

# ESE BREGENZ SUMMER SCHOOL ON ENDOCRINOLOGY 2016















# Main Topics 2016:

- Placental endocrinology
- Interphase bone and (glucose) metabolism
- Endocrinology of stem cells
- 101 years of L-Thyroxine
- New techniques and novel animal models
- Career planning and endocrine job perspectives

Sunday, July 31<sup>st</sup> – Thursday, August 4<sup>th</sup>, 2016

# Monastery Mehrerau Bregenz, Austria

This is a joint project of the European Society of Endocrinology (ESE) with the German Society of Endocrinology (DGE), the European Young Endocrine Scientists (EYES) & Young Active Research in Endocrinology (YARE).

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Format & curricular elements:

Plenary lectures, Interactive Seminars, Poster Sessions; Sports, Communication & Networking

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# PRELIMINARY CONFERENCE PROGRAM

## **SUNDAY, 31 JULY 2016**

15:30



## ... AND INTRODUCTION OF PARTICIPANTS

Participants will introduce themselves, their interest and field of work.

#### **START-UP SESSION**

Chairperson: Josef Köhrle, Berlin, Germany

17:00 Opening Lecture

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19:00 Dinner (Restaurant Klosterkeller)

#### **MONDAY, 1 AUGUST 2016**

# Morning Session 1:

**Chairperson: EYES** 

Coordination: Rahel Büttler, Hohenems; Luis Cardoso, Coimbra; Milena Doroszko, Turku;

Henriette Undeutsch, Turku; Raffael Ott, Berlin; Lev Prystupiuk, Kiew

08:15 Warm-up and getting to know each other with joint sports activities

(Volleyball, Badminton, Handball, Soccer, Swimming)

10:00 Refreshments

10:15 Clocks, SCN and Physiology

Christine Koch, Lübeck, Germany (invited)

11:00 Circadian rhythm and glucocorticoid receptor

Nicolas C. Nicolaides, Athens, Greece (invited)

11:45 Circadian regulation of brown adipose tissue

Rosa van den Berg, Leiden, The Netherlands

#### 12:30 Lunch

#### **Sports and Fun**

#### 15:15 Parallel Session 2: Interactive Courses

A 1 How translational research may answer to clinical questions

Maria Chiara Zatelli, Ferrara, Italy

B 1 C.elegans as model organism Simone Prömel, Leipzig, Germany

C 1 Transgenic mouse models in neuroendocrine research

Ulrich Boehm, Homburg, Germany

#### 16:15 Coffee & Tea Break

**Afternoon Session 3: 101 years of L-Thyroxine:** 

Thyroid hormones, stem cells and proliferation

ThyroidTransAct DFG Priority Programme Session

Chairperson: Heike Biebermann, Berlin, Germany

16:30 Thyroid regeneration from differentiated pluripotent stem cells

Anthony N. Hollenberg, Boston, USA

17:15 Thyroid hormone dependent muscle stem cell proliferation and lineage progression

Monica Dentice, Naples, Italy

18:00 Thyroid and bone

Martina Rauner, Dresden, Germany

19:00 **Supper** 

20:30 Poster Session 1: Introduction and short presentations in front of posters

**Chairperson: EYES** 

## **TUESDAY, 2 AUGUST 2016**

Morning Session 4: Placental endocrinology: from implantation via ART to endometriosis

Chairperson: Maria Chiara Zatelli, Ferrara, Italy

08:00 Joint sports activities (Volleyball, Badminton, Handball, Soccer, Swimming)

09:00 Placental Angiogenesis

Nadia Alfaidy, Grenoble, France

# 09:45 Increased placental nutrient transport in a novel mouse model of maternal obesity with fetal overgrowth

Fredrick J. Rosario, San Antonio, USA

10:30 Coffee & Tea Break

#### 10:45 Maternal-placental determinants of offspring thyroid function

Tim Korevaar, Rotterdam, The Netherlands

11:30 Poster Session 2: Introduction and short presentations in front of posters

Chairperson: EYES

12:30 Lunch

**Sports and Fun** 

#### 15:15 Parallel Session 5: Interactive Courses

A 2 How translational research may answer to clinical questions

Maria Chiara Zatelli, Ferrara, Italy

E 1 Models to study placentation, from *in vitro* and *in vivo* to clinical studies: Case of endocrine gland derived endothelial growth factor

