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6th European Course on

CLINICAL CYTOMETRY

21 - 22 September 2010

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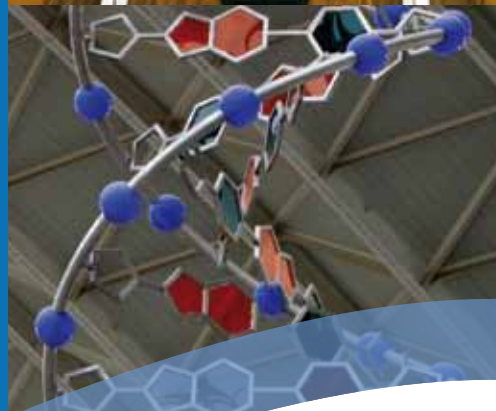
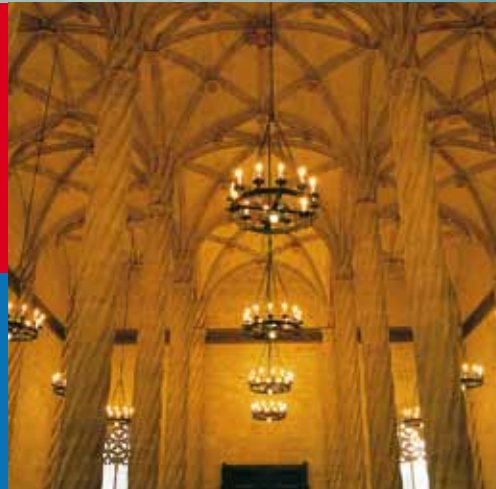
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CLINICAL CELL ANALYSIS

22 - 25 September 2010

VALENCIA, SPAIN

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KEY DATES

1 June 2010	Abstract submission deadline
25 June 2010	Notification of acceptance for oral or poster presentation
15 July 2010	Deadline early registration fee
1 September 2010	Deadline regular registration fee
21-22 September 2010	6th European Course on Clinical Cytometry
22-25 September 2010	10th Euroconference on Clinical Cell Analysis

- 6th European Course on Clinical Cytometry
- 10th Euroconference on Clinical Cell Analysis
- Programme at the Oceanogràfic Auditorium (City of Arts & Sciences)

PROGRAMME AT A GLANCE

	TUE 21 SEPT	WED 22 SEPT	THU 23 SEPT	FRI 24 SEPT	SAT 25 SEPT		
Morning sessions	Courses 1-6	Courses 1-6	Plenary 2 Novel Strategies for Flow Cytometry Data Analysis	Parallel 3 E Respiratory Diseases	Plenary 7 Immuno-senescence		
Break							Parallel 3 S Rare Cells
Morning sessions continued	Courses 1-6	Courses 1-6	Plenary 3 Allergy	Parallel 4 E NK Cells	Plenary 8 Monoclonal B Lymphocytosis		
						Parallel 4 S Stem Cells	
					ESCCA Industrial Partner Presentation	ESCCA Industrial Partner Presentation	Closure
					Corporate Lecture	Corporate Lecture	
Lunch			Poster Walk 1 & Exhibition	Poster Walk 2 & Exhibition	ESCCA Business Meeting		
Afternoon sessions	Courses 1-6	Courses 1-6	Parallel 1 E Rare but Pivotal Cells in Hematopoiesis	Time on your own			
						Parallel 1 S Translational Cytometry	
Break						Exhibition	Posters & Exhibition
Afternoon sessions continued	Courses 1-6		Parallel 2 E Mast Cells	Plenary 5 Selected Oral Presentations			
			Official Opening of the Euroconference	Parallel 2 S Polychromatic Cytometry		Plenary 6 Keynote Lecture	
			Plenary 1 Recent Advances by the EuroFlow Consortium	Plenary 4 Laboratory Accreditation		ESCCA Industrial Partner Presentation	
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			Corporate Lecture				
Evening	Course Dinner	Welcome Reception	Conference Dinner				

Note: the Parallel E sessions are organised by the ESCCA; the Parallel S sessions by the SIC.

COURSE PROGRAMME

On 21 and 22 September, the European Society for Clinical Cell Analysis (ESCCA) and the Sociedad Ibérica de Citometría (SIC) will organise the 6th edition of the highly successful annual courses on Clinical Cytometry, aimed for medical doctors, PhDs, pharmacists, biologists, engineers, laboratory managers and technical laboratory staff related to clinically applied flow cytometry.

This year 6 courses will be organised:

1. Leukemia (Advanced Level)
2. Primary Immunodeficiency
3. Integrated Cytomics
4. Cellular Biomarkers of Cancer
5. Functional Cytometry
6. Paroxysmal Nocturnal Haemoglobinuria

All courses will be held in English. Groups will be limited to 30, 45 or 60 participants, depending on the course. All courses will include a theoretical and a practical approach. Plenary lectures will introduce the subjects. Hands-on will include data file analysis of selected cases, performed by groups of students working on instruments or demonstrative list mode data, and supervised by the Faculty.

The detailed course programmes are available at the conference website: www.cytometry2010.eu

CONFERENCE PROGRAMME

The 10th Euroconference on Clinical Cell Analysis will be held from Wednesday afternoon, 22 September to Saturday morning, 25 September.

The conference will provide updates and discussion arenas on the core fields of clinical cell analysis such as lymphocyte taxonomy, leukemia/lymphoma immunophenotyping, detection of rare cells and minimal residual disease, myelodysplasia, respiratory diseases and allergy, ageing and cancer, as well as emerging fields and novel technologies, data analysis strategies and laboratory accreditation in clinical cell analysis.

