



International Lyme and Associated Diseases Society

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Greetings Colleagues,

We are pleased to announce the second annual ILADS International Lyme Conference to be held in Augsburg, Germany May 27-28, 2011.

There is increasing recognition that Lyme and associated diseases contribute to a broad spectrum of symptoms, syndromes and chronic illnesses. Understanding this association and improving our skills with diagnosis and treatment improves our effectiveness in helping our patients.

The conference agenda includes basic information to help diagnose and treat Lyme and associated borne diseases. We are appreciative to our colleagues, Dr. Carsten Nicolaus and Dr. Armin Schwarzbach, at the Borreliose Centrum Augsburg who are hosting this event.

We invite you to join us for this program. It will be both educational and enjoyable to meet and network with our international colleagues. Last year's meeting in London included physicians from 15 countries and was a very interesting event.

I hope to see you in Augsburg in May.

Sincerely,

Robert Bransfield, MD, DLFAPA
ILADS President

Online Registration now available at:
http://www.ilads.org/lyme_programs/lyme_events_german.html

2nd International Lyme & Associated Diseases Society (ILADS) Educational Meeting Europe

27th/ 28th May, 2011, Augsburg, Germany
at the Augustana Saal, Annahof Augsburg

Draft Program

Friday, 27th May 2011: 10:00 – 12:00 - Visit to Borreliose Centrum Augsburg

Limited places available, max. 30 people. A light lunch snack will be provided at the end of the visit. There will be a shuttle bus to Conference Location at 12:00.

To book your place for the visit to the Borreliose Centrum Augsburg please send an email to service@borreliosezentrum.de. Please note that this visit is primarily for physicians. Should any places be available, these can be given to others.

Friday, 27th May 2011:

13:00 – 17:20 - Naturopathic / Holistic Approach to Lyme Treatment

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| 12:00 – 13:00 | Registration (Foyer) |
| 13:00 – 13:05 | Introduction – Carsten Nicolaus, Ph.D. – Conference Organiser |
| 13:05 – 13:10 | Welcome from the President of ILADS — Robert C. Bransfield, M.D. |
| | Chairman: Richard I. Horowitz, M.D. |
| 13:10 – 13:50 | Alternative Therapy Options – Richard I. Horowitz, M.D. |
| 13:50 – 14:30 | Kinesiology – naturopathic therapy options for Lyme Disease – Dietrich Klinghardt, M.D. |
| 14:30 – 15:10 | Holistic Treatment – Carsten Nicolaus, P.h.D. |
| 15:10 – 15:25 | Questions |
| 15:25 – 15:45 | Networking Break with poster presentation |
| 15:45 – 16:25 | Environmental Aspects – Jean Monro, M.D. |
| 16:25 – 17:05 | Allergy Risks – Christabelle Yeoh, M.D. |
| 17:05 – 17:20 | Questions |
| 17:20 - 17:25 | Close of Meeting – Armin J. Schwarzbach, Ph.D. |
| Ca. 18:30 | Welcome Reception – location to be confirmed later |
| Ca. 19:30 | Informal Dinner in the “Ratskeller” Restaurant in the basement arches of the Augsburg Town Hall |

Saturday, 28th May 2011:

8:30 – 17:10- Lyme Disease and Co-Infections - Diagnostic & Therapy

(Morning Sessions: Therapy / Afternoon Sessions: Diagnostics)

7:45 – 8:30 Registration

8:30 – 8:35 Introduction – Carsten Nicolaus, Ph.D. – Conference Organiser

8:35 – 8:40 Welcome from the President of ILADS — Robert C. Bransfield, M.D.

Chairman of morning session: Robert C. Bransfield, M.D.

8:40 – 9:25 Lyme Therapy Options – Steve J. Harris, M.D.

9:25 – 10:10 Co-infections – Richard I. Horowitz, M.D.

10:10 – 10:25 Questions

10:25 – 10:45 Networking Break with poster presentation

10:45 – 11:30 Neurological Aspects - David C. Martz, M.D.

11:30 – 12:15 Neuropsychology - Judith G. Leventhal, Ph.D.

12:15 – 12:30 Questions

12:30 – 13:30 Lunch

Chairman of afternoon session: Richard I. Horowitz, M.D.

13:30 – 14:15 Immunology – Raphael B. Stricker, M.D.

14:15 – 14:25 Questions

14:25 – 15:10 Indirect Laboratory Tests – Armin J. Schwarzbach, Ph.D.

15:10 – 15:30 Networking Break with poster presentation

15:30 – 16:15 Direct Laboratory Tests – Jyotsna Shah, M.D.

16:15 – 16:30 Questions

16:30 – 17:00 “Highly sensitive and specific low-cost lab-on-a-chip system for Lyme disease diagnosis” (FP7 scientific project of the European Union) - Armin Schwarzbach, Ph.D.

17:00 – 17:05 Close of Meeting – Armin J. Schwarzbach, Ph.D.

17:05 Drinks Reception

Registration and Payment

The registration fee includes access to all scientific sessions, conference materials, simultaneous translation (English to German), lunch, tea and coffee.

How to Register

Delegates can register online (www.ilads.org) for the conference, using a secure credit or debit card payment site. To register, please scroll down to the bottom of this informational page.

Registration Fee

Registration Fee 1st Day:

Registration Fee until 1st April 2011:
ILADS-Member: € 70 EUR
Non-Member: € 80 EUR

Registration Fee after 1st April 2011: € 90 EUR

Registration Fee 2nd Day:

Registration Fee until 1st April 2011:
ILADS-Member: € 110 EUR
Non-Member: € 140 EUR

Registration Fee after 1st April 2011: € 160 EUR

Registration Fee for both Conference Days:

Registration Fee until 1st April 2011:
Member: € 180
Non-Member: € 210

Registration Fee after 1st April 2011: € 240

Tickets at the Door:

Day 1: € 100 EUR
Day 2: € 170 EUR
Day 1 & 2: € 250 EUR

Registration Fees for Patients, Support Group Members and Students:

Day 1: € 50 EUR
Day 2: € 60 EUR
Day 1 & 2: € 100 EUR

Registration Payment Information

This conference is being organized by ILADS members Dr. Carsten Nicolaus and Dr. Armin Schwarzbach on behalf of the International Lyme and Associated Diseases Society. Credit card payments can be made through Paypal. We regret that we are unable to take credit card payments by telephone at this time.

Confirmation

After registration and receipt of payment delegates will be sent an email confirmation, which should be printed out and brought to the conference registration.

Registration Cancellation & Refunds

50% refund given when cancelled until 13th May, 2011.
No refund can be given after 13th May, 2011.

Accreditation

This is a CME (Continuing Medical Education) accredited conference and you will receive CME points from the Bavarian Medical Association in Munich. All participants will be issued certificates of attendance after each conference day.

Objective

To give physicians with clinical practice the basic tools to diagnose and treat Lyme disease and associated diseases.

Conference Venue

Annahof Augsburg – Augustana Saal
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Venue website: www.tagen-im-annahof.de

The conference venue is located only a short distance from the main conference hotels (ca. 3 – 15 Minutes).

Commercial Interests

If you are interested in exhibiting at the conference, or renting a stand, please contact Lymedocs@aol.com.

There will be limited availability for commercial representation. Approximately 8 tables will be available for rent on both days. Cost € 1,000 EUR for both days.

Eligibility

This is an ILADS educational meeting aimed at physicians. There are ca. 50 spaces available for support group members and patients interested in the conference.