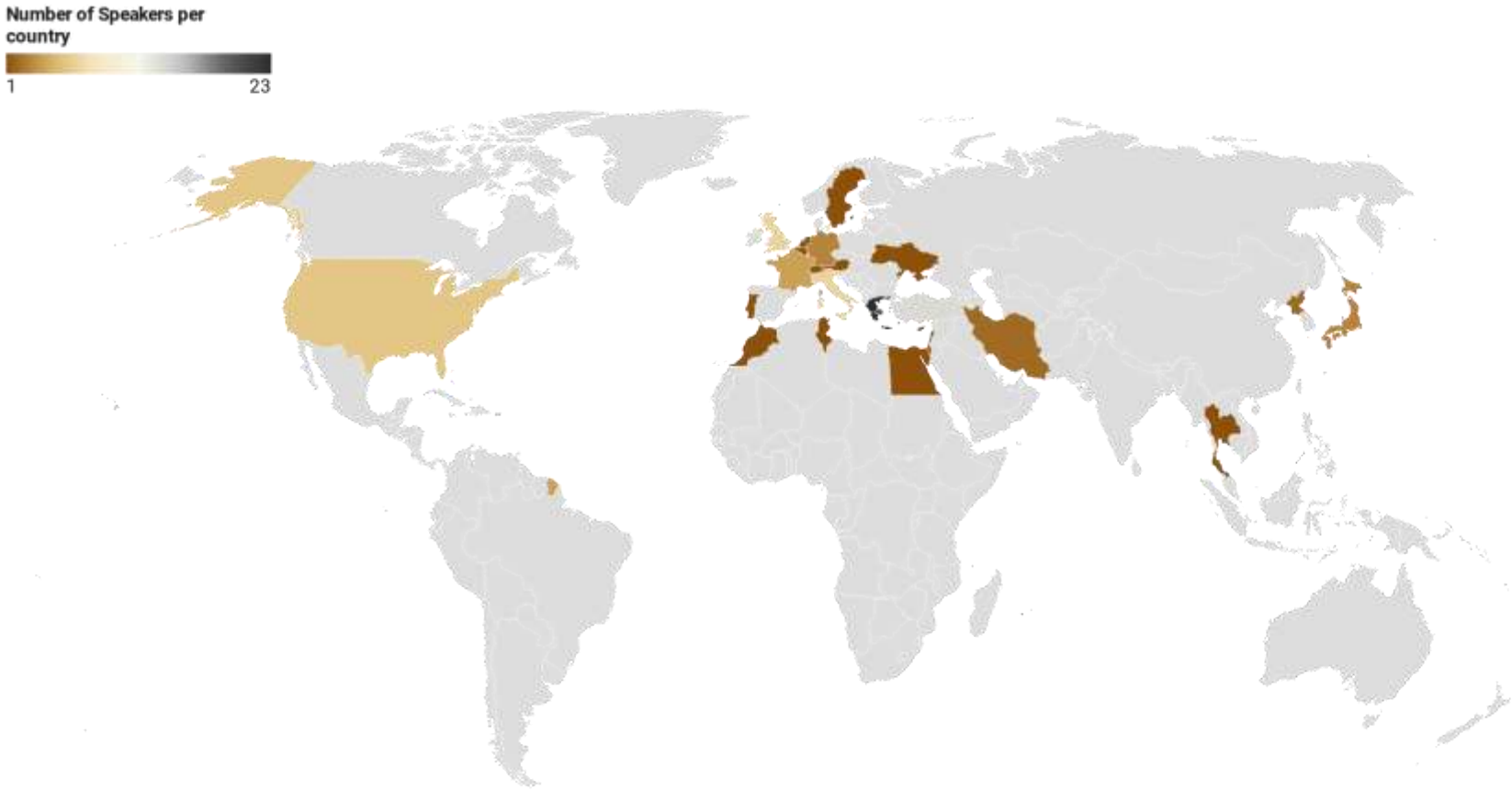


Top 8 Participants Country of origin



(Including Speakers, Chairs, Pharma)

