Annual Meeting of the Austrian Society for Allergology and Immunology (ÖGAI)

in co-operation with the national Societies of Croatia, Czech Republic, Hungary, Slovakia and Slovenia

Lecture Centre of the Vienna General Hospital
Vienna, Austria

Friday, December 3 – Sunday, December 5, 2010

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Patronage

The Annual Meeting of the Austrian Society for Allergology and Immunology (ÖGAI) in co-operation with the national Societies of Croatia, Czech Republic, Hungary, Slovakia and Slovenia is under the patronage of

Dr. Beatrix Karl
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Federal Minister for Health, Family and Youth

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Mayor of Vienna

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Croatian Society of Allergology and Clinical Immunology

Croatian Immunological Society

Czech Society of Allergology and Clinical Immunology

Czech Immunological Society

Hungarian Society for Allergology and Clinical Immunology

Slovak Immunological Society

Immunology Society of Slovenia
Welcome Addresses

We are glad that after 2008 the congress „Annual Meeting of the Austrian Society for Allergology and Immunology“ will again take place in Vienna this year, in 2010.
The participation of more than four hundred participants and many international renowned scientists and physicians demonstrates that Austria is well known for scientific research within Allergology and Immunology and features a great tradition in those areas of expertise.

With its excellent encouragement of education and practice the Austrian Society for Allergology and Immunology shows that science and research – the „scientific community“ - are a determining factor of innovation and an important economic factor in our country. Universities as well as nonacademic research institutions and scientific societies like the ÖGAI, who support both fundamental and applied research and further their clinical implementation, encourage new findings, products and services. Especially due to the support of young researchers the ÖGAI serves as a medium for further in-depth scientific and economic activities.

That the ÖGAI, ever since it has been founded 40 years ago in 1970, fosters outstanding contacts and intensive exchange of knowledge with national societies of our neighboring countries as well as with colleagues all around the world underlines the scientific expertise of this society.

We wish this high-class annual meeting a good and thematically successful progress.

Beatrix Karl

Federal Minister for Science and Research

Dear Chairman! Dear Guests!

It’s a great pleasure for me to welcome you to this meeting in Vienna. In particular I warmly welcome our international guests from Czech Republic, Croatia, Hungary, Slovakia and Slovenia!

You have come together to share a common interest — the interest in your patients who turn to you with trust and confidence every day and rightly expect the best medical care.

Your society’s main goal is to support and to coordinate clinical activity and scientific research in all fields of allergy and immunology. I am therefore pleased that members of the Austrian Society for Allergology and Immunology discuss strategies for diagnosis, prevention and treatment of major immunological diseases with their colleagues from corresponding societies from neighboring countries.

I especially thank the organizer of this important meeting, Prof. Valenta, to whom I would also like to pay a special tribute for establishing sustainable relations and building strong networks with experts from the countries mentioned above.

I do very much hope that you will enjoy the meeting and the work during these three days as well as our beautiful city Vienna and wish you all an inspiring and successful meeting!

Alois Stöger

Federal Minister of Health Austria

Also in times of tight national budgets Vienna offers its citizens a good network of medical care, social security and social services for which most of the cities of the world envy us rightly. Only few cities have such a tight and traditional connection with medicine, its history and its great advances as Vienna. Outstanding achievements of individuals – thinking of, for example, names such as Billroth, Rokitansky and Freud – give reason for the famous reputation of Vienna’s medical educational facilities, which became well known throughout the world and are still so.

I am happy that the „Annual Meeting of the Austrian Society for Allergology and Immunology 2010“ will take place in Vienna. In this spirit, I wish the congress a great success. It may contribute to generate impulses to new scientific developments by a lively exchange of expertise.

And first and foremost, I wish all participants a great stay in Vienna.

Michael Häupl

Mayor of Vienna

Dear Friends and Colleagues,

On behalf of the Local Organizing Committee and the Austrian Society for Allergology and Immunology (ÖGAI) I cordially invite you to participate in the Annual Meeting which will take place in Vienna from December 3-5, 2010.

