



GENOMICS OF RARE DISEASES

SERBORDISINN & 2014 GOLDEN HELIX SYMPOSIUM

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Friday, October 31th, 2014

08:00 – 17:00	Registration for participants
08:30 – 09:00	Welcome Addresses
KEYNOTE LECTURES I	
Chair: Sonja Pavlovic (Belgrade, Serbia)	
09:00 – 09:30	Radoje Drmanac (Mountain View, USA; Shenzhen, China) <i>Whole genome sequencing for personal and population genomics: rare disease diagnosis and prevention</i>
09:30 – 10:00	Hanns Lochmuller (Newcastle upon Tyne, Great Britain) <i>RD-Connect and NeurOmics in rare disease research</i>
10:00 – 10:30	Belen Perez (Madrid, Spain) <i>Next generation sequencing applied to the diagnosis of inherited metabolic disorders</i>
10:30 – 11:00	COFFEE BREAK AND POSTER VIEWING
SESSION I: PUBLIC HEALTH OF RARE DISEASES	
Chair: Dragica Radojkovic (Belgrade, Serbia)	
11:00 – 12:00	Angela Brand (Maastricht, The Netherlands) <i>Public Health Genomics - What's in for Rare Diseases?</i>
	Pilar Nicolas Jimenez (Bilbao, Spain) <i>Genomics of rare diseases within Europe. Legal issues.</i>
	Elisabeth Dequeker (Leuven, Belgium) <i>External quality assessment of genetic testing: a necessity for quality of care</i>
	Sonja Pavlovic (Belgrade, Serbia) <i>State of the art of rare disease activities in Serbia</i>
12:00 – 12:15	CORPORATE LECTURE
	Szabolcs Kokeny (Product Specialist EMEA, Illumina) <i>Gaining insight into genetic diseases with Illumina sequencing technology</i>



SESSION II: GENOMICS OF RARE DISEASES	
Chair: Milena Stevanovic (Belgrade, Serbia)	
12:15 – 13:15	Kostas Stamatopoulos (Thessaloniki, Greece) <i>Immunogenetics in marginal-zone lymphomas</i>
	Beata Burzynska (Warsaw, Poland) <i>Genomics and new perspectives for rare red blood cell disorders</i>
	Istvan Balogh (Debrecen, Hungary) <i>Monogenic diabetes - lessons from a rare form of a common disease</i>
	Ayse Nazli Basak (Istanbul, Turkey) <i>The distinct genetics of ALS on Turkey</i>
13:15 – 14:00	LUNCH
KEYNOTE LECTURES II	
Chair: George Patrinos (Patras, Greece)	
14:00 – 14:30	Federico Innocenti (North Carolina, USA) <i>Exceptional responders in cancer therapy</i>
14:30 – 15:00	Michael Lee (Yokohama, Japan) <i>Pharmacogenetic study of drug induced severe cutaneous disorders</i>
SESSION III: PHARMACOGENOMICS AND INDIVIDUALIZED THERAPY	
Chair: George Patrinos (Patras, Greece)	
15:00 – 16:30	Milan Macek Jr (Praha, Czech Republic) <i>Pharmacogenomic studies in rare disease diagnostics and therapy: cystic fibrosis as a model</i>
	George P. Patrinos (Patras, Greece) <i>Personalized pharmacogenomics profiling</i>
	Alessio Squassina (Monserrato, Cagliari, Italy) <i>Cluster headache and bipolar disorder: is there a link?</i>
	Maria Puiu (Timișoara, Romania) <i>Pharmacogenetics - a promising perspective for tailoring the antipsychotic</i>



	<i>treatment</i>
	Lourdes Desviat (Madrid, Spain) <i>RNA-based therapies for rare diseases</i>
	Noora Ottman (Wageningen, The Netherlands) <i>Microbiota functionality and therapeutic possibilities</i>
16:30 – 16:40	Best Abstract Award
16:40 – 17:15	COFFEE BREAK AND POSTER VIEWING
	FREE AFTERNOON FOR PARTICIPANTS
17:00	Organized transport from Tulip Inn Hotel to the IMGGE
SERBORDISinn PROJECT – FUTURE PERSPECTIVES OF RESEARCH ON RARE DISEASES IN SERBIA Venue: IMGGE Institute, Vojvode Stepe 444a, Belgrade	
17:30 – 18:30	SERBORDISinn STEERING COMMITTEE MEETING (only for management team and members of SC)
18:30 – 19:30	SERBORDISinn PROJECT PARTNERS MEETING (open for all EU partners, Balkan partners and local partners)
19:30	Organized transport from IMGGI to restaurant
20:00	CONFERENCE DINNER for speakers Organized transport from the restaurant to Tulip Inn Hotel



