

Forthcoming Conferences and Meetings

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Advanced Cardiac Echo Course

Dec 02-03, 2005

Philadelphia, PA, *United States*

Contact: Madolin Kennedy

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E-mail: jurei@mail.tju.edu

1st International HIV and Hepatitis Co-infection workshop

Dec 02-04, 2005

Amsterdam, *Netherlands*

Contact: Ms. J van der Woude or Ms. M van der Kaa

Tel: 00-31-302-307-140; Fax: 00-31-302-307-148

E-mail : info@virology-education.com

2nd International Workshop on HIV Persistence during Therapy

Dec 06-09, 2005

St. Martin, French West Indies, *France*

Contact: Alain Lafeuillade, MD

Tel: 3349-422-7741; Fax: 3349-492-6747

E-Mail: info@hiv-workshop.com

"Hands On" Gynecological Endoscopy Skills Workshop

Dec 07-09, 2005

London, England, *United Kingdom*

Contact: Therese Eleftheriou

Tel: 44-207-431-1321; Fax: 44-207-431-1321

E-mail: gynendo@rfc.ucl.ac.uk

Pearls from Obstetrics and Gynecology

Dec 08-10, 2005

Chicago, IL, *United States*

Contact: American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists, 409 12th St., S.W., PO Box 96920, Washington, D.C. 20090-6920

Tel: 202-638-5577

E-Mail: coding@acog.org

Annual Congress of the Belgium Society of Internal Medicine

Dec 08-10, 2005

Brussels, *Belgium*

Contact: Isabel Van Dorpe

Tel: 32-92-404-402; Fax: 32-92-404-403

E-Mail: Isabel.Vandorpe@ugent.be

The Medical Management of AIDS: A Comprehensive Review of HIV Management

Dec 08-10, 2005

San Francisco, CA, *United States*

Contact: UCSF Office of CME

Tel: 415-476-4251; Fax: 415-502-1795

E-Mail: info@ocme.ucsf.edu

Basic Surgical Skills

Dec 12-14, 2005

London, England, *United Kingdom*

Contact: Conference and Postgraduate Meetings Department

Tel: 44-0-2-077-726-200; Fax: 44-0-2-077-230-575

E-Mail: conference@rcog.org.uk

Dermatology for the Practicing Physician

Dec 12-16, 2005

Bradenton-Sarasota, FL, *United States*

Contact: Eva or Cristina Tel:1-866-267-4263 / 1-941-388-1766; Fax:1-941-365-7073

E-Mail: mail@ams4cme.com

2nd Pan Arab Continence Society Meeting

Dec 14-16, 2005

Dubai, *United Arab Emirates*

Contact: Prof. Sherif Mourad

Tel: 20-24-553-443; Fax: 20-24-553-443

E-Mail: msmourad@tedata.net.eg

Endometrium and Embryo Implantation

Dec 16-17, 2005

Paris, *France*

Contact: Serono Symposia International

Tel: 39-0-670-384-591; Fax: 39-0-670-384-677

E-Mail: info@seronosymposia.org

Medical Dilemmas in Primary Care

Dec 16-18, 2005

New York, NY, *United States*

Contact: Kathy McLendon

Tel: 800-423-4992; Fax: 205-945-1548

E-Mail: kmclendon@sma.org

Advances in Heart Disease

Dec 16-18, 2005

San Francisco, CA, *United States*

Contact: UCSF Office of CME

Tel: 415-476-4251; Fax: 415-502-1795

Annual Iranian Congress of **Pathology** (National)
Dec 20-22, 2005
Tehran, *Iran*
Contact: Dr M R Jalali
Tel: 98-2-188-951-899; Fax: 98-2-188-951-899
E-Mail: info@iranpath.org

Pan Arab **Continence Society Congress**
Dec 22-24, 2005
Dubai, *United Arab Emirates*
Contact: Prof. S Mourad
Fax: 002-024-553-443
E-Mail: info2005@pacsoffice.org

