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■ Key dates to remember

Deadline for submission of abstracts for free communications and posters: February 15, 2007

Advance registration deadline: March 20, 2007

Deadline for hotel reservations: May 25, 2007

Opening on-site secretariat: June 21, 2007

■ Congress Office

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Committees

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There will be no further printed announcement before the meeting. For updates, information, registration, abstracts submission, questions, please visit the Congress website: www.pso2007.com

Schedule at a glance

	THURSDAY, JUNE 21 st	FRIDAY, JUNE 22 nd	SATURDAY, JUNE 23 rd	SUNDAY, JUNE 24 th
08:30		Workshop 4	Workshop 10	Workshop 12
		Workshop 5	Workshop 11	Workshop 13
10:00		BREAK	BREAK	BREAK
10:30	SATELLITE SYMPOSIA TIME SLOT	PLENARY SESSION 2	PLENARY SESSION 3	PATIENTS ASSOCIATION & DERMATOLOGISTS MEETING
12:30	WELCOME BUFFET	LUNCH BREAK		CLOSING SESSION
14:00	PLENARY SESSION 1	Workshop 7	SATELLITE SYMPOSIA TIME SLOT	
		Workshop 8		
		Workshop 9		
15:30				
16:00	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK	
16:30	Workshop 1	ALREADY ANNOUNCED: Wyeth Satellite Symposium	PLENARY SESSION 4	
	Workshop 2			
	Workshop 3			
18:00				
18:30	SATELLITE SYMPOSIA TIME SLOT		CONGRESS DINNER	
EVENING				

There will be in each session time for questions and answers.

Scientific Programme

Thursday 21st June

14:00 - 16:00

PLENARY SESSION 1

Chairmen: Enno CHRISTOPHER (Germany), Bernard CRIBIER (France)

PL 01 PSORIASIS TODAY: INTERNATIONAL PSORIASIS NETWORK

Louis DUBERTRET (France)

PL 02 THE MAIN PATHOGENETIC HYPOTHESIS IN PSORIASIS

Frank NESTLE (United Kingdom)

**PL 03 GENETIC, PHARMACOGENOMICS AND PHARMACODYNAMICS:
WHAT DOES IT MEAN FOR OUR PATIENTS?**

Ane BOWCOCK (USA)

PL 04 CARDIOVASCULAR RISK IN PSORIASIS

Jonathan BARKER (United Kingdom)

16:30 - 18:00

WORKSHOPS

WK 01 SCORING AND MONITORING THE SEVERITY OF THE DISEASE

Chairman: Charles ELLIS (USA)

Co-chairmen: Jana HERCOGOVA (Czech Republic),

Jean-Jacques GROB (France)

WK 02 MANAGEMENT OF SEVERE CLINICAL MANIFESTATIONS

Chairman: Jean-Paul ORTONNE (France)

Co-chairmen: Aida PASIC (Croatia), Slavo URBANCEK (Slovakia)

WK 03 PSORIASIS IN CHILDREN AND PREGNANCY

Chairman: Alberto GIANNETTI (Italy)*

Co-chairmen: Rana ANADOLU (Turkey)*, Seija-Liisa KARVONEN (Finland)

Friday 22nd June

8:30 - 10:00

WORKSHOPS

WK 04 DIFFICULT TO TREAT LOCALISATIONS

Chairman: Andreas KATSAMBAS (Greece)

Co-chairmen: Dan FORSEA (Romania), Luca BIANCHI (Italy)

WK 05 TOPICAL TREATMENT: WHAT TO CHOOSE AND HOW TO USE

Chairman: Knud KRAGBALLE (Denmark)

Co-chairmen: Clarisse REBELO (Portugal), Lajos KEMENY (Hungary)

WK 06 EPIDEMIOLOGY AND REGIONAL SPECIFICITY

Chairman: Nejib DOSS (Tunisia)

Co-chairmen: Hidemi NAKAGAWA (Japan), Jai Il YOUN (Korea)

10:30 - 12:30

PLENARY SESSION 2

Chairmen: Aldo FINZI (Italy), Jasna LIPOZENCIC (Croatia)

PL 05 PSORIASIS PHENOTYPES: WHAT ARE THE FRONTIERS OF THE DISEASE?

