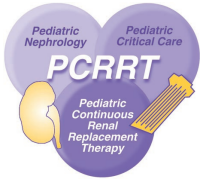


February 23-25, 2006
Campus of University Zurich, Switzerland



4th International Conference on Pediatric Continuous Renal Replacement Therapy



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Dear colleagues, nurses, associates and friends

The Fourth International Conference on Pediatric Continuous Renal Replacement Therapy (PCRRT) is going to Europe by request! The first, second and third PCRRT meetings in Orlando, Florida, USA were greatly successful with attendees from 17 countries. After consideration of the success and the location of this meeting the program director and colleagues in Switzerland believe that if PCRRT has an international audience, then the meeting should move around to this need. Therefore, the Fourth PCRRT meeting will be held in Zurich, Switzerland on February 23-25, 2006. The location allows for easy access to associates interested in PCRRT throughout the European continent as well as North America. The timing of a winter meeting in the beautiful location of Zurich contrasts the warm summer meetings in Orlando.

Similar to past meetings, this program will continue to be a balance of “how to do PCRRT” with data on outcome, ppCRRT registry data from North America, PCRRT in acute renal failure, sepsis, hepatic failure and intoxications. The meeting is open to colleagues in both Critical Care and Nephrology, the fields of nursing, physician staff, pharmacy and industry. Abstracts will be solicited and accepted for both oral as well as poster presentation. Abstracts will be published in a future issue of *Pediatric Nephrology*. Travel grants will be awarded to two nurses, two critical care fellows and two nephrology fellows based upon submission of an abstract with a high scientific score as decided by the abstract scientific committee.

This meeting is a joint work of Pediatric Critical Care and Pediatric Nephrology in both Europe and North America.

We would like to invite you to join us for what will continue to be a great tradition of exchange of ideas, interest in improving the care of critically ill children and intellectual interchange with associates and colleagues throughout the world.

We are looking forward to welcoming you in Zurich.

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General information

Date	February 23-25, 2006
Congress Venue	Campus of University, Zurich-Irchel, Switzerland main auditorium 40 and further lecture halls 85, 91, 95, 15
Address	University Zurich-Irchel Winterthurerstr. 190 CH-8057 Zürich www.unizh.ch
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Congress Website	<p>www.imk.ch/pcrrt2006 www.pcrrt.com</p>
Accommodation	<p>For American participants Carol Malone P.O. Box 128 Athens, Alabama 35612, USA Phone: (011) 256-232-2865 Fax: (011) 256-233-6212 cmalone@pclnet.net 4**** Zurich Marriott www.marriott.com/zrhdt 3*** Hotel Righof www.hotel-righof.ch 2** Hotel Coronado www.hotel-coronado.ch</p> <p>For European and Non-American participants Zurich Tourismus Bahnhofbrücke 1, CH-8023 Zurich Phone +41-44-215 40 44, Fax +41-44-215 40 40 www.zuerich.com</p>
Travel	<p>Air reservations for North American registrants may be made through CVTravel of Birmingham, Alabama by emailing Blair Greene at blair@cvtravel.com. CVTravel wholesales for Delta, USAir, Northwest/KLM and Air France.</p>
Transportation	<p>Ticket for public transport within Zurich for 72 hours (incl. Zurich airport) will be provided at a price of USD 25.-/ EURO 20.-.</p>
Fees	<p>USD 320.-/ EURO 260.- Physicians; USD 280.- / EURO 230.- Assistants/Nurses. Refer to single day fees on the registration form. After January 20, 2006 add USD 50.- / EURO 40.-. Please note that we do NOT accept credit cards for a payment on-site.</p>

