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Dear Colleagues and Friends,

It is with great pleasure that the Hellenic Academy of Medical Education (H.A.M.E.), founded in Athens in 2007 and operating under the Patronage of the European Academy of Sciences and Arts (EASA), founded in 1990 in Salzburg, Austria, in collaboration with the European Institute of Health (EIH) of the EASA, joint forces with the Izmir Medical Chamber (İzmir Tabip Odası) in the organization of an important scientific event, to be conducted in rotation on an annual basis both in Turkey and Greece.

The fruit of this effort for the year 2011 is the "1st Turkish - Hellenic Postgraduate Continuous Medical Education Meeting", which takes place on May 6 - 9, 2011, in Izmir, Turkey.

Within the framework of their activity for delivery and dissemination of scientific knowledge, the Academy and the Chamber share the same views for amelioration of the quality of medical science, consequently endeavoring to constantly motivate medical doctors, supporting medical practitioners and, generally, all health professionals for their own continuous education.

In this light, the forthcoming Meeting constitutes a first class opportunity for both Societies to further strengthen their scientific ties and enhance collaboration in the medical field.

Bearing that in mind, I express my firm belief that this organization, other than constituting a "bridge" of friendship between Turkey and Greece, will attract the attention of the entire scientific community and become a point of reference as to the concept of "science without frontiers".

With my best regards,

Professor Sotirios A. Raptis, M.D., PhD., M.D. (Hon), HMGSIM, HFEFIM

- President of the Board of the Hellenic Academy of Medical Education
- Academician and Senate Member of the European Academy of Sciences and Arts (EASA)

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Dear Colleagues and Friends,

On behalf of the Izmir Medical Council Executive Board, I would like to invite you to the "1st Turkish-Hellenic Postgraduate Continuous Medical Education Meeting", to be held in Izmir, Turkey between 6-9 May 2011.

We are living in a very exciting scientific period, with considerable advances in the field of medicine. Recent genetic, immunological, biological and molecular breakthroughs have allowed new insights into the management of many disorders. However, there is a constant need not only to keep abreast of and develop new scientific approaches, but also to identify adequate and effective clinical strategies for the treatment of human diseases.

This meeting also serves as an excellent platform to discuss our scientific results, assess the strengths and weaknesses of each individual country and devise a common strategy of active participation and leadership in medicine.

Another fundamental thought that brought about this meeting is still highly relevant: medical doctors from two neighboring Mediterranean countries face similar concerns and difficulties. Typical problems in financing and politics have evolved recently in many European countries, therefore, this meeting is also an excellent forum to share our ideas for possible solutions and utilize experience in this regard.

Academic standard is the most important - but not the only - factor of the meeting. Social events as complementary parts of a scientific meeting can significantly contribute and create a truly memorable atmosphere, as well. We certainly wish to live up to everyone's high expectations with our Turkish hospitality we are proud of.

Therefore, we kindly invite you all to visit Izmir in May this year. We look forward to welcoming and hosting you here, and sincerely hope that you will join us to make this endeavor a success.

Yours sincerely,

Professor Erdener Özer, M.D., PhD.

President of the Izmir Medical Chamber

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Dear Ladies and Gentlemen,

It gives me great honor and pleasure sending you my best greetings to this 1st Turkish-Hellenic Meeting. As a Cardiac Surgeon, I see the importance of this Meeting and I feel that this is a great cultural and scientific breakthrough. We, as scientists, are called upon to establish with discussions and mutual Meetings the soil for understanding and establishing a new atmosphere in the Mediterranean area. In the spirit of the European Academy of Sciences and Arts, we salute this Meeting for continuous medical education.

The topics which are addressed are very important. Diabetes seen as a syndrome has an enormous impact on our medical world. Of course, diabetes is created in the most cases by people themselves. In our European world we see obesity, hypertension, hypercholesterolemia, dyslipidaemia, in all metabolic syndrome, which can be overcome by people themselves simply by exercising, slimming down and be alert on nutrition.

Untreated diabetes is as dangerous as cancer. People get atherosclerosis as time goes by, myocardial infarction, strokes and kidney disorders as examples that diminish life span. We can influence this destiny. Diabetes is a real burden, a burden of our society, but can be treated very well. The other topics are important, too. In medicine we cannot allow a scotopic view to a disease, we have to see diseases as a whole in our body. The patient has to be treated as a whole. The syndromes taught us that every illness has an impact to our whole body, soul and mind.

I wish this Meeting a great success and I hope to be able to attend the next one.

