



Organising Parties

Society for Tropical Veterinary Medicine (STVM)
 The Society for Tropical Veterinary Medicine (STVM) is a non-profit organization whose purpose is the advancement of tropical veterinary medicine, hygiene and related disciplines. The activities of the Society focus scientific interest on strategies to deal with established and changing patterns of diseases affecting animals in the tropics.
<http://www.socropvetmed.org/>



arbo-zoonet
 Arbo-Zoonet is the International Network for Capacity Building for the Control of Emerging Viral Vector Borne Zoonotic Diseases. It is a Coordination Action funded by the European Union (EU) under FP7 and was launched in May 2008. The project aims at promoting an international network for capacity building for the control of emerging vector borne zoonotic diseases, in particular West Nile, Rift Valley fever and Crimean-Congo hemorrhagic fever.
www.arbo-zoo.net



Collaborators

PiroVac
 PiroVac is a major international EU-funded research project designed to develop control measures to combat two major tick-borne diseases of small ruminants, namely theileriosis and babesiosis.
www.theileria.org/pirovac



CCH FEVER
 CCH FEVER is a European research network (Collaborative Project) coordinated by the Swedish Institute for Infectious Disease Control working on Crimean Congo Hemorrhagic Fever.
www.cch-fever.eu



POSTICK
 POSTICK is an Initial Training Network (ITN) funded through the EU Marie Curie actions of FP 7. POSTICK aims to design new effective control strategies for TTBD diseases through understanding the mechanisms of tick-host-pathogen interactions.
www.postick.eu



Italian Society for Virology
 The Italian Society for Virology (SIV) is a non-profit Ass. founded 2001. The SIV has a multidisciplinary organization and merges the scientific and teaching interests of general, medical, pharmaceutical, veterinary and vegetal virologists.
<http://www.siv-virologia.it>



Conference website

www.globalhealth2012.weebly.com

Important Information

Registration

Registration opens March 1, 2012
 Registration fee.....300,00 EUR

Please register via the conference website: www.globalhealth2012.weebly.com

Abstract submission

Abstract submission opens March 1, 2012
 Abstract submission closes June 31, 2012

Please submit your abstract via the conference website: www.globalhealth2012.weebly.com

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Joint Conference
 on emerging and re-emerging
 epidemics affecting

GLOBAL HEALTH



Orvieto, Italy Sep 19-22
2012



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The Conference

The 11th Biennial Conference of the Society for Tropical Veterinary Medicine (STVM) and the final meeting of the EU-funded project Arbo-Zoonet will be held jointly from September 19 to 22 in Orvieto, Italy.

Together with our collaborating parties, PiroVac, CCHfever, Postick and the Italian Society for Virology (ISV) we would like to invite you to join a conference covering scientific topics on disease risks and challenges - both for animals and for humans - brought by viral, bacterial and parasitic pathogens. Separate sessions are planned to include topics such as control measures, co-infections and vector-borne diseases.

The conference aims to promote discussion between scientists, practitioners and decision makers from various fields as well as to update researchers, academics, governmental and non-governmental organization representatives, technicians, veterinarians and other professionals from the industry sector interested in emerging and re-emerging epidemics affecting global health.

Young scientist are especially encouraged to join the conference and present their work during the special session for young scientists.



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Scientific Topics

1. Emerging and re-emerging Epidemics
 - Bacteria
 - Viruses
 - Parasites
2. Ecology of Co-Infection
3. Vector-borne diseases
4. Control measures

A special session for young scientists will be organised in order to give them a chance to present their work to an international audience.

Committees

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The Venue

The Conference will be held at the Palazzo del Popolo (Centro Congressi) in one of the most charming cities in Italy.

Located in Umbria, Orvieto is 100 km far from Rome and 140 km from Florence and easy to reach by plane, train and car. It is a center for courses leading to university degrees (Informatics and Telecommunications Engineering), post-graduate courses (Architecture, Health Psychology, Archeology), as well as specialization courses of prestigious Italian universities.

The Palazzo del Popolo Conference Centre is located in the heart of the city, within walking distance from the main hotels. It is equipped with wireless-lan, amplification systems, audiovisual systems for projection and recording, teleconferencing systems. Several rooms will be available for public and private group meetings. Structures are close together and located in the city center. Everything is within walking distance therefore people can walk around and enjoy several pubs, restaurants and shops available.



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