

*Second Announcement*

# *7<sup>th</sup> European Congress of Toxicologic Pathology*

*Drug Induced Toxicologic Pathology – Examples & Methods Used*



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*September 15<sup>th</sup> – 18<sup>th</sup>, 2009  
The Hague, The Netherlands*

Organized under the auspices of the  
**European Society of Toxicologic Pathology**



# Invitation

We invite you to the 7<sup>th</sup> European Congress of Toxicologic Pathology with colleagues and experts in the field of toxicologic pathology from all parts of Europe and from all over the world. This will be an interesting and global event, which will take place at the wonderful venue of the Kurhaus situated on the North Sea in The Hague, The Netherlands.

Topics included are:

- Skin and Soft Tissues
- Liver
- Cardiovascular System
- Models Used in Toxicologic Pathology
- Safety and Efficacy
- The Nose-Brain Connection
- Update on the 'International Harmonization of Nomenclature and Diagnostic Criteria for lesions in rats and mice („INHAND“)

Prior to the ESTP Congress, a half-day IFSTP/IATP satellite meeting on "Systems Pathology: Whole Animal Responses to Toxicity" will take place, organized by the International Academy of Toxicologic Pathology (IATP) and starting on Tuesday, September 15<sup>th</sup>.

The congress will take place in the wonderful venue of the Kurhaus Hotel, providing an excellent atmosphere for the scientific meetings.

The Hague is the political capital of The Netherlands and has a lot to offer in terms of cultural events, concerts, art exhibits, a night out at the theatre, shopping in the city centre and a bracing walk at the seaside. The Hague is a beautiful city full of life and is a truly globally oriented city with the Peace Palace, International Court of Justice, OPCW and Shell head office. The political and royal residencies as well as most foreign embassies are situated in The Hague. In very close proximity you will find the town Delft with its historic buildings, canals and famous Delft pottery.

This congress offers a great deal of subjects that concern everyday working practice for toxicologic pathologists, presenting state-of-the art lectures given by world famous professionals in the field of Toxicologic Pathology. We hope to welcome you all in The Hague on September 15<sup>th</sup>, 2009.

For current information visit our Website [www.eurotoxpath.org](http://www.eurotoxpath.org).

# Congress Organizers

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## IATP Organizing Committee

Eugenia Floyd & Jerry Hardisty

## *Case Presentations*

An internet slide seminar on cases from all fields of Toxicologic pathology will again be organized. Details for submitting a case are given on the ESTP Website [www.eurotoxpath.org](http://www.eurotoxpath.org)

Case descriptions and scanned slides will be available electronically via the ESTP Website prior to the congress. Participants of the congress, as well as non-participants, will have the chance to review the slides on-line and submit their diagnoses.

The contributors will give presentations of their cases during the congress.

Microscopes and projection screen will be available on site at the exhibition area for individual glass slide discussion on the “Show your slide to a colleague” stand of Zeiss. This gives the opportunity for everybody to bring interesting slides and discuss them with colleagues taking into account the GLP guidelines and/or management approval when appropriate.

Deadline for submission of case presentations is **August 1<sup>st</sup>, 2009**

## *Posters*

Abstracts for posters covering all fields of Toxicologic Pathology are welcome and will be considered.

Deadline for submission of posters is **July 15, 2009**.

Details for submitting poster abstracts are given on the ESTP Website [www.eurotoxpath.org](http://www.eurotoxpath.org).

## *Congress Venue*

The meeting will take place at the Steigenberger Kurhaus Hotel in The Hague, which has excellent hospitality, top quality, historical value, personal service and integrity and ideal conference facilities. The Kurhaus Hotel is easily accessible for people travelling by car, train or aeroplane. You can get to the hotel from Amsterdam Airport Schiphol and from Rotterdam Airport in less than an hour and from Brussels within two hours.

# Program – Satellite Symposium

Tuesday September 15, 2009

- 13.20            **IATP/IFSTP meeting**  
*Eugenia Floyd*  
Title – Systems Pathology:  
Whole Animal Responses to Toxicity
- 13.25            **Introduction and Welcome**  
*Session Chairperson: Hans Harleman*
- 13.30 – 14.15   **Species Differences in the Acute Phase Response**  
*P. David Eckersall*
- 14.15 – 15.00   **Use of Live Cell and Tissue Biochemistry to Understand  
Mechanisms and Identify Biomarkers in Toxicologic Pathology**  
*Peter O'Brien*
- 15.00 – 15.45   **The Role of Toll-Like Receptors in Innate Immunity**  
*Emmanuel Schenck*
- 15.45 – 16.30   **Forecasting Cytokine Storms: Everything Old is New**  
*Christopher Horvath*
- 16.30 – 17.00   **Coffee Break**
- 17.00 – 17.45   **INHAND**  
*Wolfgang Kaufmann/Susanne Rittinghausen*