This year we have invited the members of the national societies of Croatia, Czech Republic, Hungary, Slovakia and Slovenia in order to foster scientific and social interactions between our societies. The program of the Meeting will cover basic and clinical immunology, infectious diseases, immune intervention as well as basic and clinical allergology. Outstanding keynote speakers will present their data during plenary sessions. In addition you will be able to meet experts in the field and to discuss with them various hot topics of immunology and allergology in small sunrise sessions. Young scientists will have the opportunity to present and discuss their work in oral and guided poster sessions.

The Meeting will take place in the lecture centre of the Vienna General Hospital, AKH, which is well equipped to host a successful meeting. Vienna is a multi-faceted city in the heart of Europe offering numerous cultural opportunities. I trust that you will be able to enjoy the beautiful and romantic flair of the city before Christmas and to meet your colleagues in a relaxed atmosphere.

Welcome to Vienna!

Rudolf Valenta

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Scientific Programm

Friday, December 3, 2010

14:00 – 15:30
General Assembly ÖGAI

15:50 – 17:00
Welcome

Welcome address
Wolfgang Schütz, Rector of the Medical University of Vienna

Keynote Lecture
Chair: Rudolf Valenta, Vienna, Austria
Ursula Wiedermann-Schmidt, Vienna, Austria

Perspectives of Cancer - Prevention by Vaccination
Harald zur Hausen, Heidelberg, Germany (50 min)

17:00 – 18:30
Session 1: Infectious diseases
Chair: Sylvia Knapp, Vienna, Austria
Helena Tlaskalová-Hogenova, Prague, Czech Republic

Toward a therapy of prion diseases
Vladka Čurin-Šerbec, Ljubljana, Slovenia (25 min)

Vaccine properties of recombinant herpesvirus expressing ligand for NKG2D receptor
Stipan Jonjić, Rijeka, Croatia (25 min)

S1.1 Role of virus specific antibodies in the control of MCMV infection in newborn mice
Djurdjica Cekinović, Rijeka, Croatia (10 min)

S1.2 A type I-interferon response to Candida spp in innate immune cells involves phagosomal TLR signaling
Christelle Bourgeois, Vienna, Austria (10 min)

S1.3 Anti-inflammatory effects of Parabacteroides distasonis components in experimental colitis
Miloslav Kverka, Prague, Czech Republic (10 min)

S1.4 Lipocalin-2 is a novel marker of regulatory macrophages and inhibits inflammation in vitro and in vivo
Joanna Warszawska, Vienna, Austria (10 min)

18:30 – 20:00
Poster Session 1

Poster Area
Saturday, December 4, 2010

08:00 – 08:30 Meeting Room 8
Sunrise Session

Antagonistic function and differential expression of complement receptors CR1 (CD35) and CR2 (CD21) on human B lymphocyte subsets in physiological and autoimmune conditions
Anna Erdei, Budapest, Hungary (30 min)

08:00 – 08:30 Meeting Room 9
Sunrise Session

Critical role of Nkx2-3 homeodomain transcription factor in the tissue architecture, homing mechanism and peripheral B-cell homeostatic function of the spleen
Peter Balogh, Pécs, Hungary (30 min)

08:30 – 09:00 Meeting Room 9
Meet the Expert: Emerging understanding of T cell receptor signalling

Is the understanding of TCR signaling really emerging?
Václav Hořejší, Prague, Czech Republic (15 min pres. & round table disc)

08:00 – 09:00 Meeting Room 13
Meet the Professor (incl. breakfast)

Hilde Cheroutre, La Jolla, United States

07:45 - 08:45 Meeting Room 14
Meet the Professor (incl. breakfast)

Harald zur Hausen, Heidelberg, Germany

09:00 – 10:30 Lecture Hall 1
Session 2: Clinical Immunology
Chair: Jiří Litzmann, Brno, Czech Republic
Gerhard Zlabinger, Vienna, Austria

Keynote Lecture
Pathways to Destruction in Arthritis
Josef Smolen, Vienna, Austria (30 min)

Immunological and clinical effects of photopheresis in patients with diffuse cutaneous systemic sclerosis
Margit Zeher, Debrecen, Hungary (25 min)

S2.1 Molecular analysis of HDAC1 function in CD8+ T cells
Roland Tschismarov, Vienna, Austria (10 min)

