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Invitation to the Exhibition & Advertising

9th International Conference on Cochlear Implants and Related Sciences

June 14 – 17, 2006 – Hofburg Congress Center, Vienna – Austria

WELCOME TO VIENNA

welcome to the 9th International Conference on Cochlear Implants and Related Sciences.

It is an honour to host this meeting in Vienna, where cochlear implantation since Kurt Burian and the Hochmair's in 1977 have a long tradition.

The conference venue is located in the old imperial Hofburg palace, in the historic heart of Vienna, the imperial city of music and conferences.

In 2006 the city celebrates Wolfgang Amade´ Mozarts 250th birthday. The Sound of music will be a special topic in the conference, as well as all scientific aspects of basic sciences, genetics, latest progress of implant technology, surgical modifications, educational and bilateral outcomes. At the conference date Vienna is EU capital, offering a wide range of outstanding cultural and political events.

This 9th International Conference on Cochlear Implants includes the former International Symposium on Electronic Implants in Otology and Conventional Hearing Aids (final conference in Toulouse 2003) and the so called Consensus Meeting on Auditory Implants. This decision was made in 2004 at the Geneva meeting together with the industrial manufacturers.

So the future name of this only original International Conference on Cochlear Implants founded 1987 in Düren by Paul Banfai is **International Conference on Cochlear Implants and Related Sciences**, to include all aspects of implantable devices, basic sciences and hearing genetics, from now on!

Bringing together well known international experts and participants from the fields of ENT, paediatrics, genetics, audiology, basic sciences, technology, material sciences, electronics, rehabilitation and education, for scientific discussion in a vibrating and stimulating environment, will give us an unforgettable experience.

I wish You a successful and prosperous conference, have a very nice time in Vienna

sincerely Yours

Univ. Prof. Dr. Wolf-Dieter Baumgartner www.ci-2006.com

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TOPICS OF THE CONGRESS

- Alternative Approaches
- Auditory Brainstem Implant (ABI)
- Bone Anchored Hearing Aids
- Basic Research
- Bilateral Implantation
- Binaural Hearing
- Drug Delivery

- Electric Acoustic Stimulation (EAS)
- Education
- Electrode Design
- Electrophysiology
- Genetics
- Hearing Aids
- Implantable Hearing Aids
- Implantation in small children

- MRI and Implant
- Music and Implant
- New Technology / Future
- Outcome and Performance
- Radiology (X-ray, CT,...)
- Rehabilitation
- School Performance
- Youngsters and Implants

Registration / Hotel / Travel:

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INVITATION TO THE EXHIBITION AND ADVERTISING

On behalf of the **organizing committee**, we would cordially invite you to take part in the exhibition and support the congress with your active participation. The industrial exhibition is an integral part of the conference with the intention to provide up-to-date information in Cochlear Implants and offer you the possibility to meet and discuss with the participants. There are approx. 1000 international delegates expected.

The exhibition will be located in close vicinity to the lecture rooms and will be combined with coffee areas so to guarantee a constant flow of visitor of your exhibition booth.

Price of Exhibition Floor space € 350,— per sqm.

Minimum order: 6 sqm

(net price, + 20% VAT + 1% contract fee for Austrian companies)

The exhibitors are kindly requested to register as soon as possible using the attached application from. This will increase the chances to obtain booth location at your own choice and will facilitate our organizing work for you. Booth assignment will be done according to sponsorship activities, booth size and date of application and payment.

The Exhibition Service Kit (incl. time schedule, rules and regulations, technical information and order forms for additional equipment/services) will be sent to confirmed exhibitors in due time.

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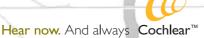
- Main Program of the Congress -

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Therefore, on behalf of the congress organizers, we would be happy to welcome you as exhibitor and/or advertiser!

Your sincerely,

THE EXHIBITION MANAGEMENT

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