# Congress Program

Wednesday September 16, 2009

- 08.40 – 08.45 **Introduction and Welcome**  
*Bob Thoolen*
- 08.45 – 09.10 **Novartis Award ceremony**  
*Thomas Nolte & Ingrid Sjögren*
- 09.10 **Cardiovascular system**  
*Session Chairperson: Marie-France Perron Lepage*
- 09.15 – 10.00 **Targeted anticancer drugs and cardiovascular toxicity**  
*Graham Betton*
- 10.00 – 10.45 **Overview of drug-induced vasculitis in laboratory animals**  
*Jean-Loïc LeNet*
- 10.45 – 11.15 **Coffee Break – “Show your slide to a colleague”**
- 11.15 – 12.00 **Toxicologic pathology aspects of chemically induced cardiovascular toxicity, as seen in National Toxicology Program (NTP) studies**  
*Abraham Nyska*
- 12.00 – 13.00 **Case Presentations 4 x 15**  
*Session Chairperson: Sibylle Gröters*  
*Monitor: Marie-France Perron/Matthias Rinke*
- 13.00 – 14.45 **Lunch**
- Brain-Nose connection**  
*Session Chairperson: Frieke Kuper*
- 14.45 – 15.30 **The many facets of interaction between the nasal tissues and the brain**  
*Frieke Kuper*
- 15.30 – 16.15 **MRI and PET scan of the Brain**  
*Didima-de Groot*
- 16.15 – 16.45 **Coffee Break**
- 16.45 – 17.30 **Neuroinflammation and altered brain immune responses upon inhalation of particles and gases**  
*Lilian Calderon*
- 19.30 **Town Hall**

# Congress Program

Thursday September 17, 2009

- 09.10           **Liver**  
*Session Chairperson: Bob Thoolen*
- 09.15 – 10.00   **Xenobiotic-induced toxicologic pathology of liver**  
*Bob Maronpot*
- 10.00 – 10.45   **Pathogenesis and diagnostic possibilities of drug induced liver failures**  
*Albrecht Wendel*
- 10.45 – 11.15   **Coffee Break**
- 11.15 – 12.00   **Xenobiotic-induced rodent tumors that have little if any relevance to human cancer risk**  
*Bob Maronpot*
- 12.00 – 13.30   **Lunch**
- 13.30           **Safety & Efficacy**  
*Session Chairperson: Paul-Georg Germann*
- 13.30 – 14.15   **Experience of an external consultant in the Safety Assessment of new pharmaceuticals: Examples of success stories and failures**  
*Chikurandath Gopinath*
- 14.15 – 15.00   **Drug-Induced Phospholipidosis**  
*Richard Haworth*
- 15.00 – 15.30   **Coffee Break**
- 15.30 – 16.30   **Case Presentations 4 x15**  
*Session Chairperson: Sibylle Gröters*  
*Monitor: Marie-France Perron/Matthias Rinke*
- 17.00 – 19.00   **ESTP Annual Assembly**
- 19.15           **Conference Dinner**

# Congress Program

Friday September 18, 2009

- 08.25            **Skin and Soft tissues**  
*Session Chairperson: Noel Downes*
- Models used in Toxicologic Pathology**
- 08.30 – 09.15   **Cynomolgus monkey as an animal model in toxicologic pathology**  
*E. de Rijk*
- 09.15 – 10.00   **Animal skin models and relevance for man**  
*Peter Greaves*
- 10.00 – 10.30   **Coffee Break**
- 10.30 – 11.15   **Toxic responses of the skin**  
*Noel Downes*
- 11.15 – 12.00   **Subcutaneous tumour issue with many of the PPARs.**  
*Peter Greaves*
- 12.00 – 12.15   **Closing remarks**  
*Bob Thoolen*
- 12.15 – onwards **Lunch**

Please visit the website [www.eurotoxpath.org](http://www.eurotoxpath.org) before the meeting to get an online preview.

Posters are available during the whole congress.

This program reflects the state as of March 30, 2009. For up-to-date details of the congress please visit [www.eurotoxpath.org](http://www.eurotoxpath.org).



# Congress Registration

To register for the Congress, please use the on-line Registration Form at the ESTP Website [www.eurotoxpath.org](http://www.eurotoxpath.org). If you alternatively prefer to send in your registration data in the “old fashioned way” on paper, please contact our Congress Organizer “Solution office” (fax: +49 5194 97 44 94 / [estp@solution-office.de](mailto:estp@solution-office.de))

## Registration fees:

	Until June 30, 2009	After June 30, 2009
Participant (non-member)	€ 400,-	€ 460,-
ESTP Member	€ 330,-	€ 390,-
Students *)	€ 100,-	€ 100,-
IATP Satellite Symposium	€ 100,-	€ 125,-

\*) Students registration to be supported by letter of supervisor.