Registration for AMERICAN citizens	Please download the registration form for American citizens from the website www.imk.ch/pcrrt2006 and fax it to Carol Malone Fax: (011) 256-233-6212. You are urged to register early. Please note the cutoff date for hotel rooms is November 30, 2005. Registration fees go up from January 20, 2006.								
Registration for EUROPEAN and NON-AMERICAN citizens	Please register online www.imk.ch/pcrrt2006 . You are urged to register early. Please note the cutoff date for hotel rooms is November 30, 2005. Registration fees go up from January 20, 2006.								
Confirmations	Conference registrations will be confirmed by e-mail.								
Cancellation policy	In the event your enrollment must be cancelled, your tuition less a USD 60.–/ EURO 50.– administrative fee will be refunded if we are notified by January 20, 2006. No refunds will be made after that date. The organizing committee reserves the right to limit registration, make changes in the program, and cancel the meeting due to unforeseen circumstances.								
Travel Awards	Six travel awards of USD 500.– each will be awarded to the top abstracts for 2 renal doctors, 2 ICU doctors and 2 nurses. Presentors will need to register for the meeting.								
Postconference trip (exclusively for AMERICAN participants)	<p>Davos, Morosani Posthotel **** 2 nights (February 25-27, 2006)/ Prices per person</p> <table border="0" style="width: 100%;"> <tr> <td>Accommodation incl. breakfast</td> <td style="text-align: right;">USD 336.–</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Dinner</td> <td style="text-align: right;">USD 56.–</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Ski pass</td> <td style="text-align: right;">USD 97.–</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Transfer from/to Zurich</td> <td style="text-align: right;">USD 60.–</td> </tr> </table>	Accommodation incl. breakfast	USD 336.–	Dinner	USD 56.–	Ski pass	USD 97.–	Transfer from/to Zurich	USD 60.–
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Course objectives	<p>Upon completion of this conference attendees should be able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Demonstrate knowledge of the basic implementation of CRRT in the pediatric population, including management of nutrition- Use latest techniques for implementation of CRRT in children with acute renal failure, intoxication and also combined use with ECMO- Employ strategies for management of complications of CRRT in children from the new-born to the adolescent- Understand the nursing and physician role in pediatric CRRT								
Disclosure	<p>In accordance with Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) Standards for Commercial Support, the faculty for this program are required to complete disclosure forms. A list will be provided as part of the program packet.</p>								
Abstract Submission	<p>Participants are invited to submit abstracts pertaining to the topics in the program schedule. Abstracts will be accepted for oral or poster presentations. Poster-based abstracts will be presented throughout the course and participants will also have an opportunity to review them during the poster sessions.</p>								

Abstract Guidelines	<p>Deadline for submission is December 2, 2005.</p> <p>Please submit your abstracts online. Only abstracts written in English will be accepted. Notification of abstract acceptance will be January 9, 2006 by email, so it is imperative that email address is included with abstract submission. If you have questions, contact the administrative secretary.</p> <p>Note: If not submitted within guideline, it may be rejected.</p>						
Welcome party	<p>Thursday, February 23, 2006 18.00-21.00 Campus of University Zurich-Irchel</p>						
Gala dinner	<p>Friday, February 24, 2006 on the top of the Swiss Federal Institute of Technology (ETH) with superb view over the old city and the lake USD 60.-/ EURO 50.-</p>						
On site registration	<p>The registration desk at the University Irchel will be open during the following hours:</p> <table><tr><td>Thursday, February 23, 2006</td><td>18.00-21.00</td></tr><tr><td>Friday, February 24, 2006:</td><td>08.00-18.00</td></tr><tr><td>Saturday, February 25, 2006:</td><td>08.00-12.00</td></tr></table> <p>Please notice that we do NOT accept credit cards for on-site registration. Payment only in Euro or Swiss Francs.</p>	Thursday, February 23, 2006	18.00-21.00	Friday, February 24, 2006:	08.00-18.00	Saturday, February 25, 2006:	08.00-12.00
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Credits	<p>This activity has been planned and implemented in accordance with the Essential Areas and Policies of the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) through the joint sponsorship of the University of Alabama School for Medicine, University of Zurich, DeVos Children's Hospital, PCRRT Foundation, European Society of Paediatric and Neonatal Intensive Care, European Society for Paediatric Nephrology and the</p>						

International Society of Pediatric Nephrology. The University of Alabama School of Medicine is accredited by the ACCME to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

The University of Alabama School of Medicine designates this educational activity for a maximum of 11.5 Category 1 credits toward the AMA Physician's Recognition Award. Each physician should claim only those hours of credit that he/she actually spent in the activity.

Contact hours for continuing nursing education have been applied for through the American Nephrology Nurses' Association, an accredited approver by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation.

The American Medical Association has determined that physicians not licensed in the US who participate in this CME activity are eligible for AMA PRA category 1 credit.

Swiss Society of Nephrology, Swiss Society of Pediatrics, Swiss Society for Intensive Care:
1 credit per hour or 8 credits for Friday or 4 credits for Saturday

Thursday/Friday February 23/24, 2006

Thursday
18.00–21.00

Welcome party / registration

Friday
08.30

Welcome – Opening remarks

08.35–10.15

Session 1: Invited lectures

Moderation: T.E. Bunchman, T.J. Neuhaus

08.35-09.10

20 years of PCRRT: Changing indications and diagnoses?
E. Ring

09.10-09.45

The role of acute hemodialysis in pediatric intensive care:
New technological advances
M. Fischbach

09.45-10.15

PCRRT registry
T.E. Bunchman

10.15-10.30

Coffee break

10.30–11.45

Oral presentations (5 à 10+5min)