Georg STINGL (Austria)

PL 06 CO-MORBIDITY AND TREATMENT SAFETY

Jean-Hilaire SAURAT (Switzerland)

PL 07 MILD PSORIASIS: WHAT IS IT AND HOW TO MANAGE IT?

Peter VAN DE KERKOFF (The Netherlands)

PL 08 QUALITY OF LIFE: WHAT RELEVANT FOR MY PATIENTS?

Andrew FINLAY (United Kingdom)

14:00 - 15:30

WORKSHOPS

WK 07 SYSTEMIC THERAPIES: WHAT TO CHOOSE AND HOW TO USE (RETINOIDS, CYCLOSPORINE, FUMARIC ACID)

Chairman: Harald GOLLNICK (Germany)

Co-chairmen: Giampiero GIROLOMONI (Italy), Jai Il YOUN (Korea)

WK 08 RISK MANAGEMENT AND TREATMENT OPTIMISATION: COMBINATION AND RATIONAL STRATEGIES

Chairman: Jörg PRINZ (Germany)

Co-chairman: Nikolai TSANKOV (Bulgaria)

WK 09 PHOTOTHERAPIES: WHAT TO CHOOSE AND HOW TO USE

Chairman: Herbert HONIGSMANN (Austria)

Co-chairmen: CARRASCOSA (Spain), Sarah ROGERS (Ireland)

Saturday 23rd June

8:30 - 10:00

WORKSHOPS

WK 10 SYSTEMIC THERAPIES: WHAT TO CHOOSE AND HOW TO USE (METHOTREXATE, AZATHIOPRIN, HYDROXYUREA)

Chairman: Ulrich MROWIETZ (Germany)

Co-chairmen: Janos HUNYADI (Hungary), Peter ARENBERGER (Czech Republic)

WK 11 ALTERNATIVE TREATMENT

Chairman: Anne-Lene KROGSTAD (Norway)

Co-chairman: Zheng MIN (China)

10:30 - 12:30

PLENARY SESSION 3

Chairmen: Wolfram STERRY (Germany), Zorica PERIC HAJZLER (Serbia)

PL 09 PSORIASIS ARTHRITIS TODAY

Philipp MEASE (USA)

PL 10 PHOTOTHERAPIES: SAFETY AND NEW APPROACH

Michel DE LA BRASSINE (Belgium)

PL 11 CLASSICAL SYSTEMIC TREATMENTS: NEW INSIGHTS

Menno DE RIE (The Netherlands)

PL 12 BIOLOGIC: FROM CLINICAL TRIALS TO MEDICAL PRACTICE

Sergio CHIMENTI (Italy)

16:30 - 18:00

PLENARY SESSION 4

Chairmen: Alberto GIANNETTI (Italy)*

PL 13 PERSPECTIVES IN PSORIASIS TREATMENT

Thomas LUGER (Germany)

PL 14 MANAGEMENT OF THE PSYCHOLOGICAL IMPACT OF PSORIASIS

Christopher GRIFFITHS (United Kingdom)

PL 15 INDIVIDUAL AND SOCIAL COSTS IN PSORIASIS

Julien LAMBERT (Belgium)

PL 16 DEVELOPMENT OF PSORIASIS GUIDELINES IN THE WORLD

Wolfram STERRY (Germany)

Sunday 24th June

8:30 - 10:00

WORKSHOPS

WK 12 BIOLOGICS

Chairman: Hidemi NAKAGAWA (Japan)

Co-chairmen: Esteban DAUDEN (Spain), Carlo PINCELLI (Italy)

WK 13 EXTRACUTANEOUS MANIFESTATIONS IN PSORIASIS

Chairman: Hervé BACHELEZ (France)

Co-chairmen: Francisco VANACLOCHA (Spain), Marko POTOČNIK (Slovenia)

* to be confirmed

ALREADY
ANNOUNCED

SATELLITE SYMPOSIUM

A satellite Symposium sponsored by Wyeth will be held on Friday, June 22, 2007 from 16:30 to 18:00

Abstracts submission

■ The DEADLINE for ABSTRACTS submission is: February 15, 2007.

