Dear Colleagues and friends,

On behalf of our colleagues of the board, we are very pleased to announce herewith the final programme of the Forthcoming 26TH MEETING OF THE BELGIAN ENDOCRINE SOCIETY, FRIDAY 14 OCTOBER AND SATURDAY 15 OCTOBER 2016 (LA HULPE) Please note that this meeting will be organized on 2 days; a welcome evening on Friday and a Saturday morning session. The meeting will be held at Dolce La Hulpe (Chaussée de Bruxelles 135, La Hulpe).

Dolce La Hulpe Brussels
135, Chaussée de Bruxelles
La Hulpe, BE 1310

https://www.dolcelahulpe.com/

Important Information
For those who want to stay relax after the dinner, we have made a pre-booking of rooms at Dolce La Hulpe The Belgian Board encourages all head of the departments to try to support their young fellows and investigators, enabling them to stay overnight at Dolce La Hulpe, in order to stimulate scientific and friendly interventions. Hotel reservation for Friday night can be made from this link.
FINAL PROGRAM:

**Friday, October 14** (evening)

17:00 – 17:50  Registration, coffee, visit of the exhibits and poster view

17:50 – 18:00  Welcome P. Petrossians (ULG) President

18:00 - 19:30  Practical clinical sessions: Endocrine disorders during pregnancy.
Chair: A. Van den Bruel (AZS)

  - Type I diabetes (K Benhalima, KUL)
  - Thyroid disease (K. Poppe, ULB)
  - Congenital adrenal hyperplasia (N. Driessens, ULB)

19:30 - 20:15  Invited Lecture 1
Chair: J Donckier

  An overview of hormones in insects. M. Hermans (UCL)

20:15  Walking Dinner

**Saturday October 15th (morning)**

8:00- 8:30  Registration, coffee, visit of the exhibits, poster view.

8:30-9:00  General assembly: P. Petrossians (ULG), President

9:00-9:30  Communications by young investigators.
Part 1: Translational studies.
Chair: B. Corvilain (ULB)

Roman Vangoitsenhoven¹, Miranda Van der Ende¹, João Paulo Monteiro Carvalho Mori Cunha¹, Katrien Corbeels¹, Matthias Lannoo¹, Pierre Bedossa², Ann Mertens¹, Chantal Mathieu¹, Lut Overbergh¹, Bart Van der Schueren¹.
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Dietary composition determines the degree of metabolic improvement at similar weight loss.
Loss-of-function mutations in DNAJC3 cause young-onset diabetes due to oxidative stress and mitochondrial β-cell apoptosis.

9:30-10:00 Communications by young investigators. Part 2: Clinical studies.
Chair: B. Corvilain (ULB)

Raluca Maria Furnica¹, Damien Gruson², John H Lazarus ³, Dominique Maiter¹, Pierre Bernard³, Chantal Daumerie¹
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First trimester isolated maternal hypothyroxinemia: adverse maternal metabolic profile and impact on the obstetrical outcome.

10:00-10:30 Communications by young investigators. Part 3: Clinical case reports.
Chair: M. Bex (KUL)

B. Papadopoulou*a, N. Cuvelliera, V. Lucidi b, F. Wolff c, S. Brimiouled, B. Corvilain*a, N. Driessens*a, a Service d'endocrinologie, b Service de chirurgie digestive, c Service de chimie médicale, d Service des soins intensifs, Hôpital Erasme, Université Libre de Bruxelles, Brussels, BELGIUM

Etomidate as an emergency treatment for uncontrolled hypercortisolism in metastatic adrenocortical carcinoma.
L. Orioli\textsuperscript{a} , F. Debiève\textsuperscript{b} , J. Donckier\textsuperscript{c} , M. Mourad\textsuperscript{d} , D. Maiter\textsuperscript{a} \\
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10:30-11:00 Belgian Endocrine Society Lecture Award. \\
Chair: P. Petrossians (ULg), President

Saving private ... β-cells. \\
(D.A. Cunha, ULB)

11:00-11:30 Coffee break, visit of the exhibits and poster view

11:30-12:00 Clinical grand-round: What you need to know about hypocalcemia. \\
(B. Bravenboer, B. Velkeniers)

12:00-12:45 Invited lecture 2: \\

Functional imaging of pheochromocytoma and paraganglioma. \\
H. Timmers (Radboudumc, NL) \\
Chair: Guy T'Sjoen (UZG)

12:45-13:00 \\
Award ceremony: Young investigators

13:00 Lunch
How to register for the meeting?
https://bes.wildapricot.org/event-2077053

How to become a member?
https://bes.wildapricot.org/join-us

For the members who have not paid yet their membership fees, may we ask them to do so now? The fees are minimal (50,00 €) and should be paid on the BES account:
BE 44 0016 6455 3645
BIC code: GEBABEBB
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Members who have not paid their annual membership fees before the meeting will be asked to do it at the registration desk. Non members will be paying 50,00 € for the two days symposium (including the dinner at Dolce La Hulpe)

Again, we would be pleased to welcome you all at Dolce La Hulpe, Friday October 14th and Saturday October 15th, 2016

Sincerely Yours,

.Bernard Corvilain
Secretary

Patrick Petrossians
President