With best regards I salute you,

Prof. Dr. Dr.h.c. Felix Unger

• President of the European Academy of Sciences and Arts



Program

DAY 1 (FRIDAY, MAY 6, 2011)

18:30 - 19:30 Registrations

Chairpersons: E. Özer (TR) - S.A.Raptis (GR)

19:30-20:00 Welcome Addresses - Opening Ceremony

20:00-20:30 Opening Lecture:

Diabetes Mellitus: a "plague" for humanity: New advances in its treatment,

S.A. Raptis (GR)

20:30 Welcome Cocktail

DAY 2 (SATURDAY, MAY 7, 2011)

HALL 1

08:00 - 09:00 Registrations

Session A (09:00 -11:00)

Chairpersons: A.A. Tourkantonis (CR) - G. Akhan (TR)

09:00-09:30	Primary and secondary prevention of cervical cancer, G.K. Creatsas (GR)
09:30-10:00	Paraneoplastic skin disorders, S. Alper (TR)
10:00-10:30	Modern approaches in the treatment of acute and chronic coronary artery disease, D.Th. Kremastinos - E.K. Iliodromitis (GR)
10:30-11:00	Discussion

11:00-11:30 Coffee Break

Session B (11:30 -13:30)

Chairpersons: F	. Akçiçek (TR) - D.L. Loukopoulos (CR)
11:30-12:00	Drug treatment of anemia before and during renal hemofiltration in patients with chronic renal failure, A. Sifil (TR)
12:00-12:30	Bariatric surgery from the Internal Medicine Practitioner's point of view, N.L. Katsilambros (GR)
12:30-13:00	Inflammatory bowel disease: Advances in treatment modalities, C. Terzi (TR)
13:00-13:30	Discussion

AFTERNOON PARALLEL SESSIONS

Lunch

HALL 1

Session A (15:00 - 17:00)

13:30-15:00

Chairpersons: T	h.K. Economopoulos (GR) - E. Tarcan (TR)
15:00-15:30	Gastrointestinal stromal tumors, G.I. Papaxoinis (GR)
15:30-16:00	Molecular aspects of gene target therapy in cancer, A.U. Yılmaz (TR)
16:00-16:30	Invasive carcinomas of the breast, Ch.A. Papadimitriou (GR)
16:30-17:00	Discussion
17:00-17:30	Coffee Break



HALL 1

Session B (17:30 -20:00)

Chairpersons: M. Füzün (TR) - A.L. Giannopoulos (GR)

17:30-18:00	Adenocarcinoma of the colon, C. Terzi (TR)
18:00-18:30	Hodgkin's lymphoma: issues in management, Th.K. Economopoulos (GR)
18:30-19:00	Neuroendocrine tumors of the hepatopancreatobiliary system, E. Gökmen (TR)
19:00-19:30	Non-small cell carcinomas of the lung, A. Akkoçlu (TR)
19:30-20:00	Discussion - Closing Remarks

21:00 Farewell Dinner

AFTERNOON PARALLEL SESSIONS

HALL 2

Session A (15:00 - 17:00)

Chairpersons: S.A. Raptis (GR) - C. Yılmaz (TR)														
15:00-15:30	The position of insulin analogs in the treatment of type 1 and 2 Diabetes Mellitus, F. Saygılı (TR)													
15:30-16:00	Gastrointestinal reflux disease, M. Soytürk (TR)													
16:00-16:30	Modern challenges in the treatment of osteoporosis, G.E. Keser (TR)													
16:30-17:00	Discussion													

17:00-17:30 Coffee Break

HALL 2

Session B (17:30 -20:00)

21:00

Chairpersons: N. Akkoç (TR) - J.G. Dervenoulas (CR)													
17:30-18:00	Bone marrow transplantation, S. Aksoylar (TR)												
18:00-18:30	Possibilities and limitations of combination therapy in dyslipidaemia,												
	A.E. Raptis (GR)												
18:30-19:00	Obesity, type 2 diabetes and carcinogenesis, A.K. Psyrri (CR)												
19:00-19:30	Antiplatelet treatment in peripheral vascular disease, S.N. Vasdekis (CR)												
19:30-20:00	Discussion - Closing Remarks												

Farewell Dinner

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General Information

Congress Dates

Friday, May 6, 2011 Saturday, May 7, 2011

Congress Venue

Crowne Plaza İzmir, where the Congress will be held, offers the privileges of a five star hotel at a distinguished location embracing both sea and city, to guests travelling for both business and leisure purposes. The hotel constitutes the perfect setting for corporate meetings, conferences and seminars by offering 11 dividend meeting halls and 4 workshop halls, equipped with a high technology infrastructure and a capacity from 10 up to 400 delegates.



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Official Language

The official language of the Congress will be English. There will, also, be simultaneous translation from Turkish to Greek and viceversa.

Social Events

Friday, May 6, 2011 19:30 - 20:00 Opening Ceremony 20:30 Welcome Cocktail, "Punta" Hall, The Crowne Plaza İzmir

Working Hours of the Congress Secretariats

Friday, May 6, 2011: 18:30 - 20:30 Saturday, May 7, 2011: 08:00 - 13:30 / 15:00 - 20:00

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