To celebrate the 10th anniversary of the Euroconference, a unique venue has been selected for the Friday afternoon programme. Plenary Session 5, the Plenary Keynote Lecture and an ESCCA Industrial Partner Presentation by IZASA and Beckman-Coulter will be held in the Red Sea Auditorium of the Oceanogràfic, the largest oceanarium in Europe and part of the spectacular City of Arts and Sciences.

The session in the Red Sea Auditorium has been made possible by:



The parallel sessions have been organised by ESCCA (parallels E) and SIC (parallels S) and will address new, specialised fields of clinical cell analysis, such as cytometry of respiratory diseases, but also will focus on rare cells and infrequent cell subpopulations, including stem cells, in hematopoiesis and oncology. New technological advances, such as polychromatic cytometry, and emerging strategies, exemplified by translational cytometry, will also be covered. All the parallel sessions will be held in English.

Six of the best abstracts will be selected for oral presentation in a special plenary session.

Posters will be on display on Wednesday afternoon, Thursday and Friday morning. Two poster walks will be organised during lunch on Thursday and Friday.

ESCCA Industrial Partner Presentations and Corporate Lectures will also be hosted during which new scientific and technical research and methods will be presented.

The detailed programme is available at the conference website:

www.cytometry2010.eu

CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

Authors wishing to present their original work as an oral communication or a poster are encouraged to submit an abstract. The abstracts will be published in *Cytometry, part B* (Clinical Cytometry). Abstracts can only be submitted in English through the conference website: www.cytometry2010.eu. The abstract topics as well as further details and instructions are available on the website.

Deadline for submission is 1 June 2010.

EXHIBITION

An exhibition will provide an important feature on the latest products and instruments and contacts with industrials in the field. The conference programme will allow delegates plenty of opportunities to visit the exhibits. The Sponsor Brochure containing all the details is available at the conference website. Companies wishing to participate in the exhibition or interested in other opportunities for communication of products or services are invited to contact the Conference Coordinator at info@globalconferencesupport.com.

SOCIAL PROGRAMME

Tuesday, 21 September: Course Dinner

During the 6th Clinical Course, an informal dinner will be organised at restaurant l'Estimat, located on the boulevard near the conference venue Hotel Las Arenas. Enjoying a great view on the beach and boulevard, you will taste some typical Valencia dishes.

Thursday, 23 September: Conference Dinner

For the Conference Dinner of the 10th Euroconference you will be transferred to La Vallesa de Mandor, an 18th century estate surrounded by orange groves in Ribarroja near Valencia. Pre-dinner drinks in the beautiful garden will be followed by a three-course dinner in the rustic-style Vallesa hall.

More details on the Course and Conference Dinner and pictures of the dinner venues will be posted on the conference website. Please check the website for regular updates.

HOTEL ACCOMMODATION

Rooms have been taken into option at the conference venue, Hotel Las Arenas, and several other hotels. More information on the hotels and the booking procedure can be found on the conference website. Due to an important trade show that takes place in Valencia in the same week, it is advised to make your reservation as soon as possible, **but no later than 1 May 2010**. After that date the allotted rooms will be released and hotel accommodation cannot be guaranteed anymore.

REGISTRATION AND FEES

Registration form

Registration for all participants is handled by NewBrooklyn and can only be made through the website: www.cytometry2010.eu.

Information

Please direct all registration and/or payment inquiries to the Conference Secretariat: NewBrooklyn, telephone +31 (0)346 767 232, e-mail: registration@newbrooklyn.nl

Registration fees

Attendee types	Registration and payment		
	until 15 July 2010	16 July - 1 September 2010	from 2 September 2010
COURSE & CONFERENCE (21 - 25 September 2010)			
SIC & ESCCA members	€ 575	€ 675	€ 875
Students	€ 475	€ 575	€ 875
Regular fee	€ 675	€ 775	€ 875
COURSE ONLY (21 - 22 September 2010)			
SIC & ESCCA members	€ 425	€ 525	€ 725
Students	€ 375	€ 475	€ 725
Regular fee	€ 525	€ 625	€ 725
CONFERENCE ONLY (22 - 25 September 2010)			
SIC & ESCCA members	€ 425	€ 525	€ 725
Students	€ 375	€ 475	€ 725
Regular fee	€ 525	€ 625	€ 725

Registration for the 6th European Course on Clinical Cytometry (21 - 22 September) includes:

- Admission to one of the courses
- Coffee / tea during the programme breaks
- Lunch during the lunch breaks
- Access to the exhibition (exhibition opens in the afternoon on Wednesday 22 September)
- Welcome Reception of the 10th Euroconference on Wednesday 22 September
- Conference Bag with Final Programme and List of Participants

Registration for the 10th Euroconference on Clinical Cell Analysis (22 - 25 September) includes:

- Admission to all conference sessions
- Coffee / tea during the programme breaks
- Lunch during the lunch breaks
- Access to the exhibition / poster area
- Welcome Reception on Wednesday 22 September
- Conference Bag with Final Programme and List of Participants

ESCCA membership

You can become an ESCCA member or renew your membership on the registration form.

The ESCCA membership fee for 2010 is 70 euro. New members qualify to register for the reduced member fee for SIC & ESCCA 2010. For more information on ESCCA, please see www.escca.eu.

**FOR UP-TO-DATE INFORMATION, ABSTRACT SUBMISSION
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