61 (16 virtual) Speakers & Chairs
Country (n=24) of Origin



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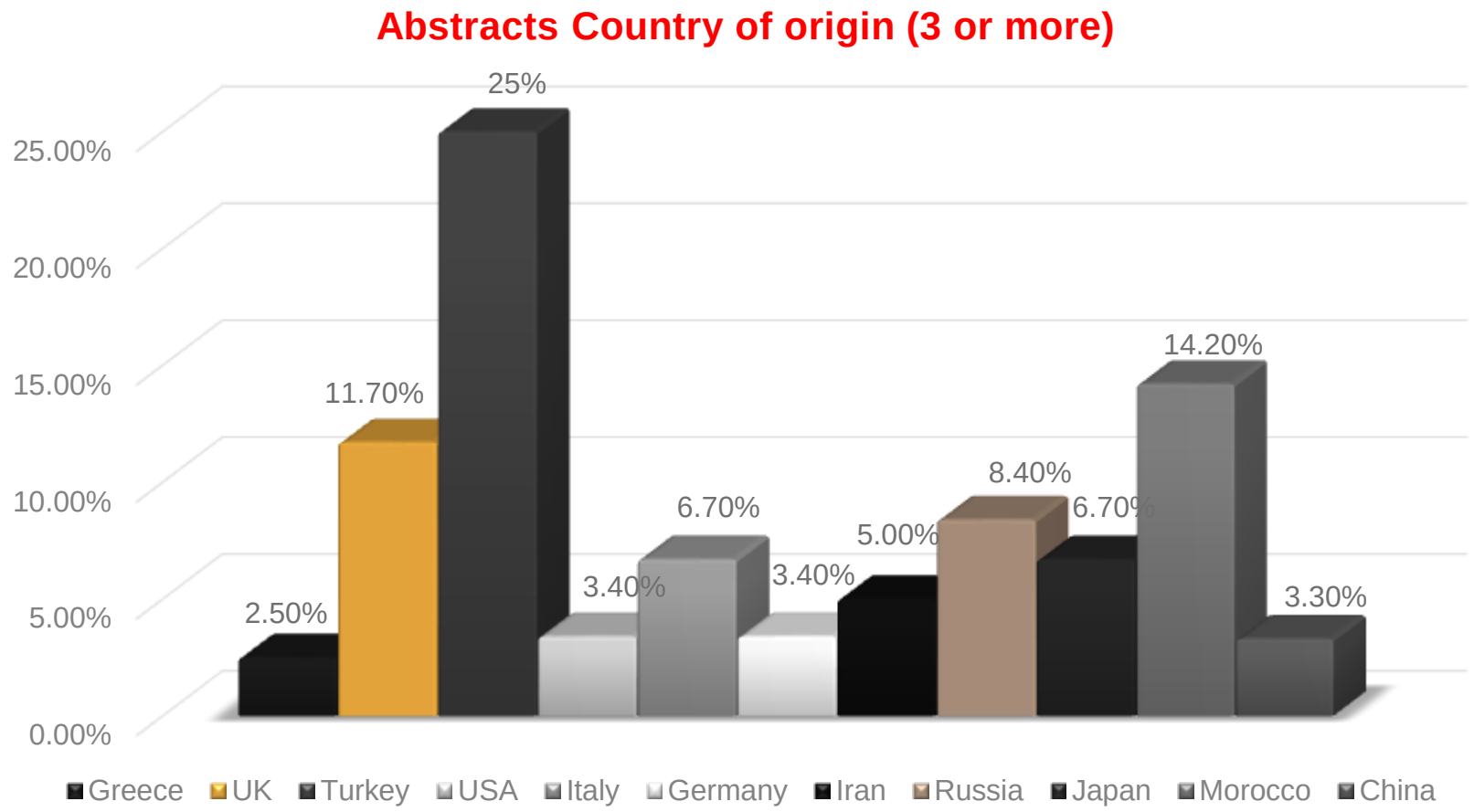
GREECE	23
TURKEY	14
GERMANY	3
ISRAEL	1
FRANCE	4
UK	7
ITALY	7
SWEDEN	1
KOREA	2
IRAN	2
LEBANON	1
TUNISIA	1
USA	6
JAPAN	3
SWITZERLAND	1
CYPRUS	1
AUSTRIA	1
PORTUGAL	1
MOROCCO	1
EGYPT	1
BELGIUM	1
THAILAND	1
NETHERLANDS	1
UKRAINE	1