Nadia Alfaidy, Grenoble, France

F 1 Writing your first grant

Martina Rauner; Dresden, Germany

16:00 Coffee & Tea Break

Afternoon Session 6: Endocrinology of stem cells

Chairperson: Jochen Seufert, Freiburg, Germany

#### 16:15 Development and regulation of the GnRH Neurons

Ulrich Boehm, Homburg, Germany

#### 17:00 Pituitary stem cells

Karine Rizzoti, London, United Kingdom

### 17:45 Development of an encapsulated stem cell-based therapy for diabetes

Chiara Villa, Milano, Italy

19:00 **Supper** 

## **WEDNESDAY, 3 AUGUST 2016**

Morning Session 7: Bone interfaces and (glucose) metabolism

Chairperson: Franz Jakob, Würzburg, Germany

08:00 Joint sports activities (Volleyball, Badminton, Handball, Soccer, Swimming)

09:00 Interface bone, insulin and metabolism

Moustapha Kassem, Odense, Denmark

09:45 Tumor-bone interphase

Laurie K. McCauley, Michigan, USA

10:30 Coffee & Tea Break

11:00 The obesity of bone - Sarcopenic obesity

Silvia Migliaccio, Rome, Italy

11:45 Parallel Session 8: Interactive Courses

D 1 "Models to study placental transport"

Fredrick J. Rosario, San Antonio, USA

B 2 C.elegans as model organism

Simone Prömel, Leipzig, Germany

E 2 Models to study placentation, from in vitro and in vivo to clinical studies:

Case of endocrine gland derived endothelial growth factor

Nadia Alfaidy, Grenoble, France

12:45 Lunch

**Sports and Fun** 

15:00 Parallel Session 9: Interactive Courses

D 2 "Models to study placental transport"

Fredrick J. Rosario, San Antonio, USA

C 2 Transgenic mouse models in neuroendocrine research

Ulrich Boehm, Homburg, Germany

F 2 Writing your first grant

Martina Rauner; Dresden, Germany

15:45 Coffee & Tea Break

Afternoon Session 10: Translational research in endocrinology, New Animal Models,

**Novel Methods** 

Chairperson: Josef Köhrle, Berlin, Germany

16:00 Translational research in endocrinology: The search for predictive questions

Maria Chiara Zatelli, Ferrara, Italy

16:45 **Humanized mouse models** 

Boris Holzapfel, Würzburg, Germany

17:30 **Ultraresolution microscopy** 

Mark Sauer, Würzburg, Germany (invited)

18:30 **Supper** 

20:00 **Poster Session 3** Introduction and short presentations in front of posters

> Chairperson: **EYES**

### **THURSDAY, 4 AUGUST 2016**

Morning Session 11: YOUNG INVESTIGATORS SESSION 2 (ORGANIZED BY EYES, KLUB 30,

JNVE, YARE)

**CAREER PLANNING AND ENDOCRINE JOB PERSPECTIVES:** 

**IP, PATENTS & COMPANY FOUNDATION** 

**Chairperson: EYES** 

Coordination: Rahel Büttler, Hohenems; Luis Cardoso, Coimbra; Milena Doroszko, Turku;

Henriette Undeutsch, Turku; Raffael Ott, Berlin; Lev Prystupiuk, Kiew

08:15 **Morning Sports** 

09:15 Refreshments

09:30 **Function and Signalling of Adhesion GPCRs** 

Simone Prömel, Leipzig, Germany

10:15 NN

11:00 General discussion and evaluation of the topics and format of this year's Summer

School; proposals and suggestions for 2017

Farewell & Invitation for 2017 12:45

13:00 Lunch

13:30 Feedback and discussion with the organizers

#### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

The Bregenz Summer School has a long standing tradition as an interactive hormone and endocrine related brainstorming event and meeting place between researchers in academia, industry and clinicians.

The meeting venue is in a newly renovated complex of beautiful old buildings of the Collegium Bernardi, a boarding school operated by Kloster Mehrerau, within easy walking distance to the shore of the Lake Constance, Bregenz City Park, and a nature preserve. Bregenz, the State Capital of Vorarlberg, is a modern city of 27,000 and is the cultural center of the province.

