

# Next-Generation Combination Approach for Muscle-Invasive Bladder Cancer Treatment

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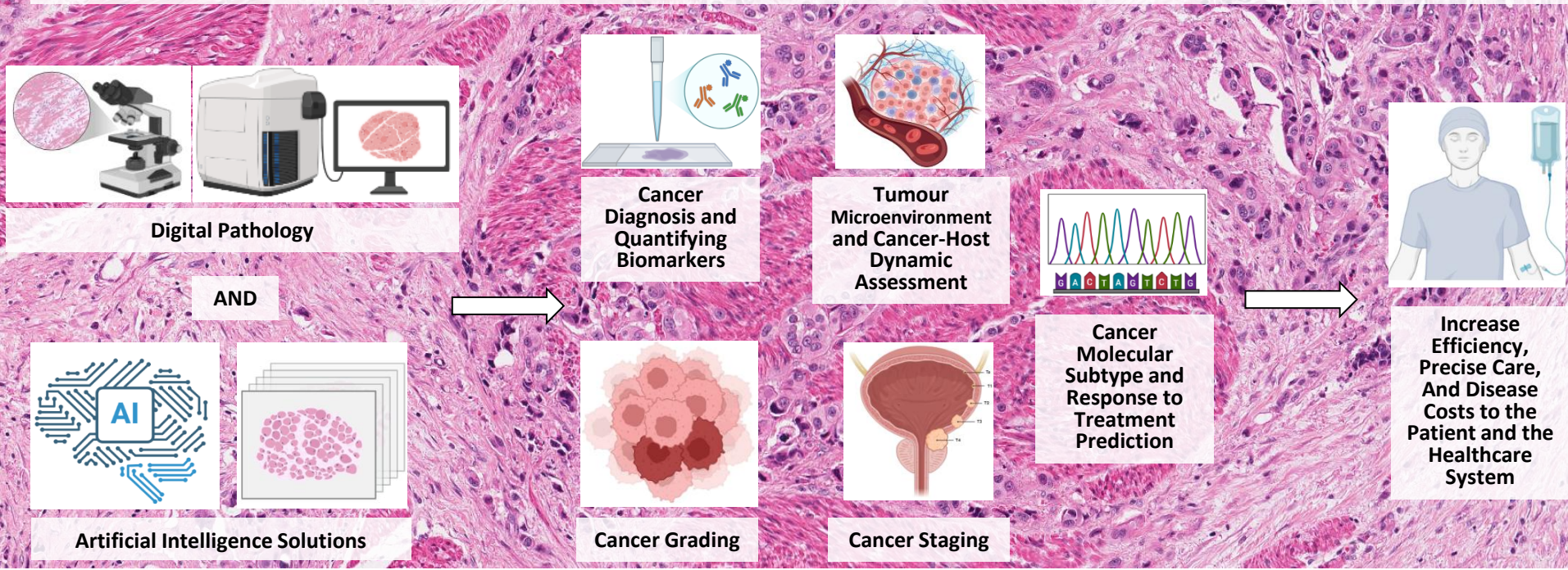


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# The General Topic of Cancer Exploration

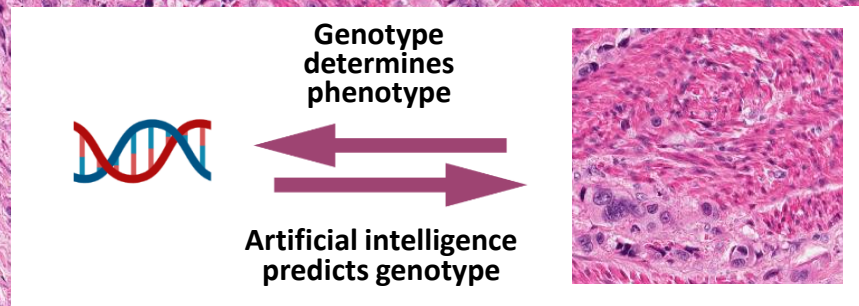
**Leveraging Digital Pathology and Artificial Intelligence for Accurate Cancer Diagnosis, Prognosis, and Personalized Treatment Strategies to Improve Healthcare Efficiency and Reduce Costs**





