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Title

**Clinical trials in palliative care: limits and perspectives**

Speaker

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Venue

**May20**  
12:15~13:15



**Room #511, Innovation Medical Research Institute 5F**

Prof Virginie RAGE is a distinguished expert in health law, bioethics, and clinical research in France. Holding both a Doctorate in Law and a Doctorate in Pharmacy from the University of Montpellier, her academic background is complemented by a Professional Lawyer's Certificate and an Habilitation to Direct Research.

Currently, Prof. Rage serves as the Chair of the Research Ethics Committee of Montpellier and the National Association of Ethics Committees, with active roles in European research initiatives such as MedethicsEU and the Combine Program. Her professional experience spans academia, legal consultancy, and the pharmaceutical industry, including roles at Sanofi Pasteur and Pasteur Mérieux.

Prof. Rage's research focuses on bioethics, regulatory frameworks for clinical trials, and the legal implications of human subject research, addressing global challenges in ethical governance.