Above fees include all lectures, free communications, Slide seminar, lunch, welcome reception and congress dinner.

Accompanying Person	€ 100,-	€ 100,-
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Fee includes welcome reception and congress dinner. Participation in the scientific sessions is **not** included.

## Cancellation and Refund Policy:

Cancellations are to be notified in writing to the Congress Organizing Office. Refunds will be made under the following conditions:

You may cancel at no penalty within 48 hours of placing your registration.

Until August 1<sup>st</sup>, 2009, a 60% refund of the registration fee will be given.

**After August 1<sup>st</sup>, 2009, no registration fees will be refunded.**

All refunds will be handled **after the Congress.**



# General Information

**Congress Venue** Steigenberger Kurhaus Hotel  
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**Access to the congress venue** **from Airport Amsterdam-Schiphol**  
Onwards by train to main station Den Haag (Den Haag Centraal).  
Please visit the website ([www.eurotoxpath.org](http://www.eurotoxpath.org)) for more information.

**Taxi:** At the Schiphol Plaza you can find taxis all the time  
Taxi amount from Airport Amsterdam-Schiphol → Den Haag Scheveningen € 100,00

**from Airport Rotterdam**

**Taxi:** At Rotterdam Airport the taxi terminus is directly next to the terminal. For travelling with a taxi from and to Rotterdam Airport you can contact the Rotterdam Airport Taxi via telephone number +31 (0)10 - 262 04 06. All current credit cards (VISA, Mastercard, American Express, JCB, Diners Club and the international cabcharge card) are accepted.

Taxi amount from Rotterdam Airport → Den Haag Scheveningen € 55,00

**from Main station Den Haag**

Onwards by city train N° to Scheveningen/Kurhaus. Train station Den Haag Holland Spoor: Onwards with city train N° 1 to Scheveningen/Kurhaus.

**Distances** Distances from the congress venue to:

City train station: at the hotel  
Taxi stand: at the hotel  
Main station Den Haag: 3 km  
Motorway (A4): 5 km  
Airport Rotterdam: 25 km  
Airport Amsterdam: 40 km  
City centre Den Haag: 3 km

**Parking** Public garage (P1)  
Parking lot

# General Information

## Taxi Scheveningen

You can order taxi by special rates:

### Train stations

Main station → Kurhaus Hotel: € 18,-

Hollands Spoor → Kurhaus Hotel: € 21,-

Kurhaus Hotel → Main station: € 18,-

Kurhaus Hotel → Hollands Spoor: € 21,-

### Airport

Kurhaus Hotel → Amsterdam Airport: € 67,-

Kurhaus Hotel → Rotterdam Airport: € 55,-

Payment is possible by cash or by credit card.

Credit card payment needs to be mentioned when the taxi is booked.

Booking code ESTP 2009

The Call Center is reachable 24 hours a day, 7 days a week

The international number is: ++31703907722 or 0031703907722

The national number is: 0703907722

Map of The Hague [www.europa-tech.com](http://www.europa-tech.com)

## Accommodation

Hotel	Star rating	Approximate distance to the assembly rooms	Room rate Singel occupancy incl. Breakfast and Tax.	Room block
Steigenberger Kurhaus Hotel	5	0 km	€ 233,76 to € 288,76	150
Ibis Scheveningen	3	0,6 km	€ 150,54	50
Badhotel Scheveningen	3	0,8 km	€ 152,54	40
Carlton Beach Hotel	4	0,9 km	€ 238,81	120
Bilderberg Europa Hotel	4	1 km	€ 199,00	80
Hotel Mozaic	3 plus	2,5 km	€ 127,50 to € 161,00	20
Golden Tulpi Bel Air	4	3 km	€ 218,31	150
Hotel Des Indes	5	5,5 km	€ 280,00	25
Ibis The Hague Central	3	6 km	€ 135,54	100

Please visit the website ([www.eurotoxpath.org](http://www.eurotoxpath.org)) for more information and reservation

## Climate

A temperate maritime climate: winter daytime 0 – 10°C, winter nighttime often below freezing, summer daytime generally between 20 – 30°C, summer nights tend to fall in the 10 – 20° range. Rainfall throughout the year is evenly distributed, often as a light, persistent drizzle. From March to May, the rain tends to fall in short, sharp bursts. The summer months can be quite humid, particularly in the warmest months of June to September. Sunshine is prevalent throughout May to August.

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