



III. Central-European Meeting on Hypertension

**Sopron, Hungary
13-16 October, 2005**



Announcement



Welcome message

Dear Colleagues,

It is a pleasure to invite you to the III. Central-European Meeting on Hypertension being held in Sopron, Hungary between 13-16 October, 2005.

This may be a useful opportunity for all of the doctors belonging to Central- and Eastern-Europe to share their results and to discuss future activities and collaborations. Sopron is the ideal venue for strengthening the bonds between colleagues from Hungary and the surrounding countries.

The topic is devoted to integrate basic sciences into clinical demands; therefore, a fruitful interdisciplinary discussion is assumed to result in a stimulating meeting. One of the most important aims of the meeting is providing possibility for collaboration and information exchange among specialists on an international level related to hypertension. Beside the invited lectures we offer an excellent occasion for young investigators and clinicians to present their results and achievements.

The meeting venue is Sopron, a wonderful city, in way of architecture and historic sight it has plenty to offer.

The venue of the congress will be the Hotel Szieszta, which is situated in the hills Lővér and offers excellent excursion and recreation facilities.

We look forward to welcoming you to Sopron,

Prof. Dr. Csaba Farsang
President of the meeting

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***We cordially invite you to participate in the
III. Central - European Meeting on Hypertension***

Venue

Sopron, Hungary
Hotel Szieszta

Official language

English

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GENERAL INFORMATION

Access to the venue in Sopron:



Internet address for further information
www.motesz.hu / English version

The final programme will be available on the website from 15 September, 2005

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Important deadlines

Deadline for sending abstracts	1 August, 2005
Deadline for early registration	1 August, 2005
Late registration	from 1 August, 2005 and on-site
Confirmation of abstract selection	1 September, 2005

Accreditation

The meeting is endorsed by ESH

Official language

English

No simultaneous translation will be provided

Technical Equipment

Will be available: PC projection, with Microsoft XP programme

Exhibition

A Commercial Exhibition is being organised during the Congress.

An Exhibition Kit will be sent to all the interested companies and industries. If you are interested in it and require further information please contact the Congress Secretariat.

Certificate of Attendance

A Certificate of Attendance will be issued at the time of registration to delegates who are pre-registered. For on-site registrants, a Certificate of Attendance will be available at the end of the Congress. No certificate will be issued after the Congress.

Badge

Participants, accompanying persons and exhibitors are requested to wear the congress badges on all occasions. Cost of replacing a lost or mislaid badge: 20 Euro

Disabled Persons

The Congress Venue is fully accessible for disabled persons.

Liability

The Organising Committee and the MOTESZ Congress and Travel Agency do not accept liability for personal medical expenses, travel expenses, losses of whatever nature incurred by delegates and/or accompanying persons.

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Special requirements

For participants who have special requirements with respect to diet or other matters, arrangements can be made, provided that applications will have been received by the secretariat before
1st October, 2005

Social Activities

Welcome Reception	13 October, 2005
2 nd evening dinner	14 October, 2005
Gala Dinner	15 October, 2005

REGISTRATION

To attend the Congress, Participants are kindly requested to complete the attached Registration Form and return it with the confirmation of the effected payment to: MOTESZ Congress and Travel Agency, H-1051 Budapest, Nádor u. 36., Hungary
*Registration Forms are accepted by MAIL, – FAX: 00 36 1 383 79 18
and INTERNET: www.motesz.hu*

Each Delegate must fill out a separate Form. Please, photocopy for additional forms.

