CONFERENCE CALENDAR: EVENTS AROUND THE WORLD

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February 27-March 2, 2013—The 6th International Conference on Advanced Technologies and Treatment for Diabetes

CNIT Paris La Defense, Paris, France

ATTD 2013 is an innovative conference that will bring together the world's leading researchers and clinicians for a lively exchange of ideas and information related to the treatment and prevention of diabetes and related illnesses. Join the best and brightest minds for an international gathering of leading specialists in the fields of diabetes, endocrinology, and metabolism, as well as diabetes technology developers and general and family medicine practitioners. <http://www2.kenes.com/attd/Pages/home.aspx>

March 11-12, 2013—10th Annual Conference on New Trends in Immunosuppression and Immunotherapy

Hotel Fira Palace, Barcelona, Spain

This premier biennial meeting highlights the latest developments in the field of immunosuppression, immunomodulation, and immunotherapy. This conference offers developing and established researchers and practitioners from all branches of medicine a unique opportunity to learn from world-renowned experts in the field, meet representatives of biotech and pharmaceutical companies, enrich their own research ideas, and add to their clinical knowledge gained from disciplines not necessarily represented at disease- or organ-specific meetings. <http://www2.kenes.com/immuno/Pages/Home.aspx>

February 24-March 1, 2013—Keystone Symposia: Stem Cell Regulation in Homeostasis and Disease

Fairmont Banff Springs, Alberta, Canada

Stem cell regulation is critical for tissue development and maintenance. Defects in stem cell regulatory mechanisms are thought to contribute to many diseases, including congenital diseases, cancer, and diseases of aging; therefore, these mechanisms are of interest to a diverse audience. This meeting is highly likely to attract a wide variety of investigators, many of whom might not otherwise interact. The focus on stem cell regulation provides an umbrella under which speakers from different areas of research (eg, developmental biology, tissue growth and homeostasis, regeneration, cancer, and aging) are being brought together in an environment that is highly conducive to cross-talk.

<http://www.keystonesymposia.org/13B7>

February 11-15, 2013—Family Medicine: An Evidence-based Approach to Patient Care

Hyatt Sarasota on Sarasota Bay, Sarasota, Florida

Following this course, the participant should be able to appraise the etiologies and the clinical presentations of the commonly seen disorders presented; indicate diagnostic tests available and the suggested use for making a diagnosis; and implement available treatment options and appropriate long-term care when indicated. This activity is expected to result in improved competence in making an appropriate diagnosis and providing effective treatment and referral or follow-up care with the overall goal of improving patient outcomes.

<http://www.ams4cme.com/www/LiveSeminars/SEMLA-2720130211.aspx>

January 31-February 3, 2013—The 2nd International Conference on Prehypertension and CardioMetabolic Syndrome

Hotel Rey Juan Carlos I, Barcelona, Spain

The conference will aim to deal with all aspects related to early diagnosis of prehypertension, including innovative technologies and treatments and will bring together professionals from the fields of hypertension, nephrology, endocrinology, internal medicine, cardiology, and more. www.prehypertension.org/

March 14-16, 2013—7th International DIP Symposium on Diabetes, Hypertension, Metabolic Syndrome, and Pregnancy

Firenze Fiera Congress Center, Florence, Italy

The rising prevalence of metabolic syndrome—hypertension, obesity, diabetes—and their increasingly earlier onset, affecting even young adults of reproductive age, means that more pregnancies are now complicated by these conditions. DIP symposium aims to discuss new types of treatment for diabetes and assist both mother and fetus in dealing with the condition.

http://www2.kenes.com/diabetes-pregnancy/symposium/Pages/General_Information.aspx

March 22-24, 2013—EORTC-EANO-ESMO Conference

Prague, Czech Republic

The main focus of the joint EORTC-EANO-ESMO Conference is to improve the neuro-oncology field, accelerate the translation of cutting edge discovery at the clinical level, and further promote international scientific cooperation, debate and exchange.

http://www.ecco-org.eu/EORTC_EANO_ESMO

March 6-9, 2013—23rd Annual Meeting of the Society for Virology*Christian-Albrechts-Universität zu Kiel, Germany*

The conference will be accompanied by an extensive, specialized industrial exhibition. Interested companies are invited to request information on the exhibition modalities from the conference organizer, Conventus.
<http://www.virology-meeting.de/>

March 18-20, 2013—BIT's 5th Annual International Congress of Antibodies (ICA-2013)*Hangzhou Blossom Water Museum Hotel, China*

With the development and improvement of modern biotechnology in recent years, antibody engineering and technologies have become one of the mainstream biomedical areas and play a pivotal role in pharmaceutical and medical industries. Initiated by BIT Life Sciences in 2008, ICA offers a unique meeting place for professionals from all over the world to share scientific information, seek research collaborations, foster new business opportunities, and discuss how to prevent and treat disease. <http://www.bitlifesciences.com/ica2013/>

February 21-24, 2013—The Asian Pacific Society of Cardiology 2013*Pattaya Exhibition And Convention Hall, Thailand*

The Asian Pacific Society of Cardiology 2013 Congress (APSC 2013) or the 19th Asia Pacific Congress of Cardiology is a major regional event that aims to facilitate a discussion about the best practices and latest advances in cardiology diseases across the Asia Pacific region. With its strong global presence, APSC 2013 will provide unique networking opportunities for local and regional professionals working in the fields of cardiovascular diseases and related topics.
<http://www.apsc2013.org/>

February 23-24, 2013—2013 International Conference on Functional Biomedical Imaging*Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam*

The aim of ICFBI 2013 is to provide a platform for researchers, engineers, and academicians as well as industrial professionals from all over the world to present their research results and development activities in functional biomedical imaging. This conference provides opportunities for the delegates to exchange new ideas and application experiences face to face, to establish business or research relations, and to find global partners for future collaboration. <http://www.icfbi.org/>

December 5-8, 2012—11th International Congress on Drug Therapy in HIV Infection*Crowne Plaza Hotel, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia*

In line with recent advances achieved in the field of human genomics and medical genetics, this conference will examine various themes on personalized medicine, human variations in the Asia-Pacific region, as well the latest advances on genetic diagnostics and technology and their implications to healthcare in the region.
<http://www.apchg2012.org/>

December 2-4, 2012—Innovations in Cardiovascular Interventions*David Intercontinental Hotel, Tel Aviv, Israel*

This meeting will focus on innovative technology and therapies and will cover all stages of the innovation process from the bench to the patient bedside. It will include presentations from international and Israeli experts focusing on new therapies and research at various levels of development alongside thematic live case presentations to present the impact of these technologies on current and future therapy with a special focus on the future of valvular interventions.
<http://www.icimeeting.com/>

February 7-9, 2013—1st Emirates Surgical Pathology Conference (ESPC2013)*Beach Rotana Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates*

Organized by the Emirates Pathology Society, under the Emirates Medical Association, the event will highlight and discuss hot topics within pathology, focusing primarily on breast, gastrointestinal, soft tissue and gynecological pathology, and cytology. The comprehensive scientific program will be supported by a distinguished panel of leading experts and faculty from the field of pathology to ensure that attendees receive only the best and most up-to-date information and educational experience.
<http://espc2013.com/index.html>