Up in **Adult Infectious Diseases** for the Primary
Care Physician
Dec 26-30, 2005
Bradenton-Sarasota, FL, *United States*
Contact: Eva or Cristina
Tel: 1-866-267-4263; Fax: 1-941-365-7073
E-Mail: mail@ams4cme.com

“**Radiology Review** for the Non-Radiologist” /
“**Current Clinical Topics in Internal Medicine**” /
“**Topics in Endocrinology and Rheumatology:**
Improving Diagnostic and Treatment Skills”
Jan 01-31, 2006
Sarasota, FL, *United States*
Contact: Eva / Cristina
Tel: 1-866-267-4263; Fax: 1-941-365-7073
E-Mail: mail@ams4cme.com

“**CME 10: Topics to Improve Your Practice**” /
“**Family Practice Review and Up**” / “**Pediatric
Emergency Medicine: Important Issues in Infants
and Toddlers**”
Jan 01-31, 2006
Sarasota, FL, *United States*
Contact: Eva / Cristina
Tel: 1-866-267-4263; Fax: 1-941-365-7073
E-Mail: mail@ams4cme.com

An International Perspective on **Robotic Surgery**
Jan 04-09, 2006
Anaheim, CA, *United States*
Contact: Jeannie DeSantis
Tel: 714-550-9155; Fax: 714-550-9234
E-Mail: info@ucirobotics.com

Genome Sequence Variation and the Inherited Basis
of **Common Disease** and Complex Traits
Jan 06-11, 2006
Big Sky, MT, *United States*
Contact: Meeting Organiser
Tel: 800-253-0685 / 970-262-1230; Fax: 970-262-1525
E-Mail: info@keystonesymposia.org

Women's Imaging: Advances in **Gynaecological
Imaging and Transvaginal Ultrasound**
Jan 10, 2006 - Jan 12, 2006
Toronto, ON, *Canada*
Contact: Continuing Education
Tel: 416-978-2719; Fax: 416-946-7028
E-Mail: ce.med@utoronto.ca

The 7th International Conference on **Pain and
Chemical Dependency**
Jan 11-14, 2006
Brooklyn, NY, *United States*
Contact: Shameeka Ayers
Tel: 404-443-1532; Fax: 404-506-9393
E-Mail: info@painandchemicaldependency.org

The Mature Woman: From **Perimenopause** to the
Elderly Years
Jan 12-14, 2006
Vail, CO, *United States*
Contact: American College of Obstetricians and
Gynecologists, 409 12th St., S.W., PO Box 96920,
Washington, D.C. 20090-6920
Tel: 202-638-5577
E-Mail: coding@acog.org

Advanced Course on **Ear Imaging**
Jan 12-14, 2006
Leuven, *Belgium*
Contact: Mrs Christine Dejonghe
E-Mail: Christine.Dejonghe@uz.kuleuven.ac.be

1st International **HIV and Hepatitis Co-infection
Workshop**
Jan 12-14, 2006
Amsterdam, *Netherlands*
Contact: Ms. J. van der Woude or Ms. M. van der
Kaa
Tel: 00-31-302-307-140; Fax: 00-31-302-307-148
E-Mail: info@virology-education.com

**Invasive Pain Management: An Advanced Inter-
Disciplinary Comprehensive Course**
Jan 13-15, 2006
Scottsdale, AZ, *United States*
Contact: Maria Courtney
Tel: 800-328-2308; Fax: 210-641-8311
E-Mail: mariac@pain.com

Orlando **Dermatology & Aesthetic Conference**
Jan 13-16, 2006
Orlando, FL, *United States*
Contact: Melissa Buono
Tel: 212-213-8784; Fax: 212-213-5435
E-Mail: info@orlandoderm.org

Abdominal Imaging & Musculoskeletal MRI update

Jan 14-17, 2006

Nassau, Bahamas

Contact: Debbie Sykes

Tel: 919-684-7228

E-Mail: sykes010@mc.duke.edu

V Annual Postgraduate Course: Reconstructive Surgery of the Aortic Root- Stentless Valves and Aortic repair

