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**19th International
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**Florence
October
26th - 28th 2006**

Congress Secretariat

Department of Paediatric Surgery,
Azienda Ospedaliero-Universitaria "A. Meyer"
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Dear Colleagues and Friends,

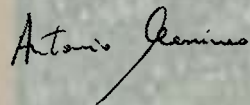
We have a great pleasure in inviting you to the 19th International Symposium of Paediatric Surgical Research to be held in Florence, Italy, on October 26th-28th 2006. The scientific program will cover the complete field of paediatric surgical research. In two days, the meeting will offer young paediatric surgeons the possibility to present oral papers and posters and it will also provide a great opportunity to meet paediatric surgeons from all over the world.

FLORENCE, capital of Tuscany, spread along the banks of the river Arno and houses an exceptional artistic heritage, a glorious testimony to its centuries old civilization.

Florence is home to one of the greatest museum in Italy and in the world: the Uffizi Gallery that contains masterpieces by Italian and Foreign artists, such a Giotto, Leonardo Da Vinci, Botticelli, Michelangelo, Rubens, Rembrandt and many others.

Other symbols of Florence are the Ponte Vecchio with its jewellery shops, the Accademy Gallery with the famous David by Michelangelo, the Duomo with Brunelleschi's Cupola and Giotto's Campanile, Palazzo Vecchio and Piazza della Signoria...

We look forward to welcoming you to Florence.



Prof. Antonio Messineo

LOCAL ORGANIZING COMMITTEE

Antonio Messineo (chairman), Anna Maria Ferreli (secretary), Federica D'asta, Alessandra Martin, Roberto Lo Piccolo, Marinella Sgariboldi.

INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZING COMMITTEE

Professor Arnold Coran, Professor Michael Hollwarth, Professor David Lloyd, Professor Martin Mueli, Professor Risto Rintala, Professor Jean-Michel Guys, Professor Juan Tovar, Professor Benno Ure, Professor Massimo Rivosecchi, Professor Prem Puri (Secretary)

CONFERENCE PROGRAM

• Thursday 26 October

15,00-18,00 Registration

18,00-20,00 Opening Reception and Cocktail

• Friday 27 October

07,30 Registration

08,25 Opening Remarks

08,30-10,30 Session I

10,30-11,00 Coffee Break

11,00-13,00 Session II

13,00-14,00 Lunch

14,00-16,00 Session III

16,00-16,30 Coffee Break

16,30-18,30 Session IV

20,30 Conference Dinner

• Saturday 28 October

08,30-10,30 Session V

10,30-11,00 Coffee Break

11,00-13,00 Session VI

13,00 Closing Remarks

IMPORTANT DATES

June 30th, 2006:

Deadline for receiving abstracts.

July 31st, 2006:

Information regarding acceptance or rejection of the abstract.

September 15th, 2006:

Deadline for early registration and Deadline for submission of Manuscripts.

ABSTRACTS SUBMISSION

To be sent by email to Prof. Prem Puri, Crumlin 12, Dublin, Secretary of the Scientific Committee.

Email address: prem.puri@ucd.ie.

For additional info about abstracts see:

www.guestsystem.it/paediatricsurgeryflorence

FEES

Registration	Untill September 15 th	After September 15 th
<i>Participant</i>	€ 250,00 (VAT included)	€ 300,00 (VAT included)
<i>Resident*</i>	€ 150,00 (VAT included)	€ 200,00 (VAT included)
<i>Accompanying person</i>	€ 100,00 (VAT included)	€ 120,00 (VAT included)

*official certification of residency will be required

REGISTRATION FEE FOR PARTICIPANTS/RESIDENT INCLUDES:

1. Congress materials
2. Access to scientific sessions
3. Certificate of attendance
4. Welcome cocktail, Lunch and coffee breaks
5. Conference Dinner

REGISTRATION FEE FOR ACCOMPANYING PERSON INCLUDES:

1. Welcome cocktail
 2. Conference Dinner
- Access to other social activities

Other Social Activities are possible on request. Please visit the web site of the symposium:

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