61 Speakers in total, 16 of which are virtual

119 Abstracts in the Abstract book, 113 e-Posters

and 6 selected for Oral Presentation (Investigator Awards)



High quality original research in ICBD 2022 ….. (despite COVID)

6 Investigator awards

O01	Linlin	Cheng	Proteomic landscape mapping of organ-resolved Behçet's disease using in-depth plasma proteomics for identifying HABP2 expression associated with vascular damage
O02	Wenjie	Zheng	Single-cell analyses highlight the proinflammatory contribution of C1q-high monocytes to Behçet's disease
O03	Johannes	Nowatzky	A genetically and immunologically discernable BD endotype entails HLA class I-restricted oligoclonal CD8 effector T cell expansions
O04	Amr	Sawalha	Sex-specific analysis in Behçet's disease reveals higher genetic risk in male patients
O05	Heera	Lee	A therapy strategy to combat immunosenescence of Behçet's disease
O06	Robert	Moots	BioBehçet's: Optimal utilisation of biologic drugs in Behçet's Disease: a randomised controlled trial of infliximab vs alpha interferon, with genotyping and metabolomic profiling, towards a stratified medicines approach to treatment

….and the published papers (4/6) in high-impact journals !

Arthritis & Rheumatology

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Proteomic landscape mapping of organ-resolved Behçet's syndrome using in-depth plasma proteomics for identifying HABP2 expression associated with vascular involvement

Linlin Cheng PhD, Dongxue Wang PhD, Zhimian Wang MD, Haolong Li BS, Guibin Wang MS, Ziyan Wu PhD, Meng Xu MS, Songxin Yan BS, Haoting Zhan BS, Hongye Wang MS ... See all authors

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Sex-specific analysis in Behçet's disease reveals higher genetic risk in male patients

Yun Gun Jo [a], Lourdes Ortiz-Fernández [a], Patrick Coit [a], Vuslat Yilmaz [b], Sibel P. Yentür [b], Fatma Alibaz-Oner [c], Kenan Aksu [d], Eren Erken [e], Nursen Düzgün [f], Gokhan Keser [d], Ayse Cefle [g], Ayten Yazici [g], Andac Ergen [h], Erkan Alpsoy [i], Carlo Salvarani [j], Bünyamin Kısacık [k], Ina Kötter [l], Jörg Henes [m], Muhammet Çınar [n], Arne Schaefer [o] ... Amr H. Sawalha [a, p, q, **]

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Behçet's disease risk-variant HLA-B51/ERAP1-Hap10 alters human CD8 T cell immunity

Ann Cayers [1], Matthias Christian Kugler [2], Yesim Ozguler [1, 3, 4], Arshed Fahad Al-Obeidi [5], Gulen Hatemi [3, 4], Beatrix M Ueberheide [6], Didar Ucar [6, 7], Olivier Manches [8, 9], Johannes Nowatzky [1, 10]

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ARTICLES | FRONT MATTER | AUTHORS | TOPICS

RESEARCH ARTICLE | IMMUNOLOGY AND INFLAMMATION

Single-cell analyses highlight the proinflammatory contribution of C1q-high monocytes to Behçet's disease

