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Skeletal Endocrinology

**4th Meeting at the
University of Brescia**

**Brescia,
April 15th
2011**

Main Hall School of Medicine,
Viale Europa 11

1st ANNOUNCEMENT AND CALL FOR ABSTRACTS (DEADLINE JAN. 31 2011)

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TOPICS

Novel insights in bone cell biology

RANKL OPG system and bone: New Clinical Developments

Diabetes mellitus and bone

PTH: novel insights

New therapeutic horizons

Poster Session

Oral Communication Session

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Preliminary Scientific Program

8.30 – 8.40 Opening Remarks

SESSION I

Novel insights in bone cell biology

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| 8.40 – 9.05 | Bone and oxidative stress |
| 9.05 – 9.25 | Calcium sensing receptor and bone |
| 9.25 – 9.45 | Notch: an update |
| 9.45 – 10.00 | Discussion |
| 10.00 – 10.15 | Coffee break |

SESSION II

RANKL OPG system and bone New Clinical Developments

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| 10.15 – 10.35 | Role of RANKL-OPG system in female and male osteoporosis |
| 10.35 – 10.55 | Role in oncology |
| 10.55 – 11.15 | Role in arthritis |
| 11.15 – 11.30 | Discussion |

SESSION III

Diabetes mellitus and bone

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| 11.30 – 11.50 | Risk of fractures in type 1 and type 2 DM |
| 11.50 – 12.10 | TZD and skeletal health |
| 12-10 – 12.30 | Osteoblast, adipocyte and beta cell crosstalk |
| 12.30 – 12.45 | Discussion |

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12.45 – 13.30 Lunch and Poster Session

13.30 – 14.00 Parallel Oral Communication Sessions

SESSION IV

PTH: novel insights

14.30 – 14.50 PTH's actions on different signalling pathways
14.50 – 15.10 Treatment of hypoparathyroidism
15.10 – 15.30 Combination and long-term therapy
15.30 – 15.45 Discussion

SESSION V

New therapeutic horizons

15.45 – 16.05 Long term effects of bisphosphonates
16.05 – 16.25 Odanacatib and bone
16.25 – 16.45 Antisclerostin antibodies
16.45 – 17.00 Discussion

17.00 – 17.15 Conclusive remarks

Provisional list of Speakers

S. Adami, Italy
G. Bianchi, Italy
J. Bilezikian, USA
E. Canalis, USA
J. Compston, Uk
S. Ferrari, Switzerland
L. Hofbauer, Germany
S. Manolagas, USA
C. Marcocci, Italy
G. Mazziotti, Italy
L. Mosekilde, Dk
S. Papapoulos, NL
J. Potts, USA
L. Sinigaglia, Italy
P. Vestergaard, DK

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Call for abstract

Instructions for abstract submission

There will be sessions for selected **Oral Presentations** and **Posters**, based on scientific contributions to be submitted no later than January 31 2011 (via the "Abstracts" section of the website www.skeletal-endocrinology.org).

Notification of acceptance, together with all the necessary information regarding presentation (oral or poster), will be sent to the authors no later than March 1st 2011.

Presentations accepted will be published in the Abstracts Cd-Rom which will be distributed at the Congress. Presenters of oral and poster communications should be registered for the congress. Texts of presentations must be submitted by January 31 2011 via website www.skeletal-endocrinology.org, according to the following instructions:

Deadline for submission: January 31 2011

Font and size: Times New Roman 12

Language: English

Authors: First name initial, family name in full. Name of Primary Author should be underlined

Hospital or Organization: in Italics

Size: A4

Title: all in block capitals

Tables and graphs: will be accepted only if size A4 and in Word file format

Telephone number, fax, e-mail of the Author to whom the Scientific Secretariat will send any further communication.

N.B. Author, Title and Hospital/Organization must be entered both in the registration form and in the attachment.

Oral presentations can be made in two ways:

•Pc (Power Point windows)

•DVD (windows).

Time available for each presentation will be **7 minutes, plus 3 minutes** for discussion. Presentations in ppt files or dvd must be handed in to the Slide Centre at least **two hours before the presentation**. It is advisable to hand in the presentation file with

a backup CD. Any special presentation requirements should be made known in writing well in advance to the Organization Secretariat. **Speakers will not be allowed to use their own PCs for presentations in the Congress rooms.**

Topics

Please send abstracts about these topics:

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CME Accreditation

Updated information about CME accreditation will be available on the Meeting website.

Official language

The official language of the Congress is English.

No simultaneous translation will be provided.

Certificate of attendance

The certificate of attendance will be given to all registered participants who will request it at the Organizing Secretariat desk.

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General Information

Venue of the Meeting

Main Hall, School of Medicine, University of
Brescia - Viale Europa 11 - 25123 Brescia, Italy
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How to reach Brescia

By train

Railway lines:

- Milano-Venezia
- Lecco-Bergamo-Brescia
- Cremona-Brescia
- Parma-Piadena-Brescia
- Roma-Cremona-Brescia

By car

- Motorway A4 Milano-Venezia

Exits: **Brescia Centro** or **Brescia Ovest**

- Motorway A21 Torino-Piacenza-Brescia

Exit: **Brescia Centro**

By plane

Airports:

- Verona Villafranca
- Brescia Montichiari
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