Jan 16-17, 2006

Katowice, Poland

Contact: Course Director M.J. Jasinski MD PhD

E-Mail: marekjas@poczta.onet.pl

Neurology for the Non-Neurologist

Jan 16-20, 2006

Bradenton-Sarasota, FL, United States

Contact: Eva or Cristina

Tel: 1-866-267-4263 / 1-941-388-1766; Fax: 1-941-365-7073

E-Mail: mail@ams4cme.com

Hypoxia and Development, Physiology and Disease

Jan 16-21, 2006

Breckenridge, CO, United States

Contact: Meeting Organiser

Tel: 800-253-0685 / 970-262-1230; Fax: 970-262-1525

E-Mail: info@keystonesymposia.org

2nd International Congress of Environmental Medicine

Jan 18-22, 2006

Antalya, Turkey

Contact: Recai OGUR

Tel: 90-3-123-051-590; Fax: 90-3-123-110-072

E-mail: cevrehkim@halksagligi.org

NESA Days 2006 - An Interdisciplinary Endoscopic Conference

Jan 19-21, 2006

Berlin, Germany

Contact: Michael Stark MD

Tel: 49-03-094-012-403; Fax: 49-03-094-012-430

E-Mail: mstark@nesacademy.org

3rd European Conference: Perspectives in Gynecologic Oncology

Jan 20-21, 2006

Nice, France

Contact: Stephanie Clemmons

Tel: 1-770-751-7332; Fax: 1-770-751-7334

E-Mail: s.clemmons@imedex.com

Hysterectomy: Minimally Invasive Approaches and Alternatives

Jan 20-22, 2006

Fort Lauderdale, FL, United States

Contact: CME Coordinator

Tel: 954-659-5490; Fax: 954-659-5491

E-Mail: cme@ccf.org

International Conference on Ethnopharmacology and Alternative Medicine & Fifth Annual Conference of National Society of Ethnopharmacology