Please go to the web site to read the guidelines and submit your abstract:

www.pso2007.com

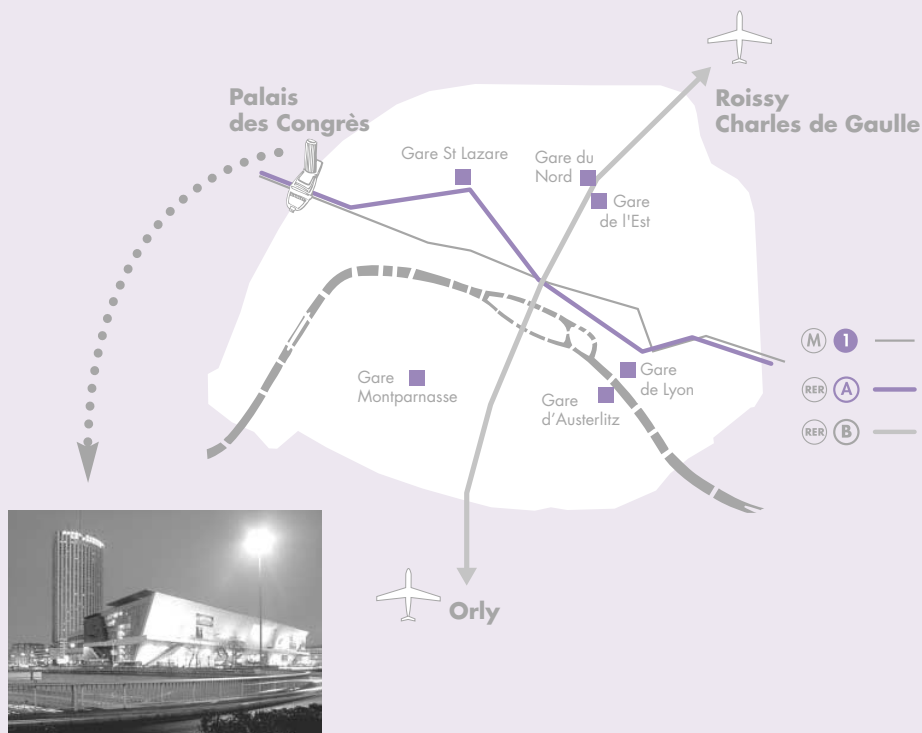
All abstracts must be written in English.

Selected abstracts will be presented as posters and the best scored posters will be presented during the workshop sessions.

Remember that ONLY electronically submitted abstracts will be considered.

General Information & Conditions

■ Welcome to Paris!



■ Venue & Dates

The 2nd International Congress of Psoriasis will be held from Thursday 21 June 2007 to Sunday 24 June 2007 **in the Palais des Congrès, in Paris.**

Paris can easily be reached by plane, train or car, as it is located crossroad of Europe. It is served by two international airports and a very convenient railway system. The shuttle buses from Charles de Gaulle or Orly airports arrive down town.

The Palais des Congrès is easily accessible: by car (Parking Porte Maillot under the Convention Centre), by local city bus (lines 82 - 73 - 43 - 244 PC) or by metro (line 1) or RER (Paris Suburban Express Metropolitan Network, line C). The station is called "Porte Maillot".

■ Official language

Organized by an International Scientific Society, all presentations will be given in English.

■ Congress Office

Before and after the meeting:

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On-site Secretariat: (Tentative Opening hours):

Thursday, June 21 to Saturday, June 23, 2007: 8:00 am - 6:30 pm

Sunday, June 24, 2007: 8:00 am - 1:00 pm

The Congress documentation will be available there for pre-registered delegates and for anyone wishing to register on site.

