



3rd Conference

Innovation in Drug Delivery: Advances in Local Drug Delivery

**22 - 25 September, 2013
PISA, Italy**

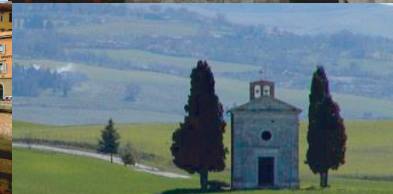
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After the first **Conference on "Innovation in Drug Delivery"** (Naples, 2007) and the second one (Aix en Provence, 2010), ADRITELF and APGI are pleased to announce the third appointment of the series. This time the meeting will be mainly focused on **"Advances in Local Drug Delivery"**, a challenging topic for the development of new therapeutic approaches. The conference will cover all the topics related to Local Drug Delivery, including: drug targeting, topical administration, in situ forming systems as well as biomaterials. This important event will represent a stimulating occasion capable to foster intellectual and scientific exchanges among the participants. As usual, plenary and invited lectures as well as oral and poster contributions will be present in the program. The programme will also include technical sessions devoted to specific scientific equipment or tools. This third Conference will take place at the **Congress Center of Pisa, Italy**, from the **22 to 25, September, 2013**.

The conference is jointly organized by **ADRITELF** (Associazione Docenti e Ricercatori Italiani di Tecnologie e Legislazione Farmaceutiche), Italy, and **APGI** (Association de Pharmacie Galénique Industrielle – International Society of Drug Delivery Sciences and Technology), France. About 350 to 400 participants are expected (350 attendees joined us in Naples).

We would highly appreciate if your company could contribute to the meeting, for instance acting as a sponsor and/or exhibitor. You will find details on the various sponsoring and exhibiting possibilities on our website: www.apgi.org. Your contribution will help to intensify the fruitful exchange between academia and industry and at the same time promote the awareness of your activities in the pharmaceutical field.

We are all looking forward to seeing you or your colleagues in Pisa in September 2013.

Yours sincerely,

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Programme

Plenary Lectures

Prof. Fabio BELTRAM, NEST Laboratory, Scuola Normale Superiore, Pisa, Italy

Nanotechnology, How It Can Help

Prof. Gregor CEVC, Advanced Treatments Institute, Gauting, Germany

Colloid Formulation Effects on (Trans)Dermal Drug Delivery

Prof. Justin HANES, Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, Maryland, U.S.A.

Mucus Penetrating Nanoparticles for Pulmonary Drug and Gene Delivery



Dr. Amélie BOCHOT, University of Paris-Sud, France
Nano and Microparticulate Systems for Ophthalmic Drug Delivery

Prof. Patrizia CHETONI, University of Pisa, Italy
Nail Drug Delivery: Challenges and Advances

Prof. Paolo COLOMBO, University of Parma, Italy
Particles, Powders and Inhalation Products

Prof. Elias FATTAL, University of Paris-Sud, France
Nanotechnologies Targeting the CD 44 Receptor

Prof. Andrea GAZZANIGA, University of Milan, Italy
Formulation Approaches to Colon Delivery: an Overview

Prof. Claus Selch LARSEN, University of Copenhagen, Denmark
Depot Injectables for Joint Instillation

Prof. Jean-Christophe LEROUX, ETH, Zurich, Switzerland
Presystemic Interventions for the Treatment of Celiac Disease

Dr. Claudia MONTERO-MENEI, INSERM Angers, France
Drug and Cell Delivery to the Brain

Prof. Alec N. SALT, Washington University School of Medicine, St. Louis, Missouri, U.S.A.
Technical Challenges in Local Delivery of Drugs to the Inner Ear

Prof. Gert STORM, University of Utrecht, The Netherlands
Application of High Intensity Focused Ultrasound (HIFU) for Tumor-Targeted Temperature-Responsive Drug Delivery

Prof. Elka TOUITOU, Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Israel
Nasal Delivery of Drugs for Efficient CNS Diseases Treatment

Invited Lectures

Technical Sessions

There will be technical sessions devoted to specific scientific equipment or tools

Oral Presentations

A large place will be given to oral presentations selected from the submitted abstracts

Technical Sessions



The programme of the conference will include technical sessions devoted to specific scientific equipment, techniques or other tools in the fields related to the topic “Advances in Local Drug Delivery”.

If you are interested in giving a lecture (20 min) in a technical session of the conference, please contact us (apgi.asso@u-psud.fr or mfadda@unica.it). Only sponsors and exhibitors are eligible to give technical session lectures (a normal sponsorship of your choice -minimum bronze level-, or rental of an exhibition space). If your topic is selected by the scientific committee, we will charge you with an additional fee of 1500 € (+ 21% VAT). This additional fee includes a ½ page advertisement in the APGI Newsletter “La Gazette” and one conference registration. (Only 6 companies can be accepted).

Contributed papers



Contributed papers will be presented from 23 to 25 September, 2013, either orally or in poster form.

Abstracts of contributed papers and submission forms must be sent by e-mail by the corresponding author to APGI (apgi.asso@u-psud.fr) by **1 March, 2013**. For the presentation of abstracts, the authors must carefully follow the guidelines that can be downloaded from the website: www.apgi.org. A notification of receipt will be sent to the corresponding author. Authors will be notified of acceptance of their paper and of the mode of presentation (oral or poster) by 15 June, 2013. **Important:** Participants contributing a poster or oral presentation should, to have their abstract published in the Conference Programme/Abstract Book, settle the registration fee before **1 August, 2013**.

Exhibition



From Monday 23 to Wednesday 25 October, 2013, an exhibition on drug delivery and pharmaceutical technology will be organized at the same time as the Conference. The Exhibition will take place in the poster and coffee break area and will therefore provide you with good visibility. The **Platinum Sponsorship** is including a 6 m2 booth.

Information, floor plan and orderform for exhibition and sponsoring are available on www.apgi.org.



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