We are looking forward to welcoming you in Münster!



XXVIII. Medical Women's **International Association**

International Congress





Social events:

Tuesday, 27 July 2010

Wednesday, 28 July 2010

Thursday, 29 July 2010

Friday, 30 July 2010

Saturday, 31 July 2010

For more details and updated information please visit our website: www.mwia2010.net



German Medical Women's Association



Globalisation in Medicine – Challenges and Opportunities

Münster/Germany 28-31 July 2010

Ursula von der Leyen – patroness of the upcoming MWIA world congress 2010 German Federal Ministry of Labour and Social Affairs, a medical doctor herself.

Local Organizing committee: Dr. Regine Rapp-Engels (Chair)



Welcome to the 28th International Congress of the Medical Women's International Association.

We wish you a wonderful

Münster and Germany are an excellent congress location for several reasons:

- Germany is quite a safe country with well working infrastructure for travelling (pre or post congress tours provided e.g. to Berlin, München, Heidelberg...)
- Münster is situated in the middle of Europe, easy to reach from neighbour countries, and with an own international airport (www.fmo.de) and excellent train connections (3 hours from Frankfurt, 1.5 hours from Düsseldorf)
- Münster is well equipped with meeting and hotel facilities (70 hotels of all categories)
- The Westfalian University of Münster is pleased to support the conference and will provide logistic and scientific support
- Münster is a charming historic picturesque and also green city

which has been awarded the title of "World's Most Livable City" in 2004 (LivCom Award 2004, category: 250,000 to 700,000 inhabitants)

- All regional groups from German Medical Women's Association will support the conference to make your stay here in Münster exciting and unforgettable
- The conference will provide a good possibility for medical doctors and medical students to meet, hear, discuss, learn and work together with other international colleagues

It will be a great honour for us to welcoming you in Germany/ Münster!

Kind regards

Dr. Regine Rapp-Engels President of the German Medical Women's Association

Preliminary program (as of 01.04.2010)

Wednesday, 28 July 2010

10:00 am-12:30 am

Opening ceremony with keynote lecture address How global is health?

Prof. Dr. Ilona Kickbusch, Director, Global Health Programme at the Graduate Institute Geneva, and former Director WHO. Brienz, Switzerland

Special Morning sessions, 29-31 July 2010 8:30 am-9:00 am

Health Care

(breast care, cervical cancer prevention, tertiary health care services, teenage pregnancy programmes, doping)

Thursday, 29 July 2010 09:00 am-12:30 am

Plenary Session I – Gender Strategies/Violence

(leadership, gender mainstreaming, gender based violence, adolescent sexuality)

Gender based war violence

Monika Hauser, medica mondiale e.V., Köln, Germany

Gender Mainstreaming in medicine will improve the health of women

Waltraud Diekhaus, Dortmund, Germany

4.30 pm-6.30 pm

Special Session - Students & Young doctors

Friday, 30 July 2010

09:00 am-12:30 am

Plenary Session II - Addiction

(drugs, alcohol, etc. internet and gambling addiction, etc.)

The addictive brain

Jana Wrase, Germany

Internet addiction - an overview

Dr. Gert-Jan Meerkerk, Rotterdam, the Netherlands

01:30 pm-04:00 pm

Plenary Session III - Epidemic Plagues

(e.g. AIDS, Malaria, TB, HPV)

TB-globalisation and resistances

Elizabeth Nagy, Szeged, Hungary

Gender influences point of AIDS diagnosis in Austrian women Margret Jöchl, Innsbruck, Austria

Workshops planned: 04:30 pm-06:00 pm

Saturday, 31 July 2010

09:00 am-12.30 am

Plenary Session IV - Nutrition

(lifestyle diseases, over-, under- and malnutrition)

Selfish brain: the origin of obesity

Achim Peters, Lübeck, Germany

Interventions for preventing obesity in children

Jeong Wan Seo, Seoul, Korea