■ Badges

A name badge will be provided with your registration documents on site (and not mailed out prior to the congress).

■ Climate and clothing

The weather in Paris in June is usually hot and sunny with daily temperatures ranging from 20°C to 25°. Night temperatures are usually mild.

■ CME credits

Continuing Medical Education credits will be offered by Medical Academies and Scientific Societies from all over the world. Participants may register for CME credits in their own countries. Certificate of attendance will be delivered on site. More information on the Congress website.

■ Currency exchange

ALL RATES given in the programme are in EUROS: €

■ Electricity

Electricity used in France is 220 Volts; its frequency is 50 Hz and the plugs have two male contact points. Plan to bring a transformer for your electrical or electronic equipment using different voltage.

■ Exhibition & Sponsorship

A scientific and technical Showcase will be open on Thursday afternoon, Friday and Saturday to pharmaceutical companies, manufacturers of materials and equipment and scientific publishers. It will be held in the Congress Venue.

As a pharmaceutical company or manufacturer, you may want to sponsor a session within the core programme or organize a satellite meeting.

For exhibit or sponsorship, you can contact any time the Congress Office:
ps02007EXH@mci-group.com

■ Insurance & Liability

The Organizers will accept no liability for personal injuries sustained by or for loss or damage to property belonging to Congress participants, either during or as a result of the Congress or during all tours and events.

Participants are strongly recommended to seek insurance coverage for health and accident, lost luggage and trip cancellation.

■ Lunches & Break

Lunches are NOT included in the registration fees but sandwiches and snacks can be purchased at all times.

■ Social events

The Organising Committee has arranged a specific exciting Social Events Programme for the 2nd International Congress on Psoriasis 2007 attendees. These activities will be good opportunities for congress delegates, their spouses and exhibitors to meet and renew old acquaintances or establish new friendships.

The programme will be posted on the web early 2007.

■ Telephones

For international calls to France, dial the international code followed by 33 and the correspondent's number without the "0".

■ Visa & Passports

Every person entering France should be in possession of a valid passport and/or identification card. Some countries require a Visa. Please contact the nearest French Embassy or Consulate to your home for further information.

Registration procedure

For specific questions:
pso2007REG@mci-group.com

- All participants must be registered and are urged to register in advance. You can register by submitting registration and payment via the Congress website: www.pso2007.com (and follow the instructions).

You can either download the registration form on PDF format and send it along with your payment to the congress office OR register on line on a secure server in paying with your credit card.

Registration per phone will not be processed. Registrants will receive confirmation by way of an invoice and acknowledgement letter which will be mailed and which will recall all the information given on the registration form, including the amount of Value Added Tax (VAT) paid and all other requests. This confirmation letter should be presented upon arrival at the Pre-registration Counter if the account is settled or at the on-site registration if a balance is still due.

	Until March 20, 2007	After March 20, 2007	On-Site
Participant	520 €	590 €	670 €
Student*	160 €	160 €	160 €
Congress Dinner	90 €	90 €	90 €
Patient Association member**	free	free	free

All indicate rates above include a VAT of 19,60% at current rate at the day of printing.

* Please provide certificate

** Access only to the Sunday Session (10.30-12.30). Please provide a copy of a valid membership card

Please note: After June 8, 2007, pre-registration will NOT be accepted any longer by the Congress Office BUT you will have the possibility to register on site.