Jan 20-22, 2006

Amala Nagar, Thrissur, Kerala, India

Contact: Dr. K.K. Janardhanan, Organizing Secretary

Tel: +91-487-2307950/2307868; Fax: +91 487 2307868

URL: www.iceam.org E-mail: info@iceam.org

International Symposium on Endovascular Therapy

Jan 22-26, 2006

Fountainebleau Resort, Miami Beach, FL, United States

Contact: Registrar

Tel: 888-334-7495; Fax: 305-279-8221

E-Mail: Questions@ccmcme.com

Review and Up of Pediatric Emergency Medicine

Jan 23-27, 2006

Bradenton-Sarasota, FL, United States

Contact: Eva or Cristina

Tel: 1-866-267-4263 / 1-941-388-1766; Fax: 1-941-365-7073

E-Mail: mail@ams4cme.com

3rd Meeting on Human and Medical Genetics

Jan 26-28, 2006

Montpellier, France

Contact: Christophe SCHWOB

Tel: 33-495-093-800; Fax: 33-495-093-801

E-Mail: infos@assises-genetique.org

Annual Big Sky Radiology Conference

Jan 29-Feb 01, 2006

Big Sky, MT, United States

Contact: Sandy Yost

E-Mail: s.yost@hosp.wisc.edu

Cardiac Arrhythmias: Linking Structural Biology to Gene Defects

Jan 29 -Feb 03, 2006

Tahoe City, CA, United States

Contact: Meeting Organiser

Tel: 800-253-0685 / 970-262-1230; Fax: 970-262-1525

E-Mail: info@keystonesymposia.org

Practical Ups in Anesthesiology

Jan 29 -Feb 03, 2006

Puerta Vallarta, *Mexico*

Contact: Office of Continuing Medical Education

Tel: 734-763-1400 / 800-800-0666; Fax: 734-936-1641

E-Mail: OCME@umich.edu

42nd Annual Meeting of The Society of Thoracic Surgeons

Jan 30-Feb 01, 2006

Chicago, IL, *United States*

Contact: The Society of Thoracic Surgeons

Tel: 312-644-6610; Fax: 312-527-6635

E-Mail: sts@sba.com

Geriatrics: Issues in Primary Care Medicine

Jan 30-Feb 03, 2006

Bradenton-Sarasota, FL, *United States*

Contact: Eva or Cristina

Tel: 1-866-267-4263 / 1-941-388-1766; Fax: 1-941-365-7073

E-Mail: mail@ams4cme.com

The 17th Scientific Session of the Saudi Heart Association

Jan 31-Feb 02, 2006

Khobar, *Saudi Arabia*

Contact: Meeting Organiser

E-Mail: office@saudiheart17.com

"Radiology Review for the Non-Radiologist" /**"Current Clinical Topics in Internal Medicine" /****"Topics in Endocrinology and Rheumatology:****Improving Diagnostic and Treatment Skills" :**

Feb 01-28, 2006

Sarasota, FL, *United States*

Contact: Eva / Cristina

Tel: 1-866-267-4263 / 1-941-388-1766; Fax: 1-941-365-7073

E-Mail: mail@ams4cme.com

Breast Cancer: From Gene to Cure

Feb 02-04, 2006

Amsterdam, *Netherlands*

Contact: A.E. van Leeuwen-Stok

Tel: 31-203-462-547; Fax: 31-203-462-525

E-mail: gtc06@ikca.nl

Skin, Rheumatology and Autoimmunity

Feb 02- 04, 2006

Abano Terme, *Italy*

Contact: ELENA GUERRIERO

Tel: 39-0-26-571 200; Fax: 39-0-26-571-270

E-Mail: info@skinandrheumatism.it

11th International Symposium on Infections in the Critically ill Patient

Feb 03-04, 2006

Sevilla, *Spain*

Contact: Dr Jos Garnacho Montero

Tel: 34-677-594-510

E-Mail: jgmrji@arrakis.es

4th International Egg donation Conference

Feb 04-05, 2006

Philadelphia, PA, *United States*

Contact: Mark Peters

E-Mail: info@internationalevents.org

Advances in Cosmetic & Medical Dermatology

Feb 04-10, 2006

Wailea, Maui HI, *United States*

Contact: MR JOSE MENA

Tel: 312-321-0150; Fax: 312-644-4646

E-Mail: ACMD@htcintl.com

New Horizons in Anesthesiology

Feb 04-10, 2006

Steamboat Springs, CO, *United States*

Contact: Continuing Medical Education, Emory

University School of Medicine, 1462 Clifton Road, Suite 276, Atlanta, GA30322 United States

Tel: 888-727 5695, 404-727-5695; Fax: 404-727-5667

E-Mail: cme@emory.edu

Prevention, Early Diagnosis and Treatment of Cardiovascular Disease

Feb 05, 2006

Vail, CO, *United States*

Contact: Liz Selma

E-Mail: lselma@edusymp.com

Family Practice and Sports Medicine: An Evidence-Based Review and Up

Feb 06-10, 2006

Bradenton-Sarasota, FL, *United States*

Contact: Eva or Cristina

Tel: 1-866-267-4263 / 1-941-388-1766; Fax: 1-941-365-7073

E-Mail: mail@ams4cme.com

8th UAE International Congress of Pediatrics, Dubai

Feb 07-09, 2006

Al Habtoor Grand Resort & Spa, Dubai, *U.A.E.*

Contact: Dr. Mamdouh Swilem

Tel: 971-4-268-9040, 971-50-650-4662

E-Mail: infodubai@infomebweb.com

14th TRANSMED (European Mediterranean Congress about Mother & child Health)

Feb 08-11, 2006

Luxor, *Egypt*

Contact: Kamel BARGAOUI

Tel: 33-607-686-118; Fax: 33-143-839-985

E-Mail: kamelbargaoui@medicom.fr

33rd Annual Current Topics in Geriatrics

Feb 09-11, 2006

Baltimore, MD, *United States*

Contact: Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine, Thomas B. Turner Building, 720 Rutland Avenue, Room 20, Baltimore, Maryland 21205-2195
 Tel: 410-955-3169 / 410-955-2959; Fax: 410-955-0807
 E-Mail: cmenet@jhmi.edu

