Second Announcement & Call for Abstracts

Abstract Submission Deadline: 30 June 2016
Dear Colleagues,

As the development and availability of new targeted therapies boosted important evolutions in the field of clinical immunology, many of us realized the need for more intensive interaction and collaboration not only with fundamental immunologists and with industrial partners but also with our academic colleagues from other organ-specific disciplines than our own.

For this reason, we initiated in 2004 a European Working Group of leading academic physician-scientists involved in clinical immunology, rheumatology, dermatology, gastroenterology and transplantation immunology.

Our global aim is to create a forum for informal but intensive interaction and networking between translational immunologists from different organ-specific disciplines.

The keys of our organization are:

- Focus on translational immunology with direct clinical relevance
- Emphasis on cross-disciplinary interactions and projects
- Strong interaction between academia and pharmaceutical partners, especially biotech companies focusing on immunomodulation and immunomonitoring

Our organization is open and democratic. Therefore, all interested partners are welcome to join this initiative.

We are pleased to announce that the 10th European Workshop on Immune-Mediated Inflammatory Diseases - ewIMID’16 - will take place in Toulouse, France, on October 19 - 21, 2016.

This year’s theme is: **Linking genetic and environmental factors in chronic inflammatory diseases**

We sincerely hope to welcome you to ewIMID’16 in Toulouse!

The Workshop Chairs
Christian Jørgensen and Roland Liblau

The Local Organising Committee
Florence Apparailly, Guy Serre, Abdelhadi Saoudi and Naomi Taylor
Call for Abstracts

The Scientific Committee invites you to participate actively in the 9th European Workshop on Immune-Mediated Inflammatory Diseases.

We look forward to receiving your scientific contributions on one of the following topics:

- Rheumatology
- Gastroenterology
- Dermatology
- Transplantation
- Clinical immunology
- Basic immunology
- Inflammation
- Immunodeficiencies
- Neuroimmunology

Abstracts are considered for oral presentation only. Accepted abstracts will either be selected for oral presentation or for short speed data presentation.

There will be no poster presentations.

All accepted abstracts for oral and speed data presentation will be made available online.

A number of educational and travel grants will be awarded to the best abstract submissions by fellows in training and PhD students.

The abstract submission deadline is 30 June 2016.

For submission guidelines and author instructions, go to: www.ewimid.com

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Naomi Taylor
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### Tentative Program

#### Linking genetic and environmental factors in chronic inflammatory diseases

**Wednesday, 19 October**

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**Session III: Microbial factors in IMD**

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**Session V: Post-translational modifications and IMD**

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**Friday, 21 October**

**Session VII: From immunodeficiency to autoimmunity**

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**Session VIII: The expanding world of cytokine/cytokine R blockade**

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Hotel Accommodation

The organizers have reserved a number of rooms at attractive group rates at the following hotels (all at 10 to 15 minutes’ walking distance from the Congress Venue. You can book a hotel room as part of the registration process. The listed rates are per night and include breakfast.

Albert I
- Single room ‘Comfort’: € 116,00
- Single room ‘Superior’: € 126,00
- Double room ‘Comfort’: € 128,00
- Double room ‘Superior’: € 138,00
- City tax: € 1.20 per person, per night

Crowne Plaza
- Single room: € 150,00
- Double room: € 165,00
- City tax: € 2.65 per person, per night

Novotel Toulouse Centre Wilson
- Single room ‘Superior’: € 140,00 on 18/10, 19/10 and 20/10
- Double room ‘Superior’: € 150,00 on 18/10, 19/10 and 20/10
- City tax: € 2.20 per person, per night

Mercure Toulouse Wilson
- Single room: € 155,00 on 18/10 and 19/10
- Double room: € 170,00 on 18/10 and 19/10
- City tax: € 2.20 per person, per night

Any requests for hotel accommodation must be made via the online registration form and are to be accompanied by a credit card number in order to secure the room.

This credit card will not be charged by the organizers but only serves as a reservation guarantee. Delegates will have to pay their hotel room and personal expenses at the hotel upon check-out.

Registration

Registration Fees

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*Registration as a PhD student, trainee or resident will only be accepted if accompanied by a certificate of the training director (proof to be uploaded during the registration process). Without proof the participant fee will be charged.

The registration fee includes access to the scientific sessions, all coffee breaks and lunches as indicated in the program. The registration fee does not include the museum visit and dinner, for which separate registration and payment is required.

How to pay?
The registration and payment form is secured so that credit card information can be submitted safely. Only Visa and MasterCard are accepted.

Confirmation
Immediately after submitting your online registration form, an automatic confirmation is sent by email. If you do not receive this automatic confirmation, your registration has not been made successfully.

Cancellation
Cancellations received no later than September 15, 2016, entitle registered persons to a full refund less € 50,00 administration costs. No refunds can be made for cancellations received after this date. Delegates can be replaced by a colleague at any time. Cancellations must be made in writing through Medicongress.
General Information

Dates
19 – 21 October 2016

Venue
Fondation Bemberg / Hôtel d'Assézat
Place d’Assézat
31000 TOULOUSE

The City
Toulouse is France’s fourth biggest city and is ideally situated between the Mediterranean and the Atlantic Ocean in the South-West of France. Its 2000-year-old history shows in an architecture of brick and tiles which are typical of the cities, villages and farms of the Midi-Pyrenees region. Reflections of the golden light on the brick of Toulouse have given it the name of ‘Ville Rose’ (Pink City).

Toulouse is a very lively city. There’s nothing like a stroll around the historic center, walking alongside the Garonne and the Canal du Midi, or stopping in one of the many cafés with terraces that spill out onto the streets.

Language
The official language of ewIMID’16 is English. There will be no simultaneous translation.

Liability
Neither the organizers nor Medicongress accept liability for damages and/or losses of any kind which may be incurred by ewIMID’16 participants. Participants are advised to take out insurance against loss, accidents or damage which could be incurred during ewIMID’16.

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Hotel Accommodation

A confirmation of the hotel booking will be sent by email after receipt of the on-line registration form, the housing request and the payment of the registration fee.

Participants are requested not to contact the hotel directly in order to avoid double bookings. If changes are to be made to the original hotel reservation, please contact Medicongress: laurence@medicongress.com.

Please check the cancellation policies of the hotels on the website: www.ewimid.com

Room availability cannot be guaranteed after 15 September 2016.