Annual Congress of the Belgian Society of Internal Medicine
December 14th-15th, 2018
Dolce La Hulpe, La Hulpe

Friday December 14th, 2018

Morning Session
09.30 - 12.30 Simultaneous workshops
Endocrinology
General Internal Medicine
Nephrology

12.30 -13.30 Best Clinical Article 2017 Award Session
Lecture
“The human microbiome in health and disease: hype or hope?”
by Gwen Falony and Jeroen Raes, KUL

Saturday December 15th, 2018

09.00 : Welcome by the President
Prof. Patrick Laer, VUB
09.05 - 09:40 : Treatment of diabetes mellitus: an update
Prof. Bart Keymeulen, VUB
09.40 - 10.15 : Management of the hiv-infected patient in 2018
Prof. Stéphane De Wit, CHU St - Pierre
10.15 - 10.50 : How to handle proteinuria
Prof. Michel Jadoul, UCL
10.50 - 11.25 : Coffee break and Poster Viewing
11.25 - 12.30 : Young internists’ Corner
12.30 - 13.30 : Lunch and Poster viewing
13.30 - 14.40: Investigators’ Award
Successful treatment of disseminated Erdheim Chester Disease with targeted therapy
Céline Jacobs, Marie-Angélique De Scheerder, Jo Van Dorpe, Vibeke Kruse, Dirk Vogelaers,
UZ Gent, Gent, Belgium
Growth hormone (GH) deficient mice with GHRH gene ablation are severely deficient in vaccine and immune responses against Streptococcus pneumoniae
Khalil Farhat, Gwennaëlle Bodart, Michel Moutschen, Roberto Salvatori, Henri Martens, Vincent Geenen, Uliège GIGA Institute, Liège-Sart Tilman, Belgium
Neuragic amyotrophy in the context of acute HIV and CMV infection
Eike Decommer, Veronique Bissay, Sabine Allard, Universitätsklinikum Zürich, Zürich, Switzerland
The many faces of atypical Hemolytic Uremic Syndrome (aHUS) in Belgium
Annick Massart, Kathleen Claes, Laurent Weeckers, Niufer Broeders, Eric Cofin et al
Institut de Recherche Interdisciplinaire en Biologie Humaine et moléculaire, Brussels, Belgium
Investigating the Role of the Gut Microbiome in the Inflammatory State of Myeloproliferative Neoplasms
Kenza El Alaoui, Claudia Weihe, Andrew Oliver, Brianna Craver, Hew Lai, Daniel Kim, Angela Fleischman
Université Libre de Bruxelles, Brussels, Belgium
Takayasu arteritis: diagnostic features, treatment and outcome in a Belgian university hospital
Leticia Barrios, Daniel Blockmans, Steven Vanderschueren
University Hospitals Leuven, Leuven, Belgium
Dr. Jan Pen, H Hartziekenhuis, Lier
14.55 - 15.05 : Award Ceremony & Congress Closing followed by the Professional Union General Assembly
Friday December 14\textsuperscript{th}, 2018 - Simultaneous Workshops

\textbf{09.30 -12.30: General Internal Medicine}
Porphyria - W. Meersseman, KUL
Mineral deficiency and clinical manifestations - G. Dechaux, ULB

\textbf{09.30 -12.30: Nephrology}
Renal insufficiency as a cardiovascular risk factor - K.M. Wissing, VUB
Nephrological signs and symptoms that require nephrology consultation - A. Van der Tol, UGent

\textbf{09.30 -12.30: Endocrinology}
Pregnancy and endocrine disorders - D. Valdes Socin, UCL
Weird thyroid function tests - B. Bravenboer, VUB

\textbf{12.30 -13.30 Best Clinical Article 2017 Award Session}
Winning article
Quantitative microbiome profiling links gut community variation to microbial load
\textit{Nature} 2017, by Doris Vandeputte et al

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\textbf{13.30- 14.30 Lunch}

\textbf{14.30 -17.30: Emergency medicine}
Interactive cases in clinical toxicology - P. De Paepe and W. Buylaert, UGent
To tube or not to tube: that is the question during CPR for out of hospital cardiac arrests - S. Malinverni, CHU St Pierre
Clinical cases of impending cardiac arrest or post resuscitation, mainly focusing on the reversible causes and their management - P. Vanbrabant, KUL

\textbf{14.30 -17.30: Infectious Diseases}
Tapas in infectiology - D. Vogelaers, UGent - Y. Van Laethem, CHU St Pierre

\textbf{14.30 -17.30: Neurology}
Complications in the medical treatment of Parkinson’s disease patients - P. Santens, UGent
The borderland of neurology and internal medicine - N. Gaspard, ULB

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Registration Details - online registration only www.bsim.be

Late registration - 2 day meeting: after October 15th, 2018
Members: € 100
Non members: € 120
Trainees: € 60

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- Free parking available
- Overnight accommodation available