The Collegium Bernardi can house up to 120 guests, participation will be confirmed on first come - first served basis. Please note that the Summer School is being held during the Bregenz Opera Festival – therefore alternative accommodations may be difficult to obtain.

Deadline for registration and payment is July 15, 2016!

#### **PARTICIPATION FEES**

**Registration fee** for students, postdocs and other participants is including entry to all sessions, welcome reception on Sunday afternoon, coffee breaks and the conference handout.

The room and full board package for the entire meeting is 370.00 EUR for senior scientists and 340.00 EUR for students and postdocs. In case of accommodation outside the monastery, meals and coffee breaks at the monastery must be paid cash on site. The accommodation costs include accommodation in a double room with shower/toilet (arrival: July 31th, departure: August 4th). If you want to share your room with a certain person who is already registered for the conference you can do so via the indicated online-registration tool. Additional nights have to be paid on your own and need to be confirmed by EndoScience.

For Students/Postdocs only: For those students/postdocs who present posters, registration fee will be refunded upon active participation. Students presenting a poster are encouraged to apply for reimbursement of the registration fee and for meeting travel grants provided by the European Society of Endocrinology and also the Deutsche Gesellschaft für Endokrinologie. Travel grant and meeting grant applications need to be submitted directly to ESE or DGE. To qualify for these grants, membership is required, which can be applied for in parallel with registration and which is affordable also for young investigators (e.g. ESE in training members pay 20€/a). For ESE membership (<a href="http://www.ese-hormones.org/membership/ordinary/index.aspx">http://www.ese-hormones.org/membership/ordinary/index.aspx</a>) and ESE meeting grants to the summer school please contact the website <a href="http://www.ese-hormones.org/prizes/ESEMeeting.aspx">http://www.ese-hormones.org/prizes/ESEMeeting.aspx</a>. For DGE associated membership fee is 25€/a (<a href="http://www.endokrinologie.net/download/aufnahmeantrag-dge.pdf">http://www.endokrinologie.net/download/aufnahmeantrag-dge.pdf</a>) and DGE travel grants applications can be submitted in parallel with membership application and registration (<a href="http://www.endokrinologie.net/reisekosten-stipendium.php">http://www.endokrinologie.net/reisekosten-stipendium.php</a>).

Money refunding and participation will be made available on a "first register and pay, first served" basis.

#### Payment

By bank transfer (no cash payments of registration, room and boarding fees on site!)

Registration will be confirmed by mail. If no confirmation is received within one week, please contact the Congress secretariat.

#### Cancellation and refund policy

Notification of cancellation must be made in writing until **June 30, 2016** and mailed to the congress secretariat with a reference to the bank account where a possible refund may be remitted to. An administrative fee of  $30 \in \text{will}$  be charged for refunds.

#### Cancellation and refund fee

Before July 10, 2016, total refund (excluding the administrative fee). After July 10, 2016 no refunds should be expected.

Credit will not be given for unattended events, late arrivals or early departure. All refunds will only be processed after the Congress.

The **Bregenz Opera Festival** will be presenting Giacomo Puccini's "Turandot" on the spectacular floating stage. There will be tickets available with prizes between 30 to 126 € to be booked directly by internet (<a href="http://www.bregenzerfestspiele.com/">http://www.bregenzerfestspiele.com/</a> or telephone: +43 5574 407-6 (ticket centre).

The beautiful landscape of Bregenz and its surroundings invites for a variety of sports and recreation - swimming, soccer, tennis, skating all around the lake - please don't forget to bring along your sportswear!

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#### Travel information

The most convenient airport is Zurich, Switzerland, connected by regular fast trains to Bregenz. Alternatives are the regional airports St. Gallen Altenrhein (via Vienna) or Friedrichshafen. For train connections from the airports please turn to:

http://www.sbb.ch/en/, http://www.bahn.de/, http://fahrplan.oebb.at/

At Bregenz train station you might take the city bus (one ride:  $1,40 \in$  day ticket, valid for any bus connection within Bregenz:  $2,70 \in$ ). A walk to the monastery from the train station along the lake shore passing the lake stage opera takes about 15-20 minutes (ca. 1.5 km).



footpath/bikepath railway - opera - monastery

bus route / street railway station - monastery