The 11th Annual Multidisciplinary Symposium on Breast Disease

Feb 09-12, 2006

Amelia Island, FL, *United States*

Contact: Meeting Organiser
 Tel: 352-265-8081; Fax: 352-265-8082

Women's Imaging: Gynaecological Imaging and First Trimester Ultrasound

Feb 10-12, 2006

Toronto, ON, *Canada*

Contact: Continuing Education
 Tel: 416-978-2719; Fax: 416-946-7028
 E-Mail: ce.med@utoronto.ca

Musculoskeletal Ultrasound: Instruction and Hands-On Workshops

Feb 11-14, 2006

Naples, FL, *United States*

Contact: Office of Continuing Medical Education
 Tel: 734-763-1400 / 800-800-0666; Fax: 734-936-1641
 E-Mail: OCME@umich.edu

Perinatal Medicine 2006

Feb 11-17, 2006

Maui HI, *United States*

Contact: Celeste Mendoza
 Tel: 323-442-2555; Fax: 323-442-2152
 E-Mail: celestem@usc.edu

Women's Health, Sexual Health And Healthy Aging

Feb 11-18, 2006

Cancun, *Mexico*

Contact: Cindy Smyth
 Tel: 1-877-536-6736; Fax: 204-453-0839
 E-Mail: vacations@kennedyseminars.com

4 th World Congress of NeuroRehabilitation

Feb 12-16, 2006

Hong Kong, *China*

Contact: International Conference Consultants Limited
 Tel: 85-225-599-973; Fax: 85-225-479-528
 E-Mail: info@wcnr2006.com

Ultrasound:Obstetrical

Feb 13-14, 2006

Midland, MI, *United States*

Contact: American Academy of Family Physicians, 11400 Tomahawk Creek Parkway, Leawood, KS 66211-2672 / Trish Darling
 Tel: 800-274-2237 / 913-906-6000 / 989-631-4664
 E-Mail: fp@aafp.org / info@npinstitute.com

The First International Medical Genetic Conference in Kuwait

Feb 13-15, 2006

Kuwait City, *Kuwait*

Contact: Dr Makia Marafie
 Tel: 96-54-810-563; Fax: 96-54-842-073
 E-Mail: mj_marafie@yahoo.com

II European Conference On Myocardial Diseases

Feb 15-17, 2006

Venice, *Italy*

Contact: Debora Bistolfi
 Tel: 00-39-0-10-583-224; Fax: 00-39-0-105-531-544
 E-Mail: myodis06@aristea.com

International Congress on Cancer Chemoprevention and Control with Tailored Molecular Targeting

Feb 15-18, 2006

Ancient Epidavros, *Greece*

Contact: Dr John Giannios
 Tel: 69-74-711-158
 E-Mail: jng@otenet.gr

9TH Annual Conference of Indian Association of Cardiovascular and Thoracic Anaesthesiologists (IACTA-2006)

Feb 16-18, 2006

Pune, *India*

Contact: Meeting Organiser
 E-Mail: neenasandeeep@yahoo.co.in

A Practical Approach to Musculoskeletal MRI

Feb 18-21, 2006

Orlando, FL, *United States*

Contact: Debbie Sykes
 Tel: 919-684-7228
 E-Mail: sykes010@mc.duke.edu

32nd Annual Vail Obstetrics & Gynecology Conference

Feb 19-24, 2006

Vail, CO, *United States*

Contact: Jill Hubbard
 Tel: 800-882-9153; Fax: 303-372-9065
 E-Mail: cme.meetings@uchsc.edu

