

EXCELLENCE in Rheumatology

Cutting edge findings into clinical practice

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Excellence in Rheumatology aims to provide practicing rheumatologists with developing scientific knowledge that can be applied in their everyday clinical practice.

Conference Features

- Committed to disseminating recent innovations and practice-changing advances in rheumatology
- Keeps specialists in rheumatology updated with the latest research and clinical developments in their field
- Aspires to be in a position to generate annual state of the art guidance on selected topics related to clinical practice
- Outstanding international speakers are recruited to present cutting edge scientific findings as these relate to clinical practice
- Three main thematic streams are addressed in depth during the three conference days
- The scientific programme has multiple interactive, practical and networking sessions
- Offers bursaries to participants from developing countries to enable their participation and presentation of their work

Who Should Attend

- Fully qualified clinical rheumatologists
- Trainee clinical rheumatologists
- Clinical scientists
- Generalists

Important Dates

Call for abstracts
Early registration by
Late registration by

21 June 2010
1 November 2010
7 February 2011

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Scientific Organising Committee

- **Chair:** Prof. George D. Kitas, *Consultant Rheumatologist, Director of Research & Development, Clinical Director - Ambulatory Care, Dudley Group of Hospitals NHS Trust, UK*
- **Co-Chair:** Prof. George C. Tsokos, *Chief, Rheumatology Division, Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center, Harvard Medical School, USA*
- **Co-Chair:** Prof. Piet Van Riel, *Head of the Department of Rheumatology, University Medical Centre Nijmegen, THE NETHERLANDS*

Scientific Programme

- The Scientific Programme consists of a broad spectrum of activities: Clinical Problems Solving Sessions, Clinicopathological Conference, Debates, Lectures, Lunch with the Expert, Meet the Expert, Round Tables.

Main Thematic Streams:

- Inflammatory Arthritis • Co-Morbidity • Systemic Autoimmune Diseases

To view the Preliminary Scientific Programme please visit
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Registrations

Delegate Categories	Early Registration Until 1 November 2010	Late Registration 2 November 2010 - 7 February 2011	Onsite Registration 17-19 February 2011
FULL DELEGATES	660€	730€	850€
TRAINEES / ALLIED HEALTH PROFESSIONALS	450€	520€	610€
ACCOMPANYING PERSONS	150€	170€	180€

Registration Entitlements

Full delegates and Trainees / Allied health professionals: Participation in all Scientific Sessions – Entrance to the Exhibition Area – Participation in the Opening Ceremony – Participation in the Welcome Reception – Conference Material – Coffee Breaks – Lunch Breaks – Certificate of Attendance

Accompanying persons: Participation in the Opening Ceremony – Participation in the Welcome Reception – City tour

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