Moderation: O. Baenziger, P. Brophy

11.45–12.30

Workshops 1st round – 4 parallel sessions

- 1) MARS: Liver support in ICU, M. Maggiorini
- 3) PCRRT and ECMO, A. Dodge-Khatami
- 3) Gambro-Hospital: Practical and technical aspects of PCRRT
- 4) Edwards: Practical and technical aspects of PCRRT

12.30-13.30

Lunch

13.30–14.30	Poster Session
14.30–15.15	Workshops 2nd round – 4 parallel sessions 1) MARS: Liver support in ICU, M. Maggiorini 3) PCRRT and ECMO, A. Dodge-Khatami 3) Gambro-Hospal: Practical and technical aspects of PCRRT 4) Edwards: Practical and technical aspects of PCRRT
15.15-15.30	Coffee break
15.30–17.00	Session 2: Invited lectures Moderation: M.J. Kemper, E.P. Leumann
15.30-16.00	PCRRT in HUS: Role of peritoneal dialysis T.J. Neuhaus
16.00-16.30	PCRRT from the nursing and bed side perspective J. Gardner
16.30-17.00	PCRRT from the administrator's perspective A. Gardner
17.00–17.45	Oral presentations (3 à 10+5 min) Moderation: O. Baenziger, P. Brophy
18.30	Dinner on top of the Swiss Federal Institute of Technology Zurich (ETH)

Saturday, February 25, 2006

08.30–10.00	Session 3: Invited lectures Moderation: E. Ring, T.J. Neuhaus
08.30-09.00	Multiorgan failure, nutrition and PCRRT B. Frey
09.00-09.30	PCRRT and anticoagulation: citrate vs heparin P. Brophy
09.30-10.00	Role of PCRRT in intoxication and hepatic support T.E. Bunchman
10.00-10.15	Coffee break
10.15–11.00	Oral presentations (3 à 10+5 min) Moderation: T.E. Bunchman, O. Baenziger
11.00–12.00	Session 4: Invited lectures Moderation: T.E. Bunchman, O. Baenziger
11.00-11.30	Immune modulation in multiorgan failure P. Gessler
11.30-12.00	Quality and material standards K.E. Bonzel
12.00	Farewell T.J. Neuhaus, T.E. Bunchman, O. Baenziger

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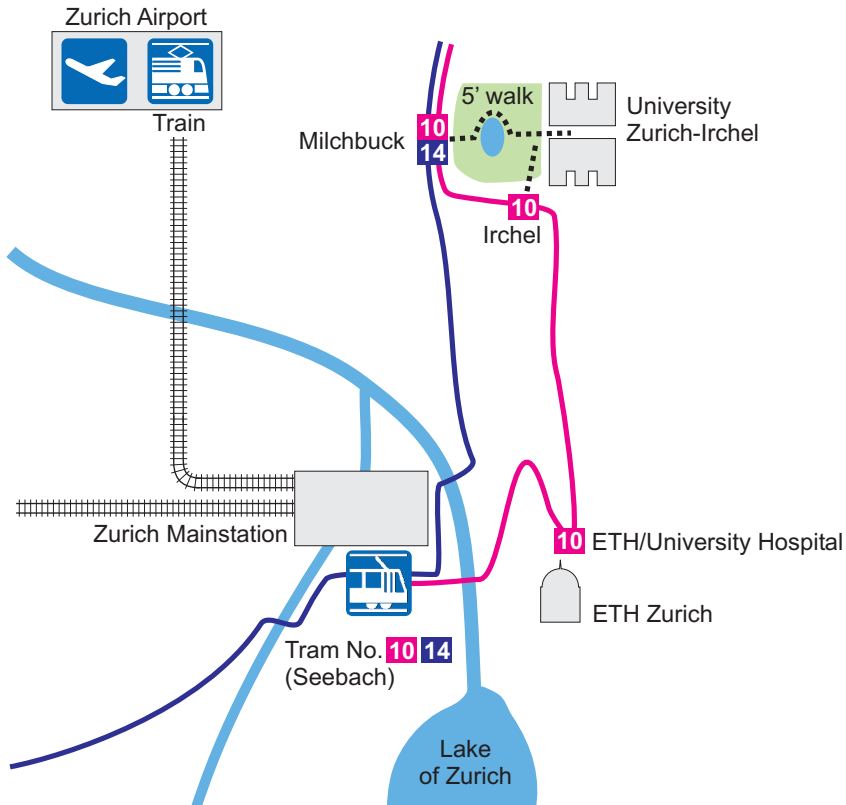
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Follow sign posts to Building No. 21

Main auditorium No. 40 and further lecture halls 85, 91, 95, 15

From the Mainstation to go to the hotels take Tram number 10 (Hotel Rigi Hof) or Tram number 14 (Hotel Coronado) or Tram number 11 or 14 (Hotel Marriott).