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Focuses on the Patients Well-being*

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Dear colleagues and friends,

The Society of Medical Biochemists of Serbia has the pleasure to welcome you to the 11th EFLM Symposium for Balkan Region being held under the title »Laboratory Medicine Specialist Focuses on the Patients Well-being«. European Federation for Clinical Chemistry and Laboratory Medicine (EFLM) appointed Belgrade (Serbia) and the Society of Medical Biochemists of Serbia as the organizer of educational symposia for clinical chemists in the Balkan region and as a result of these decision ten symposia have been organized thus far very successfully.

The 11th EFLM Symposium for Balkan Region is organized under the auspices of the International Federation of Clinical Chemistry (IFCC), Balkan Clinical Laboratory Federation (BCLF), Ministry of Education, Science and Technological Development of Serbia and Ministry of Health of Serbia.

The Society of Medical Biochemists of Serbia as a member of the IFCC and EFLM greatly appreciates the role it has in the continuing development of our discipline according to the IFCC and EFLM mission and the Strategic Plan.

Special thanks go to Simone Zerah, who helped to design the program of this symposium by suggesting topics and lecturers and who enabled the laboratory professionals in the Balkan region and our country to learn about this very important area of laboratory medicine.

The 11th EFLM Symposium for Balkan Region is organized on May 14 and 15, during the celebration days of 60-year anniversary with participation of the European and domestic specialists in field of education, accreditation, quality management, quality indicators, continuing medical education and patients safety in laboratory medicine. On behalf of the Society of Medical Biochemists of Serbia and the European Federation of Clinical Chemistry and Laboratory Medicine (EFLM), we would like to welcome all our distinguished lecturers and thank them for their participation in the 11th EFLM Symposium for Balkan Region. Their presence gives very high recognition and prestige to this Meeting, which will influence the development of clinical chemistry and laboratory medicine in the Balkan region.

Special thanks are addressed to the participants, whose presence is the main stimulus and only reward for those of us who have worked hard in organizing this meeting. We would like to thank all the industrial companies and local representatives participating in the exhibitions and sponsoring the organization of the Symposium.

We hope that the EFLM Symposium in Belgrade will continue its successful progress like in previous years, striving to focus on the new data in the field of laboratory medicine.

To all of you, we wish that you may enjoy these days of science, friendship and hospitality. We hope you will have a happy and pleasant stay in Belgrade.

Symposium President

A handwritten signature in black ink, which appears to read 'Nada Majkić-Singh'.

Prof. Dr Nada Majkić-Singh

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THURSDAY, MAY 14, 2015

First Part: 10:00–13:00

Chairs: *Nada Majkić-Singh, Simone Zerah, Elizabeta Topic*
Society of Medical Biochemists of Serbia and European Federation
of Clinical Chemistry and Laboratory Medicine

10:00–10:15 Introduction: European laboratory medicine specialist
Nada Majkić-Singh (Belgrade, Serbia)

**10:15–10:45 Verification of in vitro medical diagnostics (IVD)
metrological traceability: Role and responsibilities of
laboratory medicine specialists**
Mauro Panteghini (Milan, Italy)

**10:45–11:15 Implementation and the transposition of the Directive
on the professional qualifications**
Simone Zerah (Bagnolet, France)
Jean-Philippe Brochet (Bordeaux, France)

**11:15–11:45 Towards common training frameworks for specialists in
laboratory medicine**
Wieringa Gilbert (Manchester, UK)

11:45–12:00 Training of specialists in laboratory medicine in Serbia
Nada Majkić-Singh, Svetlana Ignjatović
(Belgrade, Serbia)

12:00–12:30 Common Values in the Liberal Professions in Europe
Ian D Watson (Liverpool, UK)

12:30–12:45 Discussion

13:00–14:30 Lunch

Second Part: 14:30–16:00

Chairs: *Svetlana Ignjatović, Elizabeta Topić*

14:30–15:00 Laboratory Medicine in the EU
Wytze Oosterhuis (Heerlen, The Netherlands)

15:00–15:30 The implementation of continuous professional development
Elizabeta Topić (Zagreb, Croatia), Anđelo Beletić (Belgrade, Serbia), Grazyna Sypniewska (Bydgoszcz, Poland)

15:30–15:45 Discussion

16:00–16:30 Coffee break

Third Part: 16:30–18:00

Chairs: *Willem Huisman, Tatjana Vodnik*

16:30–17:00 Present situation of accreditation in Europe
Willem Huisman (The Hague, The Netherlands)

17:00–17:15 Experience and situation of laboratory accreditation in Serbia
Tatjana Vodnik (Belgrade, Serbia)

17:15–18:30 Round table Discussion

FRIDAY, MAY 15, 2015

Forth Part: 9:30–11:00

Chairs: *Ana-Maria Šimundić, Zorica Šumarac*

9:30–10:00 Preanalytical phase quality management
– how and why?
Ana-Maria Šimundić (Zagreb, Croatia)

10:00–10:30 Post-analytical phase quality management
– new achievements
Mario Plebani (Padova, Italy)

10:30–10:45 Application of key processes quality indicators
in Serbian medical laboratories
Zorica Šumarac (Belgrade, Serbia)

10:45–11:30 Discussion

Friday, May 15, 2015
12:00–14:00

Ceremony of the
60th Anniversary of the
Society of Medical Biochemists of Serbia
celebration

14:00–15:00 Welcome Party

GENERAL INFORMATION

Date and Venue

The Scientific programme and exhibition of the 11th EFLM Symposium for Balkan Region will be held in **HYATT REGENCY BELGRADE**, Milentija Popovića 5, 11070 Belgrade, from 14–15 May, 2015.

Registration desk

The registration desk located at the **HYATT REGENCY BELGRADE** will be open for the duration of the Symposium from Thursday, 14th May 2015 at 9:00 a.m. to Friday, May 15, 2015 at 15:00.

Full registration fee 150.00 Euro

Registration fees may be paid in Euros or dinars, by bank transfers or in cash at site (see Registration Form).

The registration fee includes:

- Admission to all scientific sessions
- Admission to exhibition
- Symposium material (programme, abstract book, congress bag, badge, etc.)
- Coffee breaks
- Two lunch
- Certificate of attendance

Badges

Badges will be distributed at the registration desk upon arrival. Please attach your badges for admission to all scientific and social activities.

Certificate of participation

The certificate of participation will be issued to those who are properly registered. The certificate of participation will be available at the registration desk and must be picked up just before departure.

Congress language

The official language of the congress will be English.

Visual Equipment

The Meeting hall will be equipped with data video projectors for the speakers needs.

Exhibition

An exhibition of laboratory equipment and reagents will take place during Meeting.

Internet

The Organizer kindly invites you to visit the Meeting Web pages at www.dmbj.org.rs

Weather

In May Belgrade enjoys a mild climate. The average daily temperature is about 23 °C.

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