

14th International AEK CANCER CONGRESS

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MAIN TOPICS

- Prostate Cancer
- Lung Cancer
- Skin Cancer
- Colorectal Cancer
- Breast Cancer
- Lymphoma

IMPORTANT DATES

30 November 2006
Deadline for abstract submission
12 January 2007
End of early registration
28 February 2007
Get-together at the
Johann Wolfgang Goethe - University

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Dear Colleagues



The AEK Congress 2007 will take place from February 28 to March 2, 2007 in Frankfurt. The "Arbeitsgemeinschaften experimentelle Krebsforschung, AEK" within the "Deutsche Krebsgesellschaft" are organising this bi-annual event. The highest calibre of international speakers and emphasis on the most advanced aspects of cancer research have gained considerable recognition for this Congress over the past years. It has become the foremost meeting place for clinicians and researchers active in cancer research in Germany and will be attended by about 600 participants. The Congress venue will be the impressive new main building of the Johann Wolfgang Goethe University also known as the IG Farben building or the Pölzig Bau.

The 2007 Congress will be structured according to tumor entities and special emphasis will be placed on prostate cancer, colorectal cancer, lung cancer, breast cancer, skin cancer and lymphomas. This format is designed to enhance communication and collaboration between clinicians and basic researchers. Each session will feature eminent clinicians and basic researchers and illustrate the basic dimensions of the disease, the clinical and public health problems associated, the progress which has been made in recent years in molecular understanding and targeted therapy. New molecular insights involved in cellular transformation, e.g. signaling pathways in tumor cells, epigenetic events, the role of DNA damage repair, aberrant micro RNA expression, cell adhesion and the tumor microenvironment will be discussed in the context of particular tumor entities. Progress in targeted therapies will be assessed and their value as single agents and combination regimen will be discussed. Finally, the identification of gaps in knowledge which hamper clinical treatment and which will be themes of investigation in the future will be addressed.

Looking forward to welcoming you in Frankfurt 2007,
With best wishes

Prof. Dr. Bernd Groner
Congress President

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General Information



CONGRESS NEWS

Updated information and the preliminary scientific program can be found on www.aek2007.de

ABSTRACT SUBMISSION

Abstracts can be submitted on the congress website www.aek2007.de to the following topics until 30 November 2006:

- Genetic mutations in cancer cells
- Epigenetic regulation of cancer genes
- Post-transcriptional regulation in tumor cells
- Cancer stem cells
- Tumor-host interactions
- Tumor cell adhesion and invasion
- Signal transduction pathways of tumor cells
- Targeted tumor therapy
- Anti-angiogenic treatment
- Cancer prevention

REGISTRATION

Registration for the 14th International AEK Cancer Congress can be made online on www.aek2007.de

CME ACCREDITATION

The 14th International AEK Cancer Congress will be accredited by the Hessische Ärztekammer.

HOTEL RESERVATION

The Congress Office offers hotel rooms in various price categories in Frankfurt. Please book your hotel room at www.aek2007.de

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