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Seventh pan-European QbD & PAT Science Conference

Announcement – May 2014

7th pan-European Science Conference on QbD and PAT Sciences – Inventing Tomorrow's Development and Manufacturing

May 18-19 • 2015 • Graz University of Technology • Graz • Austria

The seventh pan-European Science Conference on QbD and PAT Sciences brings together pharmaceutical scientists and engineers from industry, academia and regulatory agencies to discuss recent developments and future trends in the field of pharmaceutical product and process development. The focus of the 7th EuPAT conference will be on future and emerging trends in the pharmaceutical sector, including continuous manufacturing; the development and supply of personalised medicines and the design and manufacture of nano-structured, pharmaceutical products. Regulatory uncertainties, technical challenges and barriers to adoption which exist in each of these focus areas will be explored and debated in detail.

The conference builds on the success of the EuPAT series established in 2006 and will be organised by EUFEPS, the Graz University of Technology and the Research Center for Pharmaceutical Engineering (RCPE). The main meeting will be held on May 18-19, 2015, in Graz, Austria, and is organised back-to-back with a training day centred on “the Basics of Pharmaceutical Manufacturing with a focus on Hot-Melt Extrusion - Experiments

and Modelling”, which is scheduled to commence on May 17, 2015, at the Graz University of Technology, Graz, Austria. The attendees of EuPAT 7 are welcome to register for the pre-conference day and vice versa.

Session topics at EuPAT 7

- PAT and QbD in continuous manufacturing for drug compounds and products
- Development and production of nano-structured drug products
- Manufacture and supply of personalised medicines
- Sensor – new probes and imaging solutions for innovative control

Invited Speakers at EuPAT 6

Prof *A. Florence*, Strathclyde, Glasgow UK
Prof *B. L. Trout*, MIT, Cambridge MA, USA
Prof *R. Duncan*, Cardiff UK
Prof *G. Storm*, Utrecht University, Utrecht NL
Dr *S. Siegemann*, Capsugel, Bornem BE
Dr *A. C. Beal*, Chief Patient Offices, Sanofi
Prof *A. Zeitler*, University of Cambridge, Cambridge UK

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Participants are encouraged to submit abstracts for poster presentations, whilst selected scientists will be invited to give podium lectures and flash poster presentations alongside the keynote speakers.

Important Dates

First Announcement	May 1, 2014
Second Announcement	September 1, 2014
Abstract Submission Deadline	February 2, 2015 0800 CET
Early-bird Registration	February 27, 2015, 2359 CET
Communication of Accepted Abstracts	February 16, 2015

Scientific and Planning Committee

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On Graz and the EuPAT 7

Located in southern Austria, with its medieval city centre, its many squares, cafes and restaurants, its vibrant cultural scene and its large student population, Graz has an almost Mediterranean charm that equally attracts locals and visitors. Surrounded by mountains in the north and west and a lovely and picturesque wine region to the south with excellent white wines, Graz is a perfect venue for scientific meetings. Of course, the culinary delights of Austrian and international cuisine will contribute to a successful meeting as well. Follow-up trips to Vienna, Salzburg or Venice (all within 2-3.5 hours of Graz) are possible and can be arranged upon request.

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