Wenjie Zheng [a], Xiaoman Wang [a], Jinjing Liu [a], +12, and How-Zao Chen [a] | Authors Info & Affiliations

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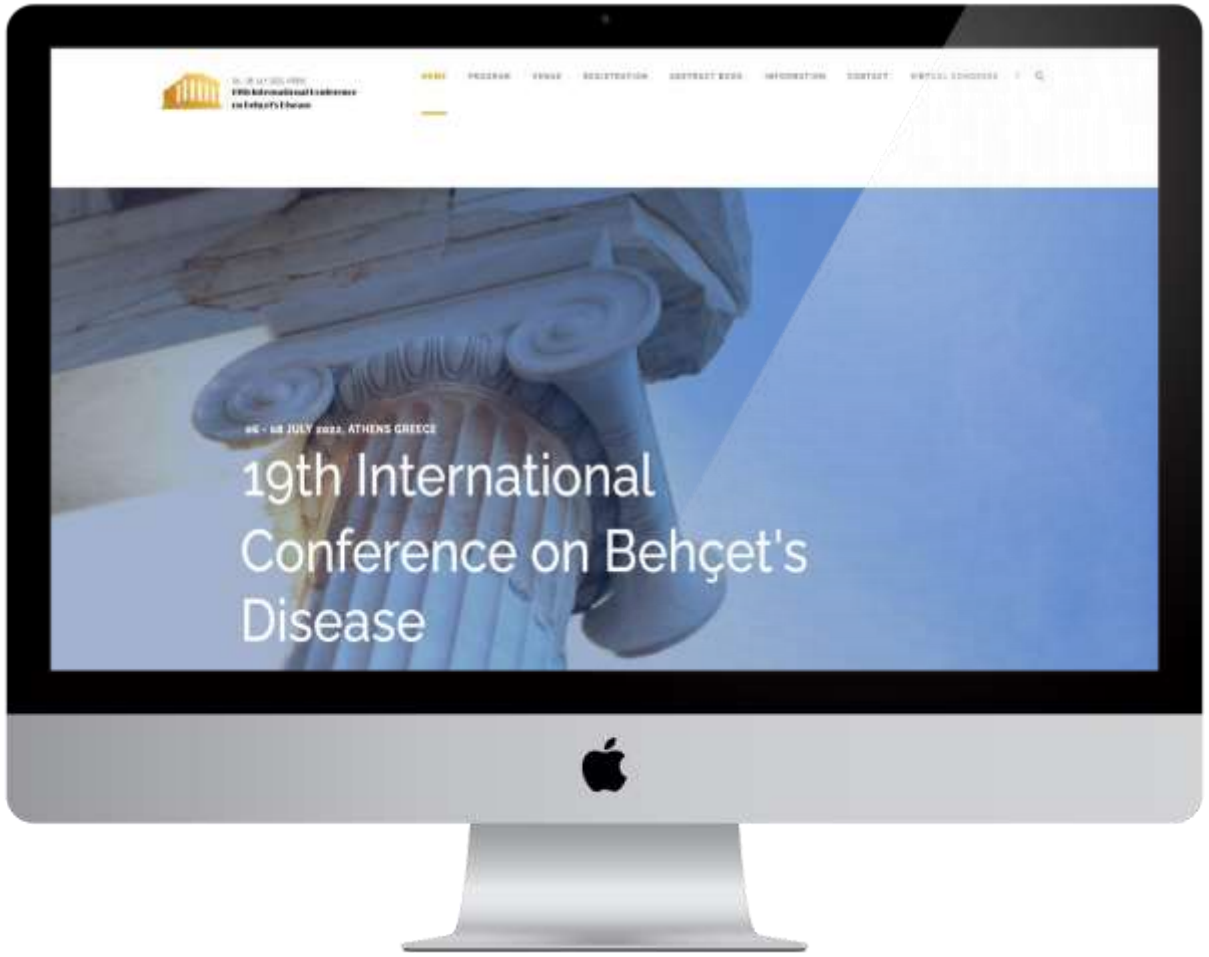
- All abstracts will be published (online) in a special issue of the Mediterranean Journal of Rheumatology
  - Issue will be out soon