S2.2 Role of IL-9 in nephrotoxic serum nephritis
Kathrin Eller, Innsbruck, Austria (10 min)

S2.3 Two sides of the same coin: The role of Progesterone-Induced Blocking Factor (PIBF) in trophoblast and tumor invasion
Melinda Halasz, Pécs, Hungary (10 min)

S2.4 Lysates of Lactobacillus casei DN114001 prevent the development of colitis in BALB/c mice
Zuzana Zakostelska, Prague, Czech Republic (10 min)

10:30 – 11:00
Coffee Break
Scientific Programm

Saturday, December 4, 2010

11:00 – 12:30  Lecture Hall 1

Session 3: Innate Immunity
Chair: Georg Füst, Budapest, Hungary
       Donat Magyar, Budapest, Hungary

   Molecular mechanism of activation of Toll-like receptors in infection and chronic inflammation
   Roman Jerala, Ljubljana, Slovenia (25 min)

S3.1 miR-146a is differentially expressed by myeloid dendritic cell subsets and regulates their sensitivity to TLR-dependent activation
   Jennifer Jurkin, Vienna, Austria (10 min)

S3.2 Inhibition of mTOR blocks the anti-inflammatory effects of glucocorticoids in myeloid immune cells
   Thomas Weichhart, Vienna, Austria (10 min)

S3.3 Mouse cytomegalovirus compromises ‘missing-self’ mediated activation of natural killer cells
   Marina Babić Čač, Rijeka, Croatia (10 min)

S3.4 Subcutaneous injection with mHSP65 increase aortal plaque size but oral administration with mHSP65 ameliorates this effect
   Cecilia Grundtman, Innsbruck, Austria (10 min)

S3.5 Nuclear and endosomal functions of cysteine proteinase inhibitors in activated macrophages
   Natasha Kopitar-Jerala, Ljubljana, Slovenia (10 min)

S3.6 Functional dissection of the TBK1 molecular machine
   Tilmann Buerckstuemmer, Vienna, Austria (10 min)

12:30 – 13:00  Meeting Room 9

Special Lecture
Chair: Rudolf Valenta, Vienna, Austria

   Ethics of basic and applied sciences
   Fritz Melchers, Berlin, Germany

13:00 – 14:00  Meeting Room 9

Satellite symposium Bencard: New Advances in SIT

   Adjuvants for SIT
   Barbara Bohle, Vienna, Austria

   Visions for specific immunotherapy in the year 2015
   Stefan Wöhrl, Vienna, Austria

14:00 – 15:30  Poster Area

Poster Session 2
Saturday, December 4, 2010

15:30 – 17:00 Lecture Hall 1
Session 4: Basic Allergology
Chair: Barbara Bohle, Vienna, Austria
      Mitja Kosnik, Golnik, Slovenia

Mechanisms of allergen-specific diseases
Carsten Schmidt-Weber, Munich, Germany (25 min)

The usefulness of allergen components in allergy
Marianne van Hage, Stockholm, Sweden (25 min)

S4.1 Bet v 1 induced expression of Th2-cytokines in monocyte-derived dendritic cells of birch pollen allergic donors indicates independent signaling to Fcε receptor ligation
Ursula Smole, Vienna, Austria (10 min)

S4.2 Analysis of the complement activating ability of different types of recombinant allergen extracts
Lilian Varga, Budapest, Hungary (10 min)

S4.3 Induction of long-term tolerance in IgE-mediated allergy by molecular chimerism
Ulrike Baranyi, Vienna, Austria (10 min)

S4.4 Towards the modulation of birch pollen specific immune-responses by TCR-transgenic Bet v 1-specific T-cells
Alina Neunkirchner, Vienna, Austria (10 min)

17:00 – 17:30
Coffee Break

17:30 – 19:00 Lecture Hall 1
Session 5: Basic Immunology
Chair: Milan Buc, Bratislava, Slovakia
      Wilfried Ellmeier, Vienna, Austria

Translational research in dendritic cell vaccines
Jirina Bartunková, Prague, Czech Republic (25 min)

Stretching plasticity over the limit: CD4 effector T cells switch to the CD8 CTL lineage
Hilde Cheroutre, La Jolla, United States (25 min)

