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Registration

SOSORT Educational Pre-Meeting Course

May 5th and 6th, 2015 -

Katowice Poland

Chair: Jacek Durmala (Poland)

Co-Chairs: Manuel Rigo (Spain),

Josette Bettany-Saltikov (UK)

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Speakers

Katowice

Information about Katowice

Katowice is the capital of one of the biggest and the most dynamically developing agglomerations in Europe. This large urbanized area, with Katowice in its heart, consists of a dozen or so cities with almost 3 million residents. It is a truly European city, where modernisation has creatively connected with tradition. Katowice, thanks to constant changes, is turning into a major modern centre in Central Europe. A modern centre, one which provides a perfect location for organization of events and conferences, from local or regional range, to ones of national or international importance. Favorable conditions are created not only by developing accommodation and conference centers of high quality (the International Congress Center together with Spodek is about to become the biggest roofed place for meetings in Central Europe), but also by small distance between venues, an excellent places for active trips of incentive type and convenient public transport. You can get to Katowice by all means of transport. The city is directly connected with the A4 highway and it has a good access to the constructed A1 highway, while the road communication with other towns of agglomeration is provided by transregional highway DTS'. At the renovated railway station the most important Inter City trains arrive so the trip to Warsaw takes less than three hours. We cannot forget about the air transport provided by the dynamically developing international airport Katowice in Pyrzowice and the planned tourist-business airport in Katowice-Muchowiec. There are also fair centres with the complex exhibition area International Katowice Fair and Expo Silesia Exhibition and Fair Centre located in neighbouring Sosnowiec. Moreover, Katowice is the seat of many important institutions voivodeship offices, ministry branches, courts and diplomatic posts, as well as many companies. The city is also a large university center with the University of Silesia, Silesian Technical University, University of Physical Education, Academy of Music, Medical University of Silesia, Economic University, Academy of Fine Arts and many more.

Jean-Claude Bernard
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Jean Claude de Mauroy
Jacek Durmala
Patrick Knott
Stefano Negrini
Nigel Price
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Donzelli Theodoros Grivas
Tomasz Kotwicki
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Preliminary Programme



Thursday May 7th, 2015

MORNING

Breakfast Meeting Committees Meetings

Registration

Opening SOSORT 2015

Scientific sessions - Basic science -Aetiology - Evaluation

Invited lectures session: Thorax deformity and pulmonary dysfunctions in Idiopathic scoliosis

The thorax in idiopathic scoliosis, TB Grivas

The scoliotic thoracic morphology using the EOS machine, JC de Mauroy

Pulmonary dysfunction in IS, W. Tomalak

Cardiopulmonary exercise testing (CPET) a non-invasive method to assess a children's and adolescent's exercise capacity, J. Durmala

Simple tests for physical capacity evaluation, D. Czaprowski

Scoliosis Journal lunch

AFTERNOON

Scientific sessions - physiotherapy

Classification Brace Study group report

Conference Dinner



Friday May 8th, 2015

MORNING

Theo Grivas

Brace Classification Study Group (BCSG)

Theo Grivas

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Helmut Diers,
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Breakfast Meeting Committees Meetings

Registration

Scientific sessions - Bracing

Award session

Presidential addresses

1. The Future of SOSORT, P. Knott, SOSORT President
2. SRS Non-Operative Committee Chair Report, V. Talwalkar, SRS Non-Operative Committee Chair
3. The SRS: what's new and important, JP. Dormans SRS President

Advisory Board Lunch

AFTERNOON

Scientific Session

Bracing Round table: Braces conceptual and technical approach to scoliosis

Chair persons: JC de Mauroy and N Price

Historical and Biomechanical presentation

1. Milwaukee brace - Axial extension & Low trunk asymmetrical pressure by pad, L. Stikeleather
2. Lyon brace 1 - high rigidity & external trunk pressure (2 steps asymmetrical plaster cast & symmetrical brace), JC de Mauroy
3. Boston & other TLSO - Medium rigidity & internal asymmetric trunk pressure, J. Wynne
4. Chêneau Toulouse Munster brace more or less modified - Medium rigidity & external asymmetric trunk pressure, M. Rigo
5. Dynamic Derotating Brace (DDB) - Dynamic constant pressure (Greek brace), TB Grivas
6. CMCR - Tubular Breathing brace, JC Bernard
7. Sforzesco brace - High rigidity & internal asymmetric trunk pressure, S. Negrini
8. Conclusion - ARTbrace, JC de Mauroy

Lifetime Honorary Memberships

Oral Poster Sessions

Business meeting

Social / Gala Dinner



Saturday May 9th, 2015

MORNING

Breakfast Meeting **Committees Meetings**

Consensus session

Oral Poster Sessions

Controversial issues session: The merits and limitations
Assessment of the deformity using the traditional imaging
techniques and technology, M. Rigo

Assessment of the deformity using the modern 3D imaging
techniques and technology, JC de Mauroy

Scientific sessions - QoL Interactive session

SOSORT 2016

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