

REGISTRATION

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Please register before 15. Nov., 2014

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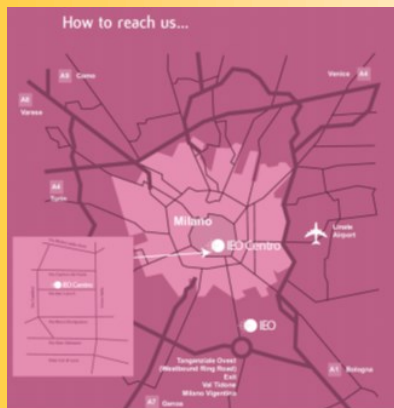
Fees in €	
Registration fee (incl. Dinner)	150,-

Location:

Istituto Europeo di Oncologia (IEO)

Via Ripamonti 435, Milano, Italy

For further description see **EUROSKIN's website**



Accommodation

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7th EUROSKIN Workshop,
24.—25. Nov. 2014



UV and Vitamin D in Skin Cancer Prevention

- Update and integration of
new results -

Solar and artificial (e.g. sunbed) UV-radiation, is a known carcinogen to humans (class 1 according to IARC's classification) and represents the main risk factor for the development of skin cancer. Incidence rates of skin cancer are still increasing worldwide. Therefore strategies of primary and secondary prevention have to be developed and used to counteract this trend which depicts an important health problem in the public.

On the other hand, we have to consider possible health benefits going along with UV-exposure, especially the UV-dependent induction of vitamin D synthesis in human skin. For more than a decade we have an ongoing debate whether vitamin D might protect humans from suffering from certain diseases (especially cancer) and whether UV-protection (to prevent skin cancer) induces vitamin D deficiencies which might be causally linked to the development of these diseases. Discussions on this problem play a prominent role in science but also in public media, although basic questions still have to be answered. For example, we do not know exactly which vitamin D level has to be considered as a "healthy" level (on an individual basis) and "how much" UV is needed for a certain vitamin D level under certain conditions of exposure. However, these (and many other) questions have to be answered to meet the demands of "balanced messages" to inform the public about risks and possible benefits of UV-exposure. For this reason, EUROSkin decided to organize a workshop:

UV and Vitamin D in Skin Cancer Prevention

in order to update the scientific knowledge and to integrate new results in skin cancer prevention.

International experts from basic sciences, epidemiology and dermatology will inform us about new results in research dealing with the risks of solar and sunbed UV, skin cancer epidemiology, UV dependent vitamin D synthesis, consequences of vitamin deficiencies and risk communication in the field of UV protection messages which will be used in national and international recommendations and regulations.

We would like to restrict the number of participants of the workshop to about 40 – 50 to facilitate necessary discussions in the plenum. As usual, on EUROSkin workshops, the results of our discussion will be published in form of recommendations, which are intended to help to formulate balanced messages in skin cancer prevention.

Hoping that you find the agenda of our workshop interesting we are looking forward to welcome you in the beautiful city of Milano

Dr. S. Gandini

Dr. R. Greinert

(President, EUROSkin)

(Secretary General, EUROSkin)

Programme

Time	Topics
Monday, November 24 th , 2014	
8:00 - 9:00	Registration
9:00 - 12:30	Morning session
	Epidemiology, risk factors and vitamin D
	UV induced vitamin D status and DNA damage
	How much UV for how much vitamin D
	European Code against Cancer, 4th Revision ("UV-recommendations")
	Melanoma & Parkinson's disease: a complex link and a study project
	MCR1, skin cancer phenotypic characteristics: an update from the M-SKIP project
14:00 - 17:00	Afternoon session
	Risks of sunbed use
	Measurements of UV - exposures in sunbeds
	Sunbed use, user characteristics and vitamin D substitution as motivation for artificial tanning: results from a German population-based study
	Spectral characteristics of modern sunbeds
	Sunbed regulations/laws/decretes
17:00 – 18:00	DISCUSSION
19:00 – 23:00	Workshop Dinner

Time	Topics
Tuesday, 25 th , 2014	
9:00-12:00	Morning session
	UV exposure and specific DNA damages in a cohort of cutaneous melanoma patients
	"Save the skin" primary prevention at secondary schools
	Secondary prevention - self detection
	Measuring thin melanoma in cancer registries
	Results from the German Skin Cancer Screening
12:00 – 13:00	FINAL DISCUSSION
	Afternoon
15:00	<u>MelaVID Investigator meeting</u>

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Confirmed speakers

Boniol, M. (France)

De Giorgi, V. (Italy)

Gandini, S. (Italy)

Khazova, M. (UK)

Philipsen P.A. (Denmark)

Rosso, S. (Italy)

Sacchetto, L. (Italy)

Stanganelli, I. (Italy)

Zanetti, R. (Italy)

Breitbart, E. (Germany)

Dore, J.F. (France)

Greinert, R. (Germany)

Nilsen, L.T. (Norway)

Raimondi, S. (Italy)

Schneider, S. (Germany)

Scatolini, M. (Italy)

Webb, A. (UK)