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ESACT Meeting 2011 in Vienna



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Since its foundation in 1976, ESACT meetings with their joint trade exhibition have developed into one of the two major events in the area of animal cell culture technology, building on a tradition of combining both basic science and its use and transfer into industrial technology. Attended by participants both from academia and industry, ESACT meetings are ideal venues for creating solutions to problems by trying to understand the cell and its functioning while introducing the technical solutions available both from research institutions and commercial providers. In track with this tradition, the motto of the 2011 Vienna ESACT meeting is

“Cell Based Technologies”

highlighting the importance of the cell as the central tool for all technologies and applications covered in the scientific program.

The Scientific and Organising Committees cordially invite you to this event and look forward to meeting old friends, to introducing newcomers to the area of animal cell technology and to lively interactions and discussions on the newest hot topics in the field.

Nicole Borth

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Meeting Chairs

Sunday May 15.– Wednesday May 18, 2011
Vienna Hofburg Congress Centre



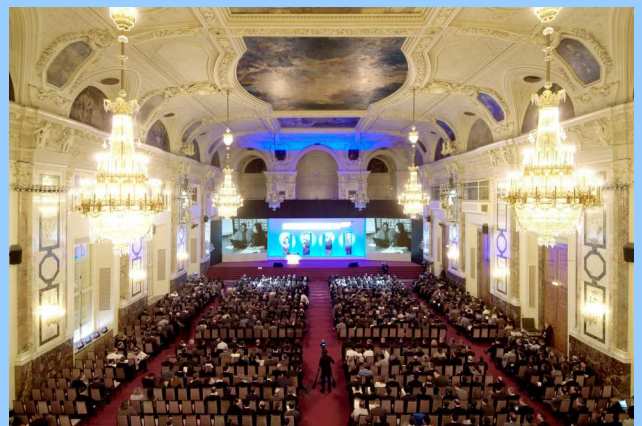
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Scientific Program

Sessions:

1. Cell Stability and Differentiation
2. Cells as Product
3. Stem Cells and Directed Differentiation
4. Cellular Mechanisms of Protein Synthesis, Processing & Secretion
5. Biopharmaceutics and Vaccine Production
6. Understanding Complex Interactions and Cell Engineering

Keynote Speakers:

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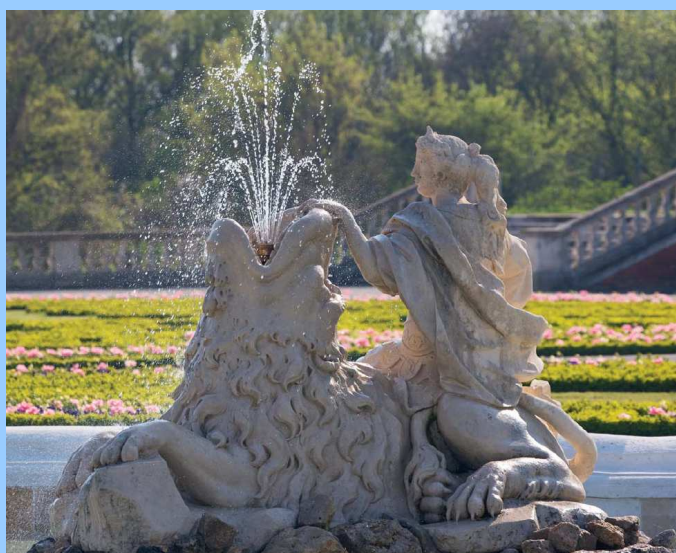
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Call for Abstracts and Submissions

Oral presentations will be chosen from the abstracts submitted. Submissions can be for both oral and poster presentations for the above sessions. Please visit the homepage for detailed instructions and on-line submission at www.ESACT2011.com

Deadlines

Abstract Submission:	January 15 th , 2011
Speaker Acceptance:	end of February 2011
End of early registration:	March 14 th , 2011

Registration

Formal registration on our homepage is already open. The registration fee will include conference and workshop participation, meals, social events including the excursion and the gala dinner on Wednesday evening.

	Early	Late
Member	640 €	990 €
Non-Member	890 €	1350 €
Student	340 €	370 €
Accompanying Person	200 €	260 €

Exhibition and Sponsoring

For Details on the Exhibition and on sponsoring opportunities please contact Media-Plan, c/o Sonja Chmella, mp@media.co.at

Venue and Accommodation

The Vienna Hofburg Congress Centre is located near Ringstrasse in the centre of Vienna. Rooms in several hotels in the vicinity have been reserved at special rates. Please visit our homepage for on-line booking and further information.