Saturday, November 1st, 2014

SESSION IV: RARE DISEASES IN BALKAN COUNTRIES (short presentations, discussions, initiatives) <i>Chair: Maja Stojiljkovic (Belgrade, Serbia)</i>	
10:00 – 10:10	Zeljka Dukic (Ministry of Education Science and Technological Development Republic of Serbia) <i>Balkan Region's participation in Horizon 2020</i>
10:10 – 11:40	Maja Djordjevic (Belgrade, Serbia) <i>Inborn errors of metabolism in Serbia</i>
	Irena Drmic Hofman (Split, Croatia) <i>Molecular diagnostics of rare cancers - time for regional networking?</i>
	Ksenija Fumic (Zagreb, Croatia) <i>Laboratory diagnosis of rare diseases in Croatia: present situation and trends</i>
	Snezana Kojic (Belgrade, Serbia) <i>Diagnosis of neuromuscular diseases in Serbia and launch of the Serbian Neuromuscular Disease Network NMD-SERBNET</i>
	Nina Maric (Banja Luka, Bosnia and Herzegovina) <i>Rare diseases detected in genetic counseling in Republic of Srpska</i>
	Ales Maver (Ljubljana, Slovenia) <i>Centre for Mendelian genomics: facilitating diagnostics of rare disorders</i>
	Olivera Miljanovic (Podgorica, Montenegro) <i>Approach to rare diseases in Montenegro</i>
	Borut Peterlin (Ljubljana, Slovenia) <i>Clinical exome sequencing improves diagnostics of rare diseases</i>
	Dijana Plaseska-Karanfilska (Skopje, Macedonia)
	Emil Polák (Bratislava, Slovakia) <i>Rare diseases in Slovakia: Diagnostics and future perspectives</i>
	Jelica Predojevic Samardzic (Banja Luka, Bosnia and Herzegovina) <i>Rare diseases in Republic of Srpska</i>



	Albena Todorova (Sofia, Bulgaria) <i>Molecular defects behind the syndromes in Bulgaria. The application of novel technologies in diagnostics of rare disease</i>
11:40 – 12:10	COFFEE BREAK AND POSTER VIEWING
12:10 – 13:40	Goran Brajuskovic (Belgrade, Serbia)
	Aleksandra Divac Rankov (Belgrade, Serbia) <i>Molecular diagnostics of rare pulmonary diseases in Serbia</i>
	Vita Dolzan (Ljubljana, Slovenia) <i>20 years of molecular genetic diagnostics in Slovenian CAH patients and families: CYP21A2 mutation spectrum and genotype-phenotype correlation</i>
	Danijela Drakulic (Belgrade, Serbia) <i>Microdeletion syndromes: our experience</i>
	Dragana Janic (Belgrade, Serbia) <i>Gaucher disease research in Serbia</i>
	Lejla Kapur Pojskic (Sarajevo, Bosnia and Herzegovina) <i>Inbreeding as contributing factor in prevalence of rare diseases</i>
	Ivana Novakovic (Belgrade, Serbia) <i>From linkage analysis to whole genome sequencing: discovering of the new gene responsible for Idiopathic Basal Ganglia Calcification</i>
	Jadranka Jovanovic-Privrodski (Novi Sad, Serbia)
	Jelena Roganovic (Rijeka, Croatia) <i>Fabry disease in children</i>
	Dusanka Savic – Pavicevic (Belgrade, Serbia)
	Zorica Sumarac (Belgrade, Serbia) <i>Gaucher Disease in Serbian Population: Enzymatic Laboratory Diagnostics</i>
	Marija Zaric (Banja Luka, Bosnia and Herzegovina)
13:40 – 14:00	CLOSING REMARKS – FUTURE MEETINGS
14:00 – 15:00	LUNCH