



XIX. INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM OF MORPHOLOGICAL SCIENCES

BUDAPEST 2007
August 19-24

Dear colleagues,

On behalf of the Organizing Committee of the XIX. International Symposium on Morphological Sciences we are pleased to invite you to this exciting meeting, which will be held in Budapest, Hungary under the auspices of EFEM and the Hungarian Anatomical Society from 19-23 August 2007. The XIX. ISMS is an outstanding event in the life of the Hungarian Anatomical Society, which will celebrate its 40th anniversary in 2007. It is a pleasure for us to set up a scientifically professional and socially entertaining and enjoyable program for the participants and the accompanying persons.

Today the anatomical sciences are more crucial for the rapidly developing clinical sciences - diagnostics and therapy - than ever before. The new advances in other biological sciences - like molecular cell biology and genetic - has been used in anatomy, histology, neuroanatomy and embryology to understand the structure, function and diseases of the living organism. Anatomy is the most ancient biomedical teaching and research field, which covers the structure from the microscopic level to the gross anatomy. During the last 50 years the biomedical research and teaching specialized for different topics, which accumulated tremendous knowledge, enriching the anatomical sciences as well. The Organizing Committee invites every researcher to use this opportunity to present original work or review a biomedical research area.

The XIX. ISMS will be organized in plenary lectures, symposia and poster presentations:

Major symposia organized:

Adipocyte – and obesity
Anatomical forms, variations and function
Clinical anatomy
Connective tissue, cartilage, bone
Cytoskeleton
Electron microscopy and confocal images as a 21st century tools of morphological sciences
Extracellular matrix
Fibroblast –myofibroblast- tissue repair
Gastrointestinal tract, development and anatomy
History of the morphological sciences
Lymphomyeloid system, mononuclear system, dendritic cell
Neurobiology and neuroendocrinology
Reproductive system development and anatomy
Respiratory system, development and anatomy
Sensory organs, development and anatomy
Stem cell biology in organogenesis and regeneration
Teaching, learning and testing in the anatomy sciences
Transgenic and knockout models in developmental biology
Urinary system development and anatomy
Vasculogenesis; endothelial cell biology, pericyte

The colleagues are kindly asked to notify their intention of participation with using the Preliminary Reporting Form by October 15th of 2006 by e-mail or fax to get detailed information of the meeting.

The Organizing Committee encourages every scientist who would like to organize a symposium to contact the Organizing Committee by August 31st.

Preliminary Reporting Form

Family name: _____
First name: _____
Topic of presentation: _____
Institution: _____
Department: _____
Address: _____
City: _____ State/Province: _____
Zip/Postal Code: _____ Country: _____
E-mail: _____

As the American Association of Anatomists says: "Anatomy is in Motion", but only if many young scientists join us. Thus, we encourage the senior scientists to support graduate students and postdoctoral fellows to participate in the XIX. ISMS in Budapest, Hungary.

The congress venue and accomodation of the participants will be at a wellness hotel, which is located on the right bank of the river Danube, 15 minutes by bus or street car from the center of the city.

Best regards,
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**19-24 August 2007
Corinthia Aquincum Hotel Budapest**

Congress venu: CORINTHIA AQUINCUM HOTEL *****
BUDAPEST, www.corinthia.hu

Opening lecture, opening ceremony, presentations, all sessions will be held at the conference hall and Conference rooms of Hotel Corinthia Aquincum.

Commercial Exhibition:

The exhibition will be held next to Main Conference hall, 20, 21, 22, 23, August, 09.00 – 18.00

Poster presentation:

The poster presentation will be held in Foyer, next to Main Conference room

Program

19, August	Arrival, Resgistration, Welcome Party
20, August	Opening Ceremony, Plenary Lectures, Lunch Free entertaining Firework at 9 pm over the Danube
21, August	Plenary lectures, Symposia Lunch, Symposia Poster presentation I Tours & programmes for accompaning persons
22, August	Plenary lectures, Symposia Lunch, Symposia Poster presentation II Tours & programmes for accompaning persons
23, August	Symposia, Closing remarks Lunch Farewell party at a country farm
24, August	Departures

Registration fee: 400,-EUR / pers.

Included services: welcome party, 4x /simple/ lunch at congress venu, coffee breaks during conference, farewell party, 5 days Budapest ticket for public transport

Accompanying persons: 180,-EUR + 80,-EUR /4x lunch/
Included services: welcome party, Szentendre excursion, farewell party, 5 days ticket for public transport

Hotels: Corinthia AQUINCUM Hotel***** www.corinthia.hu

Standard SGL room 620,-EUR Executive SGL room 795,-EUR
Standard DBL room 695,-EUR Executive DBL room 880,-EUR

Room rates include : 5 x overnight, büffet breakfast, all local taxes, free use of Aphrodite Spa /swimming-pool, saunas, jacuzzi, steam bath, fitness room

Best Western Hotel LIDO and Wellness Centrum*****

10-15 min. from Corinthia Aquincum Hotel,
www.bestwestern-ce.com/lido

SGL room 470,-EUR DBL room 530,-EUR

Room rates include : 5 x overnight, büffet breakfast, all local taxes, free use of sauna and jacuzzi, 1x free transfer to city centre per day

Hotel HUNOR***, 10-15 min. from Corinthia Aquincum Hotel,

www.hotels.hu/hunor
SGL room 250,-EUR DBL room 530,-EUR
Room rates include : 5 x overnight, büffet breakfast, all local taxes

Welcome to Hungary, welcome to Budapest !

More than 1100 years of history, colourful traditions and folk art, scenic beauty, teeming cultural life and - most of all - friendly, warmhearted people and Hungarian cuisine with rich flavours, Hungarian wines – just a few reasons to visit Hungary.

Budapest, the capital /with more than two million inhabitants/ has a unique geographical position. The River Danube splits the city in two parts, separating the hills of Buda from the flatland of Pest and runs through the historical city centre.

From the Citadel on Gellért Hill you can enjoy the wonderful panorama of the elegant bridges and the buildings along the Danube banks with their various styles.

Treasures of Budapest: the historic old town on Castle hill is a living museum; Andrásy Avenue /Unesco World Heritage Site/, St Stephen Basilica, Paraliament on Danube bank, Heroes' Square and the City Park with Vajdahunyad Castle, Europe's biggest Synagoge, Gellért Spa, Citadel on Gellért Hill, funicular to Castle district,

Margaret Island and many more.

More than 200 museums and galleries present the histroy and art of the country from the Roman time to the present. Budapest is among the richest European cities in Art-Nouveau.

August is the season of Opera- and Ballet Festival and the Jewish Cultural Festival in Budapest.

Arrival: The Ferihegy International Airport is 30 minutes drive to the congress venu and hotels offered in Budapest. International airlines flying to Budapest direct or schedule via major European cities like Frankfurt, London, MÜN, Zürich or Vienna.

Social program: 20th of August is a national holiday. The country celebrates the foundation of the statehood, which took place in A.D. 1000. Different entertaining events will take place all day along the Danube, closing at 9 pm with spectacular fireworks over the river.

We hope to see you in Hungary, and we are sure that your contribution will greatly enhance the impact of the conference



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