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„Skin in Inflammation and Allergy“

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Venue:

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Dear Friends and Colleagues,

It is our great pleasure to welcome you to the 1st Interna

ional Ring Symposium entitled “Skin in Inflammation and

Allergy” on December 9th, 2013 in the heart of the beautiful

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Professor Johannes Ring, chair of the Department of Der-

matology and Allergy at the University Hospital Klinikum

rechts der Isar of the Technische Universität München (TUM) since 1995, on the occasion of his approaching retirement. For many years, Professor Ring served on the executive boards of multiple national and international scientific socie-
ties – for four of them as president. We are privileged to wel-
come current executive board members of those societies, who will deliver their greeting remarks.

The purpose of this symposium is to cover major develop-
ments and cutting-edge aspects of clinical and basic science in dermatology, allergology and immunology to honor Pro-

fessor Ring’s lifetime achievements in these fields. The fa-
culty of the symposium consists of excellent and well-known

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We wish you an intense day of high-level research presenta-

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cussion and friendship. Afterwards you are invited to join us

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We cordially welcome you to Munich wishing you an inter-

esting and stimulating meeting and a chance to meet old and

make new friends!

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Program

09:00 h Opening ceremony and greeting remarks:

Harald Riez (DGAKI)

Jonathan Barker (ESDR)

Erwin Tschachler (EADV)

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Cezmi Akdis (EAACI)

Chairpersons:

Hermann Wagner (Munich),

Jan Gutermuth (Brussels),

Claudia Traidl-Hoffmann (Munich)

09:30 h Skin and gut in blistering disease

Sarolta Karpati, Budapest, HUN

09:55 h Cord blood hematopoietic progenitors and infant atopic risk

Judith Dernburg, Hamilton, CAN

10:20 h Special guest lecture:

Why study immunity?

Rolf Zinkernagel, Zurich, SUI

10:50 h Coffee break

Chairpersons:

Kurt Blaser (Bern),

Thilo Jakob (Freiburg),

Ulf Darsow (Munich)

11:10 h Human heart as a shock organ in anaphylaxis

Gianlò Marone, Naples, ITA

11:35 h The microbiome-gut-brain axis: a new frontier for allergy

John Bennenstock, Hamilton, CAN

12:00 h Lunch

Chairpersons:

Cezmi Akdis (Davos),

Bernhard Przybilla (Munich),

Markus Ollert (Munich)

13:00 h Understanding IgE responses to Alpha-Gal

Tom Platts-Mills, Charlottesville, USA

13:25 h Recombinant allergens for diagnosis and therapy

Rudolf Valenta, Vienna, AUT

13:50 h Coffee break

Chairpersons:

Alberto Giannetti (Pavia),

Martin Mempel (Hamburg),

Knut Brockow (Munich)

14:10 h New concepts in acne

Jean-Milaine Saurat, Geneva, SUI

14:35 h Molecular genetics of melanocytic neoplasia

Boris Bastian, San Francisco, USA

15:00 h New developments in the therapy of skin neoplasms

Rudolf Stadler, Minden, GER

15:25 h Coffee break

Chairpersons:

Jaakko Karvonen (Helsinki),

Stephan Weidinger (Koeln),

Kilian Eyerich (Munich)

15:45 h Stratifying psoriasis for patient benefit

Jonathan Barker, London, GBR

16:10 h Atopic eczema in Africa, and beyond

Peter Schmid-Grendelmeier, Zurich, SUI

16:35 h Atopic eczema: A new vision for an old disease

Thomas Bieber, Bonn, GER

17:00 – 17:15 h Conclusive remarks

Johannes Ring

19:00 h Bavarian Evening

with personal words of appreciation by Wolfgang A. Herrmann, President of TUM, and a Special Lecture by Stephan Paul,

Department of Physics, TUM at Augustinerkeller (Arnulfstr. 52)

Tuesday, Dec 10th, 2013, Farewell and departure

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