



1st Recent Advances in Health and Medical Sciences



Conference Programme -Continuous Medical Education (30 Credits)

Friday 7th March, 2008 (15.30 - 20.30): Registration, Poster Mounting, Opening, Welcome address.

Session (S)1 (Each Lecture is 15 mins plus 5 mins Questions): **Introduction and General Health Issues**

GJ Kontoghiorghes (CY) A Nicolaidis (CY), S V Shah (USA), M Hopp (IS) A Kolnagou (CY)

Saturday 8th March, 2008:

S2:Cardiovascular Disease- A Nicolaidis M Griffin A Panayiotou (CY) AZ Valant (SL), E Economides (CY)

S3:Infectious Diseases-P Karayiannis(UK) G Potamitis (CY) D Paraskevis(GR) R Evans(UK) JJM Marx(NL)

S4:Oxidative Stress & Disease-S Shah (USA) S Mueller (GE) D Galaris (GR) B Reeder (UK) H Black (USA)

S5: Toxic Side Effects of Smoking and Pollution- I Pashalidis (CY) Y Kouridis (CY) N Georgiou (CY)

S6: Nutrition and Child Health- A Hackett (UK) Ch Hadjigeorgiou (CY) A Kafatos (GR) M Tornaritis (CY)

Round Table Discussion on Advances in Nutrition, Obesity, Childhood Development& Related Diseases

Gala Dinner Sponsored by the School of Health Sciences of Neapolis University Cyprus

Sunday 9th March, 2008:

S7:Advances in Haematological Diseases- E Rachmilewitz (IS) C-T Peng (TW) M Tsironi (GR)

S8:Inherited Diseases and Gene Therapy - M Antoniou (UK) M Themis(UK) FJ Tsai (TW)

S9:Treatments in Thalassaemia & MDS - A Kolnagou (CY) S Gotsis (GR) A Meo (IT) E Rachmilewitz (IS)

S10:Chelation Therapy- A Aessopos A Kolnagou K Farmaki V Berdoukas (GR) GJ Kontoghiorghes (CY)

Round Table Discussion and Doctor / Thalassaemia Patient and Parents session

S11: Traditional Chinese Medicine and Acupuncture- SF Hsu YT Fu MY Lin (TW)

Open Public session and Round Table Discussion on Traditional Chinese Medicine and Acupuncture

Monday 10th March, 2008:

S12: Rheumatoid Arthritis and Immunology - G Panayi (UK) V Corrigan (UK) IR Evans (UK)

S13: Metal Toxicity, Antidotes & Chelators - M Piasek (CR) Y Yu (AUS) RJ Abergel (USA) G Liu (USA)

S14: Free Radicals &Antioxidants- I Afanasi'ev (RU) DV Stass (RU) T Karogodina (RU) MT Wilson (UK)

Afternoon Excursion to St Neophytos and Paphos

Tuesday 11th March, 2008:

S15:Cancer Research- D Richardson (Aus) P Ponka (CA) Z Kovacevic (AUS) Y S Rahmanto (AUS)

S16:Iron&Oxidative Stress & Disease - M Kruszewski (PO) S Immenshuh (GE) K Pantopoulos (CA)

S17:Diagnosis & Treatment of Renal Diseases- S V Shah (USA) Pieridis A (CY) K N Felekis (CY)

S18:Genetics and models of Renal Diseases- E Mandache (RO) P Petrou (CY), C Deltas (CY)

S19: Poster Presentations and Poster Awards.

Evening: Cypriot Culture Night

Wednesday 12th March, 2008:

S20:Diabetes, Obesity, Diseases of Nutrition – X Li (CH) S Savva (CY) N Skordis (CY) A Efstathiou (CY)

S21:Viral Epidemiology and Antivirals- P Karayiannis (UK) G Sebastiani (IT) G Germanidis (GR)

S22:Advances in Cardiovascular Imaging - AS Anayiotos (USA) G Georgiou (CY) C Pattichis (CY)

Announcement of the 2nd RAHMS. Closing (Midday).

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