Website statistics



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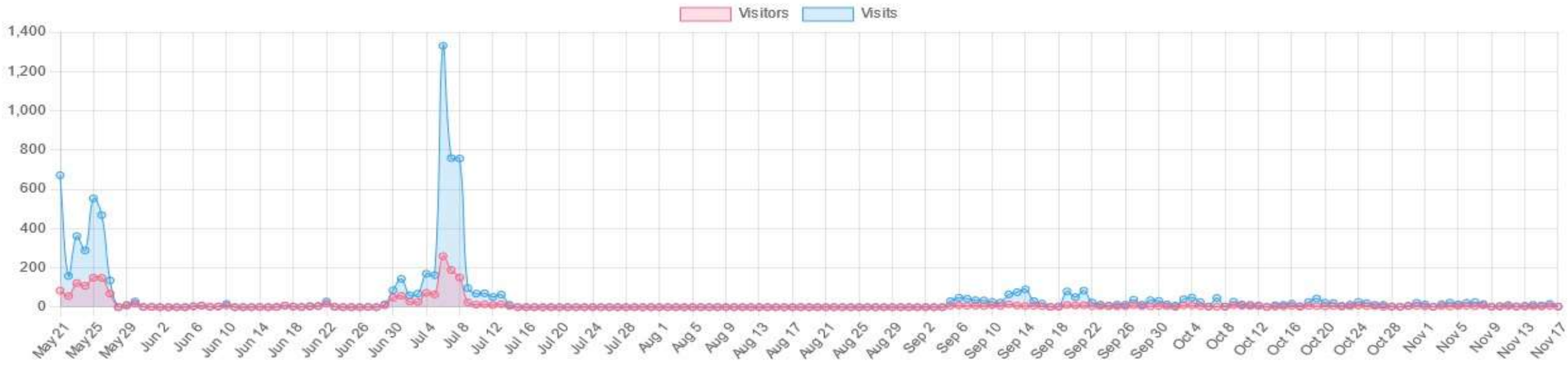
Visits overview



	Visits	Visitors
Chart Total: since May 21, 2022	8,379	2,235 UNIQUE !!!
All Time Total: since 1986	31,455	10,373

Visits overview

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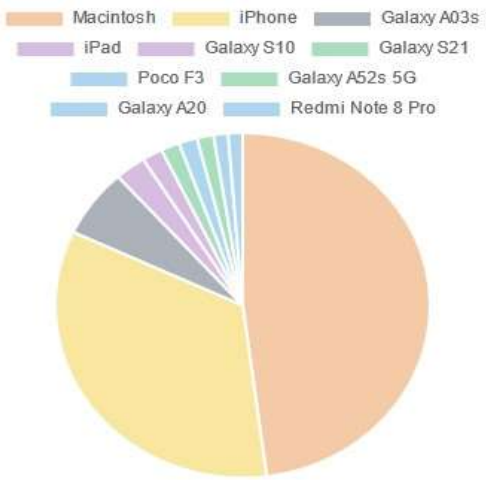
Summary

	Visitors	Visits
Online Users:	0	
Today:	3	3
Last 7 Days (Week):	32	69
Last 30 Days (Month):	145	446
Total:	10,373	31,455

Top Device Models

Week | Month | Year | Custom



Top 10 Countries

Rank	Flag	Country	Visitor Count
1		Unknown	8,879
2		Greece	381
3		United States	182
4		United Kingdom	145
5		Turkey	101
6		Morocco	65
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9		Germany	49
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Highlights of the 19th International Conference on Behçet's Syndrome

S.N. Esatoglu, Y. Ozguler, V. Hamuryudan

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