MRI 2006: Clinical Up and Practical Applications

Feb 20-24, 2006

Kauai, HI, *United States*

Contact: Office of Continuing Medical Education

Tel: 617-384-8600; Fax: 617-384-8686

E-Mail: hms-cme@hms.harvard.edu

An Evidence-Based Approach to Pediatric Emergency Medicine

Feb 20-24, 2006

Bradenton-Sarasota, FL, *United States*

Contact: Eva or Cristina

Tel: 1-866-267-4263 ; Fax: 1-941-365-7073

E-Mail: mail@ams4cme.com

2nd World Congress on Regional Anaesthesia and Pain Therapy

Feb 22-26, 2006

Rio de Janeiro, *Brazil*

Contact: Congress Secretariat

E-Mail: info@optionsglobal.com

Anesthesia and Perioperative Medicine

Feb 22-25, 2006

Fort Lauderdale, FL, *United States*

Contact: Registrar

Tel: 800-462-9633; Fax: 904-952-2954

E-Mail: cme-jax@mayo.edu

29th Annual Advanced Ultrasound Seminar

Feb 23-25, 2006

Lake Buena Vista, FL, *United States*

Contact: Sherri Moore

Tel: 800-277-7654 ext 4505; Fax: 336-716-2447

E-Mail: cmu@wfubmc.edu

World Congress on Gender Specific Medicine

Feb 23-26, 2006

Berlin, *Germany*

Contact: Michal Recht

Tel: 49-3-030-128-400; Fax: 49-3-030-128-138

E-Mail: gender@gendermedicine.com

17th Scientific Congress of the Egyptian Society for Neonatal and Preterm Care

Feb 23-25, 2006

Hurghada, *Egypt*

Contact: Prof. Khaled Taman

Tel: 02-0-10-140-4410

E-Mail: ktaman@bigfoot.com

Osteoporosis: Diagnosis, Management & Prevention

Feb 23-26, 2006

Amelia Island, FL, *United States*

Contact: Mandy Stone

Tel: 800-423-4992; Fax: 205-945-1548

E-Mail: mstone@sma.org

12th Geriatric Conference: Excellence in Senior Care

Feb 24-26, 2006

Pensacola Beach, FL, *United States*

Contact: American Academy of Family Physicians,

11400 Tomahawk Creek Parkway, Leawood, KS 66211-2672 / Karen Kendall

Tel: 800-274-2237 / 913-906-6000 / 850-477-4956

E-Mail: fp@aafp.org / mecop@mecop.org

Hepatitis 2006

Feb 25-Mar 05, 2006

Dakar, *Senegal*

Contact: Anthony F. England, Ph.D.

Tel: 31-503-130-292; Fax: 31-503-130-292

E-Mail: hepatitis2006@mangosee.com

Abdominal Radiology Course 2006

Feb 26-Mar 03, 2006

Kauai, HI, *United States*

Contact: SUR Administrative Office

Tel: 713-965-0566; Fax: 713-960-0488

E-mail: info@uroradiology.org

Class in Breast Imaging

Feb 27-28, 2006

London, England, *United Kingdom*

Contact: Mrs Sarah McLellan / Miss Chloe Scragg

Tel: 44-0-2-073-071-425

E-Mail: sarah.mclellan@birorg.uk / hloe.scragg@birorg.uk

Radiology in the Desert

Feb 27-Mar 03, 2006

Carefree, AZ, *United States*

Contact: Office of Continuing Medical Education

Tel: 734-763-1400 / 800-800-0666; Fax: 734-936-1641

E-Mail: OCME@umich.edu

1st International Conference on Female Sexual Health & Dysfunction

Mar 02-04, 2006

Palm Springs, CA, *United States*

Contact: Venue West Conference Services Ltd,

Suite 645 - The Landing, 375 Water Street, Vancouver, B.C, Canada V6B 5C6

Tel: 1-604-681-5226; Fax: 1-604-681-2503

E-Mail: congress@venuewest.com

International Symposium on Genetic Endocrine Diseases with Emphasis on Mediterranean Population

Mar 02-05, 2006

Antalya, *Turkey*

Contact: Mr. Ozan Karacali

Tel: 00-902-163-309-276; Fax: 00-902-163-309-206

E-Mail: ozan@trendturizm.com