# Topics of Muscle-Invasive Bladder Cancer (MIBC) Exploration

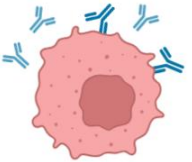
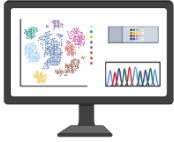
- **AI-Based Prognostic Models** for MIBC Recurrence and Progression **Using Histopathological Features**
- Combining **Molecular Testing** and **AI** to **Stratify** MIBC for Neoadjuvant Chemo-, Immuno- and Targeted **Therapy**
- **AI** and **Deep Learning** for **Identifying Predictive Biomarkers** of **Immunotherapy** Response
- Utilizing **AI** to **Detect Micrometastases** in Lymph Nodes for MIBC Diagnosis
- Integrating **Radiological** and **Pathological Features** for MIBC **Molecular Subtype Prediction**
- **AI Models** for **Cost-Effective Screening** of **FGFR3** Mutations in Bladder Cancer
- Advancements in **Tumor Mutational Burden (TMB)** Prediction Using Computational Pathology
- AI-Based Approach for **Predicting MIBC Genotype Based on Phenotype**



# Type and role of the partners

**We are looking for a consortium leader and members**

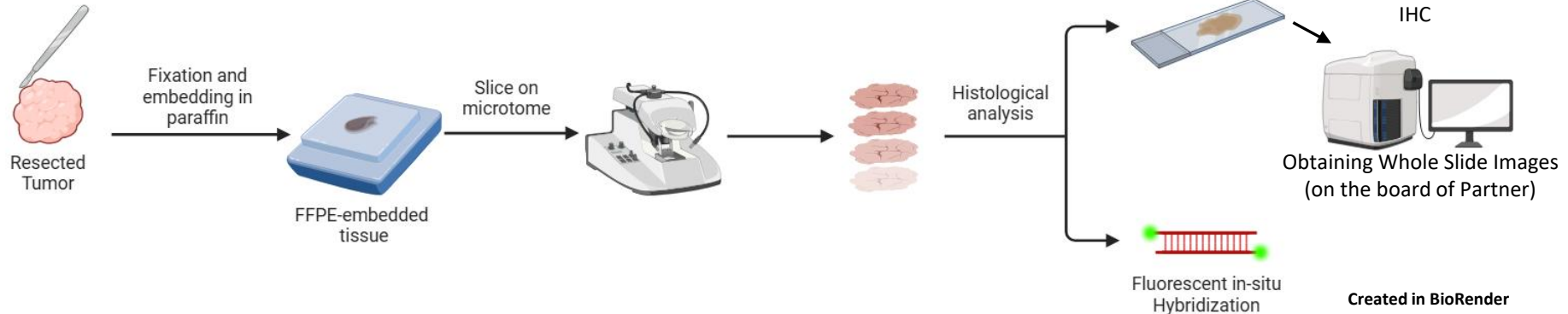
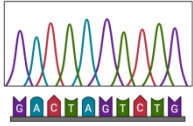
- **Clinical Research Institutions & Hospitals:** Provide clinical expertise, patient data, and access to a diverse cohort of MIBC patients for analysis.
- **Computational Pathology & Data Science Experts (Academic Institutions/Tech Companies):** Contribute computational tools, AI, and machine learning expertise to analyze large datasets from clinical, histological, and molecular profiles.
- **Histopathology Laboratories & Histotechnologists:** Digitize tissue samples and assist in generating high-quality Whole Slide Images (WSIs).
- **Biotechnology & Pharmaceutical Companies:** Support in the development of biomarker assays and contribute to translational research.
- **Radiology Departments & Medical Imaging Companies:** Provide radiological data for multi-modal AI integration (pathology and radiology).
- **Health Informatics & Data Management Partners:** Manage, store, and securely integrate large clinical, digital pathology and molecular datasets.
- **Immunotherapy and Cancer Research Centers:** Study immune microenvironment in MIBC and its role in therapy response.
- **AI Technology Providers & Software Development Companies:** Provide software solutions for AI-driven image analysis and data processing.





# Scientific and technological expertise we have

- Standard PFFE **histological support** (incl. histochemistry, IHC, IF and molecular diagnostic: Fluorescent in-situ Hybridization with Slide Incubation System CytoBrite®);
- **Optical imaging** (microscope ZEISS Axio Imager 2) and data analysis;
- **Whole Slide Images analysis** and **creation** of a large **annotated dataset** for AI model training;
- **NGS** data analysis;
- **Animal** handling;
- **Human studies**;
- Reports/article writing, presentations performing.





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### **Actual calls:**

- [Boosting innovation through exploitation of digitalisation and data exchange in healthcare](#)

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- [Boosting innovation through better integration of fragmented health R&I efforts](#)

HORIZON-JU-IHI-2025-09-02-single-stage **Deadline 29 April 2025**

- [Boosting innovation for people centred integrated healthcare solutions](#)

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