



## WEBINAR 'KEEP CALM AND USE YOUR QMS TO CARRY ON: TISSUE BANKING IN THE NEW NORMALITY' 1 July 2020, 15:00 - 16:00 (CEST)

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## **Speakers**



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