■ Delegates' registration fees include:

- Admission to all congress sessions, poster areas and technical exhibition
- Congress documents (final programme, abstracts book, congress bag)
- Welcome Buffet

■ Terms of payment

- The «Association de Recherche sur le Psoriasis (ARP, Hôpital Saint Louis, 1, avenue Claude Vellefaux, 75010 Paris, France) has given mandate to MCI for the organization of the 2nd INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS ON PSORIASIS 2007 and therefore to act and receive the fees on its behalf.
- Payment must be sent to the Congress Office in EUROS (€)
 - by cheque payable in France to the order of **PSO 2007 c/o MCI**
 - or
 - by Credit card : VISA, EURO/MASTER CARD or AMEX only (NO other cards accepted)
 - or
 - by bank transfer to the order of **PSO 2007 c/o MCI**
 - to CREDIT LYONNAIS PARIS RUE DU BAC
 - 205 Bd Saint Germain - 75007 Paris
 - Bank code: 30002 - Sort Code: 00424 - Account N°: 000 000 8833S - Key: 88
 - BIC: CRLYFRPP - IBAN: FR54 3000 2004 2400 0000 8833 S88

Copy of the bank transfer must be attached to the registration form. Do NOT forget to give the name of the person you are paying for, on the bank transfer order.

■ Name changes/modifications

A processing fee of 30 € will be charged for changes in registration except for name substitutions which will be treated as new registrations.

■ Cancellation policy for individual registration & reservations

All cancellations must be notified in writing (by mail or fax BUT NOT e.mail) to the Congress Office according to the following conditions and reimbursement will be processed AFTER the Congress. Requests for refunds made after September 21, 2007 will not be considered:

- Up to March 20, 2007: 100 Euros will be withheld for administrative fee,
- Cancellations between March 21 and May 1, 2007: reimbursement of 50% of the fees paid,
- After May 1, 2007: no refund.

Hotel accommodation

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Hotel rooms at special Congress rates are being held for congress participants and their families in various hotels of different categories in the vicinity of the Congress Venue. But there will be no shuttle services provided by the congress between the congress hotels and the Palais des Congrès.

To make a reservation, visit the Congress website: www.pso2007.com.

A 1 NIGHT deposit will be automatically deducted from the total amount of your hotel bill when leaving. A fixed charge of **20 Euros per reservation (indicated on the web) will be required for all hotel reservations.**

■ Room rates

All rates are indicated in Euros, per night and per room. Reservations must be made through the Congress Office to guarantee the indicated rates negotiated for the Congress. Unless otherwise indicated, most of the rates do not include breakfast.

Do not forget:

- If you decide to postpone your stay at the last minute, the rooms will be kept by the hotels according to the amount of the deposit received.
- If you are delayed, think of informing the hotel.
- « No Shows » on the first night will automatically cancel the entire reservation and the loss of the entire deposit.
- No reservation will be made without the requested deposit.
For University housing, please consult the web site.

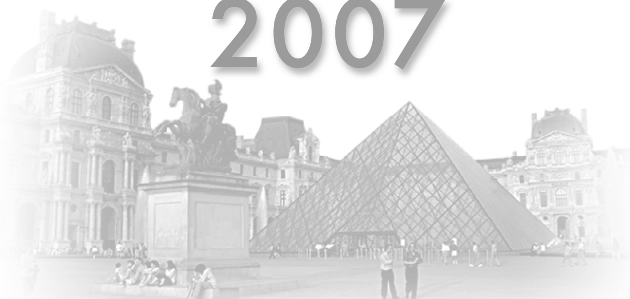
Cancellation conditions for hotel reservations:

All cancellations must be notified in writing (by mail or fax BUT NOT email) to the Congress Office according to the following conditions:

- Up to March 20, 2007: the 20 Euros reservation fee will be withheld for administrative fee,
- Cancellations between March 21 and May 1, 2007: The 1 night deposit will be withheld,
- After May 1, 2007: no refund.

★	Hotels	Type of room	Single room	Double room	Breakfast	City Tax
1	4 Concorde La Fayette	superior	220 €	220 €	24 €	included
2	4 Méridien Étoile	standard	220 €	220 €	25 €	included
3	3 Magellan	standard	132 €	146 €	12 €	included
4	3 Résidence Impériale	standard	150 €	150 €	13 €	included
5	3 Star Étoile	standard	140 €	140 €	13 €	included
6	3 Villa des Ternes	club	175 €	175 €	13 €	included
7	2 Des Pavillons	standard	75 €	85 €	7 €	included

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