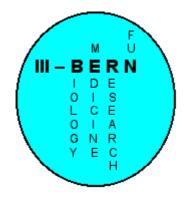
Inflammation, Immunomodulation, Inspiration



International Summer School

August 30 - September 02, 2002

Organization: Prof. Hans-Uwe Simon, MD, PhD

Location: CREDO Schlosshotel Unspunnen near Interlaken (www.vch.ch/credo)

Faculty (confirmed by February 2002):

PD Dr. Anne-Catherine Andres, PhD (Bern)

Prof. Dr. Marco Baggiolini, MD (Lugano)

PD Dr. Thomas Brunner, PhD (Bern)

PD Dr. Thomas Hartung, MD, PhD (Konstanz)

PD Dr. Pius Loetscher, PhD (Bern)

Prof. Dr. Christoph Müller, PhD (Bern)

Prof. Dr. Joseph Pfeilschifter, MD (Frankfurt)

Dr. Federica Sallusto, PhD (Bellinzona)

PD Dr. Francois Spertini, MD (Lausanne)

Prof. Dr. Beda Stadler, PhD (Bern)

Prof. Dr. Hans-Uwe Simon, MD, PhD (Bern)

Prof. Dr. Peter Villiger, MD (Bern)

Dr. Shida Yousefi, PhD (Bern)

PD Dr. Uwe Zangemeister-Wittke, PhD (Zürich)

Prof. Dr. Andrew Ziemiecki, PhD (Bern)

Description: The school offers the unique possibility of meeting internationally recognized researchers in the field of inflammation during four days without interruption. Students and faculty members will present their research projects in an informal atmosphere, which includes intense discussion. Students will receive input for their own work and learn how projects are created by principal investigators. One other important goal is the promotion of future scientific collaborations among the participating groups. The school starts with a scientific symposium in Bern (see separated invitation). The school is open for PhD and MD students. The number of students is limited to 30 due to space problems. PhD and MD/PhD students of the University Bern receive 30 credit points (PIAF program). Furthermore, the meeting is recognized for the continuous medical education and participants receive 16 credits in Allergology and Clinical Immunology FMH.

Program Summer School

Scientific symposium on August 30, 2002: Factors that drive inflammation (see separated invitation).

Schedule Summer School:

Friday, August 30, 2002

17:00	Transfer from Bern to the Schlosshotel by private cars
18.30 - 19.30	Dinner

Saturday, August 31, 2002

08.00 - 9.00	Breakfast

09.30 - 10.30	Research projects of faculty members
10.30 - 11.00	Coffee Break
11.00 - 12.30	Research projects of students
12.30 - 13.30	Lunch
14.00 - 15.30	Research projects of students
15.30 - 18.30	Trip
18.30 - 19.30	Dinner
19.30 - 20.30	Evening lecture: Drug targets in autoimmunity

Sunday, September 01, 2002

08.00 - 9.00	Breakfast
09.30 - 10.30	Research projects of faculty members
10.30 - 11.00	Coffee Break
11.00 - 12.30	Research projects of students
12.30 - 13.30	Lunch
14.00 - 18.30	Trip
18.30 - 19.30	Dinner
19.30 - 20.30	Evening lecture: Drug targets in allergy

Monday, September 02, 2002

08.00 - 9.00	Breakfast
09.30 - 10.30	Research projects of faculty members
10.30 - 11.00	Coffee Break
11.00 - 12.30	Research projects of students
12.30 - 13.30	Lunch
17:00	Departure

There will be the possibility to return to Bern on the river Aare by boat departuring from Thun.

Registration:

Please send an E-mail expressing your willingness and motivation of participating in the school to Peggy Shala, secretary to Prof. Hans-Uwe Simon (E-mail: peggy.shala@pki.unibe.ch). Since the number of participants is limited, early application is recommended. Accepted students send an abstract and pay a fee of CHF 100, which includes accommodation, school material, and meals (breakfast, lunch, and dinner, but no coffee breaks). Please do not transfer any money before you received a letter of acceptance.

Abstracts:

Accepted students send abstracts of their work (not more than 1 page) to Dr. Shida Yousefi (E-mail: shida.yousefi@pki.unibe.ch).

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