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Dear ESCMID and Affiliated Society Members

This month's ESCMID Online News features news from the ESCMID Executive Committee, follows up with important upcoming ESCMID dates and finally closes with the latest European funding opportunities.

- 1. New ESCMID Professional Affairs Advisory Committee**
The new Professional Affairs Advisory Committee (PAAC) will advise the ESCMID Executive on organisational and operational matters relating to the professions of Clinical Microbiology and Infectious Diseases. [Details here](#)
- 2. ESCMID Executive Committee Invites You to Contribute**
The ESCMID Executive Committee welcomes your opinion on important research and public health topics in the field of human infection. [Details here](#)
- 3. ESCMID Funding: Application Deadline is 1 November 2007**
[Details here](#)
- 4. 18th ECCMID: Abstract Deadline is 5 December 2007**
Participants are invited to submit an abstract for presentation at the 18th ECCMID in Barcelona (19-22 April 2008). [Details here](#)
- 5. ESCMID Conference on *Pseudomonas* in Barcelona, 18-20 November 2007: Last Call**
Please don't forget to register for this upcoming important conference. [Details here](#)
- 6. European Funding Opportunities**

[Second Programme of Community Action in the Field of Health is Approved by the EU Council](#)
The Programme for the period 2008-2013 will commence in January 2008 and offer funding opportunities for health-related European projects and actions. The budget for the Programme is EUR 321.5 million.
[ECDC: Call for Tender](#)
on "Evidence Based Fact Sheets on Common Infections and Guidance for Management of Children with Infections attending Schools and Day Care Facilities"
Deadline: 9 November 2007

Best regards,
ESCMID Executive Committee

Forthcoming ESCMID Events

[7-9 November 2007](#)

Bacterial Adaptation Mechanisms: Biofilms, Hypermutability and Antibiotic Resistance
43rd ESCMID Postgraduate Technical Workshop and Symposium
Palma de Mallorca, Spain

Registration closed when course capacity is reached.

[10-13 November 2007](#)

ESCMID/SHEA Training Course in Hospital Epidemiology
Prague, Czech Republic

Registration closed when course capacity is reached.

[18-20 November 2007](#)

ESCMID Conference on *Pseudomonas aeruginosa*
Barcelona, Spain

Registration closed when course capacity is reached.

[2-5 March 2008](#)

Gene Expression During Infection
47th ESCMID Postgraduate Technical Workshop
Siena, Italy

Registration deadline:
15 December 2007

[14-15 March 2008](#)

Infections with Multiresistant Pathogens
48th Postgraduate Education Course
Berlin, Germany

Registration deadline:
31 January 2008

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