S5.1 Unexpected role of STAT1 serine727 for NK cell function
Eva Putz, Vienna, Austria (10 min)

S5.2 Bim and Fas differentially control AICD in induced regulatory and effector T cells
Denise Tischner, Innsbruck, Austria (10 min)

S5.3 Tissue location as a determinant of T-cell survival following in vivo T-cell depleting treatment
Martina Mihalj, Pécs, Hungary (10 min)

S5.4 Human skin-derived mesenchymal stem cells drive the differentiation of naive helper T cells towards a regulatory phenotype without provision of costimulatory molecules
Karin Pfisterer, Vienna, Austria (10 min)

19:30
Bus transfer from the General Hospital to the Heurigen evening (busses leave from the main entrance)

20:00
Heurigen evening
Sunday, December 5, 2010

08:00 – 08:30
Sunrise session
Meeting Room 8

Immunomodulation of memory impairing protein in Alzheimer’s disease
Michal Novak, Bratislava, Slovakia (30 min)

08:00 – 08:30
Sunrise Session
Meeting Room 9

Immunological mechanisms in the development and progression of colorectal cancer
George Füst, Budapest, Hungary (30 min)

08:30 – 09:00
Meet the Expert
Meeting Room 8

Diagnosis and treatment of venom allergy
Mihaela Zidarn, Golnik, Slovenia (15 min. pres. & round table disc)

08:30 – 09:00
Meet the Expert: Different forms of immunotherapy: What to choose?
Meeting Room 9

New forms of immunotherapy - do we really need them?
Petr Panzner, Plzen, Czech Republic (15 min. pres. & round table disc)

08:00 – 09:00
Meet the Professor (incl. breakfast)
Meeting Room 13

Shigeo Koyasu, Tokyo, Japan

08:00 – 09:00
Meet the Professor (incl. breakfast)
Meeting Room 14

Stephen Durham, London, United Kingdom

09:00 – 10:30
Lecture Hall 1
Session 6: Adaptive Immunity
Chair: Winfried F. Pickl, Vienna, Austria
Marcus Säemann, Vienna, Austria

Natural Helper Cells: Innate lymphocytes producing Th2 cytokines
Shigeo Koyasu, Tokyo, Japan (25 min)

Potent and selective modulation of immune responses by immunocomplexes of IL-2 and different anti-IL-2 mAbs
Marek Kovar, Prague, Czech Republic (25 min)

S6.1 Myeloid cells, and not T cells, are the main source of TNF-alpha in plaque-type psoriasis
Patrick Brunner, Vienna, Austria (10 min)

S6.2 Human rhinoviruses induce IL-35-producing Treg via induction of B7-H1 (CD274) and Sialoadhesin (CD169) on DC
Maria Seyerl, Vienna, Austria (10 min)

S6.3 A multigene signature approach to delineate the impact of activation-induced cytidine deaminase (AID)-associated events in the etiology of inflammatory disorders
Diana Mechtcheriakova, Vienna, Austria (10 min)

S6.4 Bet v 1-specific TCR/Foxp3 double transgenic T-cells suppress the effector function of Bet v 1-specific T-cells in an activation dependent manner
Klaus Schmetterer, Vienna, Austria (10 min)
10:30 – 11:00
Coffee Break

11:00 – 12:30
Lecture Hall 1

Session 7: Clinical Allergology
Chair: Stefan Wöhrl, Vienna, Austria
Mihaela Zidarn, Golnik, Slovenia

Basophil Activation Test
Peter Korosec, Slovenia (25 min)

Immune tolerance: what have we learned from allergen immunotherapy?
Stephen Durham, London, United Kingdom (25 min)

S7.1 Old molecules as new markers for poor response to local steroid treatment in ragweed-induced allergic rhinitis
Lajos Rethy, Budapest, Hungary (10 min)

S7.2 Association of the chromosome 11q13.5 variant with atopic eczema in Austrian patients
Elli Greisenegger, Vienna, Austria (10 min)

S7.3 Clinically effective apple desensitization in birch allergic patients with oral allergy syndrome
Peter Kopac, Golnik, Slovenia (10 min)

