



## Welcome message

Dear friends and colleagues,

Once again, it is a great honour to organize the International Medical Meeting (IMM) in Riga, the capital of Latvia, from the 7th to 9th September, 2012.

This International Medical Meeting is planned to have a wide scientific program, important for many specialists from different disciplines: dermatologists, virologist, immunologists, cellular biologists, cardiologists, gynaecologists oncologists, family practitioners, surgeons and many other.

Notable international scientists have been invited to give lectures. We are exceptionally proud that Prof. Harald zur Hausen - Nobel Prize Laureate in Medicine 2008 - has accepted the invitation and will come, give a talk and probably rediscover his family roots in Riga.

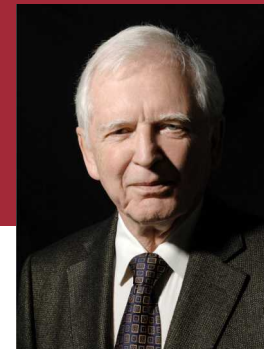
World's leading medical and pharmaceutical companies are welcome to share their experience in diagnosis and treatment of diseases.

Another important aspect of Riga's IMM is to provide opportunity in meeting friends and colleagues from different fields of medicine and science.

We will do our best to ensure that all of you, delegates and speakers, enjoy the charming atmosphere in Riga and bring back home not only new knowledge, ideas, but also great memories of this meeting, Riga and Latvia.

Welcome to IMM Riga 2012!

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We have invited 25 prominent speakers  
from all over the world.  
Such lectures are confirmed by now:

**Nobel Prize laureate in 2008,  
Professor Harald zur Hausen M.D., (Germany)**  
- „Cancer caused by infections”.

**Professor Xuejun Zhang M.D. , (China) President of Chinese Society of Dermatology**  
– “Genome wide association studies in skin complex diseases”

**Professor Chris Bunker’s M.D. (UK), President of Society of Dermatology UK.**  
“HIV Dermatology Post HAART”.

**Professor, Nellie Konnikov, M.D. (USA)**  
– “ Non Melanoma skin cancer and non surgical treatment options”.

**Professor Andrejs Ērglis, M.D., Head of Heart Centre (Latvia)**  
- „Stem cells in medicine”.

**Professor Filippa Nyberg (Sweden) President of SSDV (Swedish Society for Dermatology and Venereology)**  
- "What´s new in autoimmune diseases in the skin»

**Professor Kulli Kingo M.D., Head of Department of Dermatology, (Estonia)**  
-” Vitiligo- pathogenesis and therapy”.

**Professor Andris Rubins M.D, President of Baltic AVD**  
- „Atopic Dermatitis” - Newest in Pathogenesis and Therapy.

**Professor Arie Ingber M.D, President of Israel Society of Dermatology and Venerology**  
- "Hand eczema - An unsolved problem”

On Friday, September 7 and Saturday, September 8 there will be plenary lectures, free communications, case presentations, symposiums and workshop. There will be lunch symposium on Sunday, September 9 lunch symposium “News in Therapy”.

Detailed program you can find on [www.imm-riga2012.com](http://www.imm-riga2012.com)  
IMM Venue : University of Latvia, Riga, Raina Blvd.19



# GENERAL INFORMATION

## Date

September 7-9, 2012

## Venue

University of Latvia  
Raiņa Blvd. 19, Riga

## Official Congress website:

[www.imm-riga2012.com](http://www.imm-riga2012.com)

## Registration Fees

Category	Until 15th of April, 2012	Until 1st of August, 2012	After 1st of August, 2012
Delegate	150 €	200 €	250 €
Accompanying person	50 €	70 €	100 €

## Payed:

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## Abstracts

All abstracts should be sent to [abstracts@imm-riga2012.com](mailto:abstracts@imm-riga2012.com)  
Deadline for abstracts May 31, 2012.

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