Registration fees

	<i>Paid before 1st August</i>	<i>Paid after 1st August and on-site</i>
for all participants, registration fee only	100 Euro	120 Euro
Full registration		
– in double Classic room	220 Euro	250 Euro
– in single Classic room	250 Euro	280 Euro
– in double Superior room	250 Euro	280 Euro
– in single Superior room	280 Euro	300 Euro

The registration fee includes for the delegates: Access to the Scientific Sessions and the Exhibition area, Conference bag, Badge, One copy of the Final Programme, Welcome Party, 2nd evening dinner, gala dinner

The full registration fee includes for the delegates: Access to the Scientific Sessions and the Exhibition area, Conference bag, Badge, One copy of the Final Programme, Welcome Party, 2nd evening dinner, gala dinner, accommodation for 3 nights and lunches

Please note that the deadline to benefit from the early registration fee is 1st August. Registration forms without payment cannot be processed. Registrations received after 1st August, 2005 will be processed like on-site registration.

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Hotel bookings will be confirmed after receiving the total payment. If the payment has not been received by 15th September 2005, the booking will be cancelled automatically.

Payment

Payments should be made preferably in advance and paid in EURO by either of the following methods:

- by bank transfer
- by credit card

Payment of fees must accompany all registration forms.

No registration will be confirmed until payment is received by MOTESZ Congress and Travel Agency.

Only registered participants can attend the Congress.

Confirmation

Upon receipt of the total registration fee, confirmation of registration will be sent to each participant. Please show this letter of confirmation at the registration desk to receive all the congress materials.

Modifications

The Congress Secretariat (MOTESZ) must be notified in written form of any change or cancellation of hotel reservation by fax or by e-mail. Please do not contact the hotel directly in case of any reservation changes or cancellations.

Cancellation

Cancellations should be notified in written form to the MOTESZ Congress and Travel Agency
(H-1051 Budapest, Nádor u. 36.,
fax: 00 36 1 383 79 18, e-mail: congress@motesz.hu)

Cancellation received before 15 August will result in the full refund less a 20% administrative charge. Cancellations received after this date will not be eligible for a refund. Substitute delegates will be accepted.

Invitation Letter

An invitation letter will be sent on request. This letter, however, does not constitute any obligation for the Organising Secretariat to cover registration fee, accommodation, travel expenses and any other cost connected with the participation at the Congress.

SCIENTIFIC PROGRAMME

Collaboration and information exchange among specialists on an international level related to the Hypertension. Beside the invited lectures we offer an excellent occasion for young investigators and clinicians to present their results and achievements.

Planned Keynote Lectures

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| Prof. Sverre Erik Kjeldsen | Treatment of hypertension and prevention of myocardical infarction – an issue of interest or redundancy? |
| Prof. Renáta Cifková | Epidemiology of the metabolic syndrome – the impact of various defiitions. Prof. Rok Accetto Stroke risk assessment |
| Prof. Anthony Heagerty | “What should we expect from treatment of hypertension” |
| Prof. de Châtel Rudolf | Non-pharmacological treatment of hypertension |
| Prof. Csaba Farsang | Clinical trials and drug combinations |

INFORMATION ABOUT THE HOTEL SZIESZTA

Location

The hotel is located in the middle of a park in the Lovérek, a green hilly area whence a superb view is offered onto the town. The sub-alpine air, the wonderful neighbourhood, the friendly service give a hearty welcome to our guests.

Guest room information

The hotel was renovated in 1998. Number of rooms: 280, of which classic double rooms: 212, superior double rooms: 54, suites: 14. All rooms with bath, balcony, TV, telephone and minibar.

Non-smoking rooms on request.

Guest services

By camera supervised closed parking lot, elevator, telephone, telefax, safe, C/C accepted, bouquet and theatre-ticket order, party tent for 300 persons. 5 minutes from the hotel there is Lővér swimming pool, free of charge for our guests.

Sport and fitness

In the fitness centre: sauna, solarium, steam bath, jacuzzi, massage, aerobic, fitness-room, fun bath, Szieszta Beauty Island, billiard. 6 clay tennis courts in the garden of the hotel, professional tennis coach. In the nearby: indoor and outdoor swimming pool, running tracks in the forest, riding, in the town: bob-sleigh.