S7.4 A hypoallergenic hybrid protein vaccine for the treatment of grass pollen allergy
Birgit Linhart, Vienna, Austria (10 min)

12:30 -13:30
Lecture Hall 1

Keynote Lecture
Chair: Verena Niederberger, Vienna, Austria
Susanne Vrtala, Vienna, Austria

IgE responses to protein and carbohydrate epitopes and their relationship to asthma and anaphylaxis
Thomas Platts-Mills, Charlottesville, United States (50 min)

Closing Ceremony and Awards
**Information for Speakers & Poster Presenters**

**Information for Speakers**

**Projection and Technical Setting**

We kindly ask all presenters to hand in their presentations to the technicians in the lecture hall 1 preferably in the morning of the day of their talk but no later than in the break before the start of the session. Please bring an USB-stick or CD-ROM compatible with Windows as all lecture rooms are equipped exclusively with Windows-PCs. You may want to carry a second disk/CD as a back-up in case there is any unsolvable technical problem. In case you absolutely need to use your own laptop or notebook, we would kindly ask you to contact our technicians well in advance. The congress also provides a preview room with laptops were you are able to prepare for your lecture.

**Speaking Time**

Please note your speaking time indicated in the detailed scientific programme and be aware that the time also includes discussion time. The chairpersons are asked to pay attention to the exact speaking times to avoid any program changes and delays.

**Information for Poster Presenters**

Presenters are asked to be present at their poster at the time of their respective poster session to present their work to interested colleagues and to the jury who will select the best posters for poster awards.

The poster awards will be presented during the closing ceremony on Sunday, December 5, 2010. Please note that it is mandatory that presenters participate in the closing ceremony to be eligible for receiving the awards.

**Poster Session 1 – Guided Tours**

**Date:** Friday, December 3, 2010  
**Time:** 18:30 – 20:00 hrs

**Basic Allergology**

Guided Poster Tour 1 (Chair: Carsten Schmidt-Weber, Peter Steinberger)  
P001 - P015

Guided Poster Tour 2 (Chair: Beatrice Jahn-Schmid, Petr Panzner)  
P016 - P031

Guided Poster Tour 3 (Chair: Fatima Ferreira, Thomas Platts-Mills)  
P032 - P047

**Basic Immunology**

Guided Poster Tour 1 (Chair: Hannes Stockinger, Johannes Stöckl)  
P048 - P061

Guided Poster Tour 2 (Chair: Vaclav Horejsi, Marek Kovar)  
P062 - P075

Guided Poster Tour 3 (Chair: Veronika Sexl, Herbert Strobl)  
P076 - P088

Guided Poster Tour 4 (Chair: Shigeo Koyasu, Winfried Pickl)  
P089 - P101

**Innate Immunity**

Guided Poster Tour 1 (Chair: Natasa Kopitar Jerala, Sylvia Knapp)  
P102 - P113

Guided Poster Tour 2 (Chair: Thomas Decker, Marcus Säemann)  
P114 - P124

**Poster Mounting Time for Posters in Session 1:**  
Friday, December 3, 13:00 - 18:00 hrs

**Poster Removal Time:**  
Friday, December 3, 20:00 - 20:30 hrs

Posters not removed until then will be taken down by the congress staff and will not be stored or sent to the authors.
Poster Session 2 – Guided Tours
Date: Saturday, December 4, 2010
Time: 14:00 – 15:30 hrs

Clinical Allergology
Guided Poster Tour 1 (Chair: Stephen Durham, Eva Maria Varga)  P125 - P140
Guided Poster Tour 2 (Chair: Karin Hoffmann-Sommergruber, Peter Korosec)  P141 - P156

Clinical Immunology
Guided Poster Tour 1 (Chair: Sabina Rabatic, Clemens Scheinecker)  P157 - P170
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Guided Poster Tour 3 (Chair: Herman Wolf, Margit Zeher)  P185 - P198
Guided Poster Tour 4 (Chair: Gernot Achatz, Helena Tlaskalová-Hogenova)  P199 - P212
Guided Poster Tour 5 (Chair: Winfried Graninger, Thomas Wekerle)  P213 - P225
Guided Poster Tour 6 (Chair: Maria Sibilia, Gernot Titz)  P226 - P239

