



Final announcement

Belgian Society on Thrombosis and Haemostasis



ANNUAL MEETING
23 - 24 November 2006

Château de Limelette
Limelette (Brussels)
Belgium

Local organizers:
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Satellite Symposium

Europa Room

THURSDAY 23 NOVEMBER 2006



13h00 Lunch buffet

Wyeth Symposium

Haemophilia A & B: how can current treatment be optimized?

Chair Cedric Hermans (UCL)

14h00 Welcome

14h05 Viral & prion safety of ReFacto's manufacturing process

A. Östlin
(Stockholm)

14h30 Haemophilia B: efficacy and safety of reformulated recombinant FIX*

R. Carter
(Maidenhead)

15h00 New HEMO electronic logbook: closer follow-up of severe haemophilia patients

K. Peerlinck
(Leuven)

15h30 Coffee break

* Reformulated recombinant Factor IX is not yet registered

Satellite Symposium

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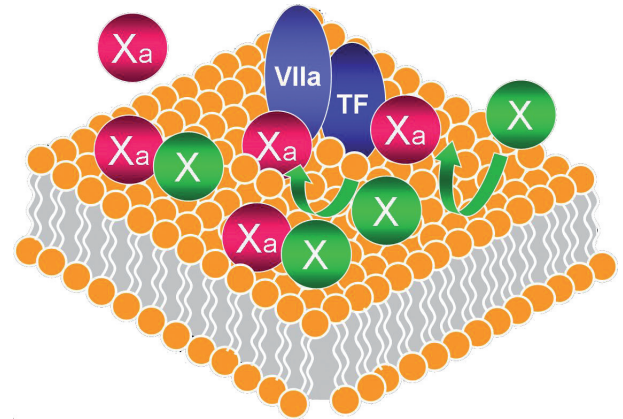
New insights into the pivotal role of FVIII in coagulation

Chair	K. Peerlinck (KUL)	
16h00	Welcome	
16h10	New insights on FVIII and vWF interaction in patients with mild / moderate haemophilia A	M. Jacquemin (Leuven)
16h35	Measuring immunogenicity of FVIII molecular modifications: the role of preclinical models in the development of novel therapies	B. Reipert (Vienna)
17h00	Novel strategies for FVIII half-life prolongation	P. Turecek (Vienna)
17h25	Questions and closing remarks	
17h30	Break + refreshments	



New frontiers in oncology- the role of heparins

Chair	K. Jochmans (VUB)	
18h00	Welcome	
18h10	The role of heparins in cancer patients	H. Büller (Amsterdam)
18h45	Exploring the mechanisms of LMWH in cancer survival	A. Kakkar (London)
19h20	Questions and closing remarks	
19h30	Reception	



BSTH Annual Meeting

Europa Room

FRIDAY 24 NOVEMBER 2006



Resting
platelets



Activated
platelets

08h30 Registration

09h00 Welcome

K. Jochmans
president of the BSTH

Morning Session

Genetic testing in thrombosis and haemostasis

Chair
09h10 K Peerlinck (KUL)
Inherited bleeding disorders:
what does the gene defect tell us?

C.A. Ludlam
(Edinburgh)

Chair
09h50 S. Motte (ULB)
Thrombophilia screening:
more to come, more to learn?

T. Baglin
(Cambridge)

10h30 Break

Chair
11h00 A. Gadisseur (UZA)
Recent advances in pharmacogenetics
of anticoagulants

M.A. Loriot
(Paris)

Chair
11h40 J. Arnouts (KUL) and J.L. David (ULg)
Free communications

12h30 Lunch

13h30 **BSTH General Assembly**
Open to effective members of the
BSTH only

(Provence Room)

New insights in thrombosis and haemostasis: from genes to therapy

Afternoon Session

Recent advances in therapy

Chair 14h00	Ph. Hainaut (UCL) Old and new anticoagulants	H.R. Büller (Amsterdam)
Chair 14h40	C. Hermans (UCL) Optimal use of antiplatelet agents in 2006	C. Patrono (Rome)
15h30	Break	
Chair 15h50	V. Deneyts (UCL) Management of the acute life-threatening bleeding	P. de Moerloose (Geneva)
Chair 16h30	H. Deckmyn (KUL Kortrijk) and M. van der Planken (UZA) Free communications	
18h00	Closure	K. Jochmans (VUB)
18h10	Reception	



> REGISTRATION

The registration fee is € 35, including:

1. Participation to BSTH Symposium on Friday 24 November 2006
2. Membership fee for the year 2007
3. Breaks and Lunch

Participation Satellite symposium 23 November 2006 is free of charge.

Payment can be done only by bank transfer to the account no: 735-0148892-82 in the name of the the Belgian Society on Thrombosis and Haemostasis c/o Center of Molecular and Vascular Biology University of Leuven, Campus, Gasthuisberg Herestraat 49, 3000 Leuven by mentioning "BSTH meeting 06" and your name. Foreign payants: IBAN : BE25 7350 1488 9282.

For payments done after November 13, a proof of payment will be requested.

Registration on-site is € 40.

> CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

Presentation: Abstract submission deadline has been postponed to **25th October 2006**

Page A4, to be sent to Prof. Dr. C. Hermans
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Abstracts will be evaluated by the board of the BSTH and selected for oral or poster presentation.

ACCREDITATION HAS BEEN REQUESTED

> FREE REGISTRATIONS

Medical students interested in attending the BSTH conference and in need of sponsoring may send a motivated e-mail to Prof. Dr. C. Hermans (hermans@sang.ucl.ac.be). This initiative is supported by an educational grant from **Baxter**



First announcement:
BSTH Workshop, Brussels, February 2007



Vitamin K antagonist therapy in daily practice: what are we doing now and what can we improve?

The workshop will be devoted to all aspects of INR measurement accuracy and dose management. The scientific program will be based on questions biologists and clinicians have to face every day. **We therefore invite you to address your own questions here and now to the Organizing Committee on the BSTH website** and we look forward to meeting you in February.

Local Organizing Committee:

Serge Motte
Olivier Pradier
Walter Wijns

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