International Scientific Conference

„PERSPECTIVES IN PAEDIATRIC CARDIOLOGY“
20-22 September 2012
IUC Dubrovnik, Croatia
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ANNOUNCEMENT
AND
INVITATION FOR PARTICIPATION

Dear Colleagues,

On behalf of the Organizing Committee of the International Scientific Conference „Perspectives in Paediatric Cardiology“, we would like to invite you to participate at the Conference, which will take place from 20th to 22nd September 2012 in Dubrovnik.

The Conference is organized by the Academy of Sciences and Arts of Bosnia and Herzegovina (ANUBiH), Vienna General Hospital (AKH Wien) – Department of Paediatric Cardio Surgery, University Medical Centre Ljubljana - Paediatric Clinic-Department of Paediatric Cardiology, within the Academic programme 2011/2012 of the Inter University Center (IUC), Dubrovnik.

The programme will consist of the invited lectures which will be given by distinguished experts with international expertise in their respective fields.

CONFERENCE AIMS AND SCOPE

The International Scientific Conference „Perspectives in Paediatric Cardiology“ has the aim to highlight the present status of paediatric cardiology with a view of genetics in molecular biology, cardiac anatomy, morphoanatomy, sequential segmental analyses, imaging techniques including foetal echocardiography, hypertension, atherosclerosis, electrophysiology and cardiosurgery. Improvements in diagnostic modalities of congenital heart disease, especially imaging techniques, surgical and interventional as well as postoperative intensive cardiac therapy and care have contributed to the significant decrease in mortality and morbidity in congenital heart disease. The understanding of factors that influence heart development and its structure and functional development could produce the information in connection with pathogenesis of congenital heart anomalies and detect early mechanisms of controlling development of acquired cardiovascular disease in adulthood. Keynote speakers on these topics with international expertise in their respective fields are a guarantee of success for this international meeting.
# PROGRAMME

## 1st DAY
**Thursday, September 20, 2012**

16:00-18:00 *Registration of participants*  
**GRAND HOTEL PARK**

20.00 *Reception* at **International University Centre (IUC) Dubrovnik**

## 2nd DAY
**Friday, September 21, 2012**

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<td>Corresponding member of ANUBiH Senka Mesihović-Dinarević, Academy of Sciences and Arts of Bosnia and Herzegovina (ANUBiH), Sarajevo, BA</td>
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<td>Prof. Dr Renate Oberhoffer - Technische Universität München, Fakultät für Sport- und Gesundheitswissenschaft, Lehrstuhl für Präventive Pädiatrie, Munich, DE</td>
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<td>Prof. Dr Slavko Simeunović – Faculty of Medicine, University of Belgrade; University Children's' Hospital Belgrade; Specialist Outpatient Clinic &quot;PROFMEDICA-SIMEUNOVIĆ&quot;, Belgrade, RS</td>
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<td>Prof. Dr Ettore Pedreti - Unità sanitaria locale di Piacenza, Presidio Ospedaliero di Fiorenzuola D’arda, Divisione Pediatrica, Fiorenzuola D’arda, IT</td>
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<td>Prof. Dr Gregor Wollenek - Vienna General Hospital (AKH), Department of Paediatric Cardiac Surgery, Vienna, AT</td>
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14:40-15:00 Prof. Dr Ida Jovanović - University Children's Hospital Belgrade, Belgrade, RS
Echocardiography Assessment of Systolic Function in Different Left Ventricular Geometries

15:00-15:20 Prof. Dr Manfred Marx - Universitätsklinik für Chirurgie, Abteilung für Herz- u. Kinderherzchirurgie, Vienna, AT
Paediatric Electrophysiology: Where Do We Go To?

15:20-15:40 Prof. Dr Bo Sahlgren - Karolinska University Hospital, Stockholm, SE
Swedish Approach to Interventional Cardiology

15:40-16:10 COFFEE BREAK

16:10-16:30 Dr Jan Till - Department of Paediatric Cardiology, Royal Brompton Hospital, London, GB
The Role of Defibrillators in Channelopathys

16:30-16:50 Dr Jens Johansson - Pediatric Cardiac Surgical Unit, Children's Hospital, Lund University Hospital, Lund, SE
Surgical Correction of Complete AVSD during the Last 20 Years in Lund

16:50-17:10 Prof. Dr Jochen Weil - Universitäres Herzzentrum Hamburg GmbH, Kinderkardiologie, Hamburg, DE
Changes of the Left Side of the Heart in Patients with Right Ventricular Problems

17:10-17:30 Dr Mary N Sheppard - Royal Brompton Hospital, London, GB
Sudden Death in Congenital Heart Disease

20:00 DINNER

3rd DAY  
Saturday, September 22, 2012

9:30-9:50 Asst. Prof. Dr Amina Kozarić - Clinical Center University of Sarajevo, Clinical Pathology and Cytology, Sarajevo, BA
Molecular Genetics in Pediatric Cardiology: Applications and Current Advances

9:50-10:10 Asst. Prof. Dr Samo Vesel - University Medical Center Ljubljana, Paediatric Clinic, Ljubljana, SI
The Challenge of Foetal Dysrhythmias: Echocardiographic Diagnosis and Clinical Management

10:10-10:30 Prof. Dr Elma Kučukalić-Selimović - Clinical Center University of Sarajevo, Clinic for Nuclear Medicine, Sarajevo, BA
Diagnostic Value of Nuclear Medicine Techniques in the Diagnosis and Assessment of Pediatric Cardiac Disorders

10:30-10:50 Professor Sir Magdi H Yacoub - National Heart & Lung Institute, Imperial College London, London, GB
TGA for Developmental Biology to the Clinic

10:50-11:10 Prof. Dr Sune Johansson – Pediatric Cardiac Surgical Unit, Children’s Hospital, Lund University Hospital, Lund, SE
Monitoring Pediatric Cardiac Surgery in Bosnia; Experience from the Swedish Medical Program 1995-2012

11:10-12:00 DISCUSSION and CLOSING REMARKS

12:00 CERTIFICATES
IMPORTANT DATES:

Registration until 20 September 2012
Conference 20-22 September 2012

INTERNATIONAL SCIENTIFIC COMMITTEE

Prof. Dr Senka Mesihović Dinarević, corresponding member of ANUBiH (ANUBiH) director, Prof. Dr Gregor Wollenek (AKH Wien) co-director, Prof. Dr Tomaž Podnar (University Medical Centre Ljubljana) co-director.

THE CONFERENCE FEES

The conference fee is 200 EUR + 17% VAT and includes:
- Conference proceedings
- Coffee and refreshments
- Official conference dinner and party

*Registration form & Payment instructions are given in the attachment of this letter

Venue: Grand Hotel Park Dubrovnik

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With kindest regards,

Senka Mesihović-Dinarević, corresponding member of ANUBiH
President of the Organizing Committee
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