Infectious Diseases
Guided Poster Tour 1 (Chair: Stipan Jonjić, Vladka Curin Serbec)  P240 - P252

Poster Mounting Time for Posters in Session 2: Saturday, December 4, 07:30 - 13:30 hrs
Poster Removal Time: until Sunday, December 5, 12:00 hrs the latest

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DFP credits

Austrian Medical Educational Accreditation Programme (Diplomfortbildungsprogramm, DFP):
The Annual Meeting of the Austrian Society for Immunology and Allergology in co-operation with the national societies of Croatia, Czech Republic, Hungary, Slovakia and Slovenia is designated for a maximum of 24 DFP credits.

Die Anzahl der gemäß Approbation durch das Fortbildungsreferat der Österreichischen Ärztekammer anerkannten Fortbildungsstunden lautet wie folgt: 24 DFP.
Social Event

Mayor’s Reception at the Heurigen Fuhrgassl-Huber

Saturday, December 4, 2010 at 20:00 hrs
Fee: EUR 5.00 (fee is a contribution toward the transfer costs)

Join us at the Heurigen, a typical Viennese wine tavern. This will be a perfect opportunity to get to know your colleagues and exchange ideas while enjoying local wine and typical Austrian specialities in a relaxed atmosphere.

Please note that advance registration is mandatory in order to receive a ticket. Limited attendance (first-come, first-serve)! A limited number of tickets will still be available onsite.

The congress offers a bus transfer from the lecture centre of the Vienna General Hospital to the Heurigen Fuhrgassl-Huber as well as a bus shuttle service back from the Heurigen to the AKH Lecture Centre.

Shuttlebus Schedule:

Departing Time at the lecture centre: 19:15 hrs
Returning Time from the Heurigen: 21:30 hrs
22:00 hrs
22:30 hrs
23:00 hrs

Please note that the bus capacities for each bus are for a maximum of 50 passengers each and seats will be handled first come, first serve.

Heurigen Fuhrgassl-Huber
Neustift am Walde 68
1190 Vienna
Tel. +43 1 4401405
Registration Fees

**Registration Fees (in EURO)**

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<sup>1</sup> Members of the Austrian, Croatian, Czech, Hungarian, Slovak and Slovenian societies.

<sup>2</sup> Please provide confirmation of your student’s status

*Please note that the reduced registration fee is only applicable if it has been credited to the congress account before November 6, 2010. Registering without performing an actual payment is not sufficient to benefit from the reduction. The full fee is to be paid at the registration desk.*

**Meet the Professor Sessions (in EURO)**

- **Meet the Professor (incl. breakfast): Harald zur Hausen**  
  *Saturday, December 4, 2010, 07:45 – 08:45 hrs*  
  15.00
- **Meet the Professor (incl. breakfast): Hilde Cheroutre**  
  *Saturday, December 4, 2010, 08:00 – 09:00 hrs*  
  15.00
- **Meet the Professor (incl. breakfast): Shigeo Koyasu**  
  *Sunday, December 5, 2010, 08:00 – 09:00 hrs*  
  15.00
- **Meet the Professor (incl. breakfast): Stephen Durham**  
  *Sunday, December 5, 2010, 08:00 – 09:00 hrs*  
  15.00

**Social Event (in EURO)**

- **Mayor’s Reception at the Heurigen**  
  *Saturday, December 4, 2010, 20:00 hrs*  
  *(fee is a contribution towards the transfer costs)*  
  5.00

**Opening hours of onsite registration**

- Friday, December 3, 2010: 13:00 – 20:00 hrs
- Saturday, December 4, 2010: 07:30 – 19:00 hrs
- Sunday, December 5, 2010: 07:30 – 13:00 hrs

**Cancellations and Refunds**

Notice of cancellation must be made in writing by registered letter or fax/email to the Congress Office.

Registration fees may be refunded as follows:

Written cancellation received:
- before November 6, 2010: 50% refund
- after November 6, 2010: no refund

The date of the postmark or fax ID/email received will be the basis for considering refunds. Please indicate your banking information (account number, account holder, name and address of bank, IBAN and BIC code) in your written cancellation. Refunds will be made after the congress only.
Bank services
Banks are open from 8:30 – 12:30 and from 13:30 – 15:00, Monday to Friday. Some banks are also open on Thursday afternoons until 17:30 hrs. Cash machines (ATMs), which accept all major international bank cards, are available throughout the city. There is also a cash machine at the main entrance of the Vienna General Hospital (the congress venue).

Car parking
The Vienna General Hospital (the congress venue) has approximately 800 car parking spaces available for visitors. The entrance to the parking garage is at the Währinger Gürtel.

Currency
The official currency in Austria is the Euro (EUR).

Electricity supply
220V-50Hz AC. Adaptors can be obtained from your hotel reception or at nearly any electronics store.

Emergency services
The phone number to dial for emergencies is 112.

GSM cell phone roaming
GSM cell/mobile phone roaming is available without any problems from all major international providers. It is advisable to inquire beforehand at your provider which roaming company in Austria offers the cheapest rates.

Insurance, liability
By registering at the ÖGAI 2010 (Annual Meeting of the Society of Allergology and Immunology) participants agree that neither the organising committee nor the congress office assume any liability (for example: loss, personal injury, property damage etc.) whatsoever. Participants are requested to make their own arrangements for health and travel insurance.

Language
The official Language of the congress will be English (no simultaneous translation). German is the official language in Austria.

Medical care
The Austrian National Health Service may be used by all persons from European Union countries who have the E111 Form (EHI-Card). This from/card should be obtained at the health service or post office of the visitor’s home country before travelling to Austria. It is advisable for participants from countries outside the European Union to take out medical insurance before reaching Austria, since they will be charged for access to the national health system.

Pharmacies
Medicines that do not require a medical prescription may be purchased over the counter. There are duty pharmacies open 24 hours a day. Outside each pharmacy there is a list of the nearest duty pharmacies or you may ask at your hotel reception for more information.

Shopping in Vienna
Shops in Vienna are generally open between 09:00 and 18:00 hrs Mon-Fri and between 09:00 and 12:00 hrs on Saturdays. Some shops are open until 20:00 hrs Mon-Fri and 19:00 hrs on Saturdays. Shops are usually closed on Sundays, except some supermarkets on the main train stations in Vienna.

Taxis
There are taxi ranks throughout the city. A taxi station can be found near the main entrance of the congress venue at Level 5 and at Lazarettgasse (exit on Level 4).

Tipping
Tips are not obligatory in Austria, although people usually tip approximately 10% at restaurants, cafés and bars. Hotel and airport porters are used to get tips depending on the luggage.

Travelling within Vienna
Tickets for the public transport are available at the ticket machines at all underground stations (maestro debit cards accepted), at news agents or at the Vienna Transport Authority ticket offices. Tickets can also be bought on the tram but the ticket price is slightly more expensive then the pre-paid tickets. The tickets must be punched in a blue ticket cancelling machine on the tram or bus or at the barrier before boarding the underground train. Single trip tickets can be used for any single trip within Vienna. You may change lines (and switch between bus, tram or underground) but you may not interrupt your journey.
Ticket price: EUR 1.80 when bought in advance; EUR 2.20 when bought in the means of transport. The 24-hour pass is valid throughout Vienna for exactly 24 hours from the time it is punched for EUR 5.70. The 48-hour pass is valid for 48 hours for EUR 10.00 and the 72-hour pass is valid for 72 hours for EUR 13.60. The 8 days ticket is valid for any 8 days, not necessarily eight consecutive days, which whom you can travel all around Vienna for EUR 28.80. Week-pass is valid from Monday to Monday for EUR 19.00. Please note that these tickets are not valid for the entire journey to the airport.

V.A.T
Value-added tax (VAT) of generally 20% is applied to most products and services (10% V.A.T applies to books, food and a few other items). The V.A.T is included in the displayed prices.
Exhibition – General Information

Exhibition Dates & Opening hours:
Friday, December 3, 2010 13:00 – 18:30 hrs
Saturday, December 4, 2010 08:00 – 19:00 hrs
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Location
Exhibition Area Level 7

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