

ESCMID Newsletter

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Dear Colleague,

We are pleased to present highlights of our programme below.



ESCMID statement on Swine Flu

As the world reacts to the appearance of human cases of Swine Influenza A (H1N1), ESCMID calls for vigilance and international networking.

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Online meeting planner for the 19th ECCMID

The final scientific programme is now available at the congress website where you can compose your personalized programme of lectures. Use the search facility to find keywords, speakers and chairpersons.

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Assembly of Members at the ECCMID 2009

Monday, 18 May 2009, 12.45 h – 14.15 h in Helsinki
The agenda includes amendments to the Society statutes, presentation of the new Executive Committee and inauguration of the new ESCMID President.

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2nd International Day of Fighting Infection

Experts say that both hospitals and the public need to be as vigilant as ever against infection.

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New presentations online from ESCMID events in March

ESCMID Postgraduate Education Course on Beta-Lactamases in Ankara

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ESCMID Postgraduate Technical Workshop on Clinical Parasitology in Paris

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Training and Career at the ECCMID 2009

This year you can use the Training and Career platform to meet up with potential employers or employees at the ECCMID in Helsinki.

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Forthcoming ESCMID Events

[16 - 19 May 2009](#)

19th European Congress of Clinical Microbiology and Infectious Diseases (ECCMID)

Helsinki, Finland

[8 - 12 June 2009](#)

Postgraduate Course in Clinical Parasitology

ESCMID Postgraduate Technical Workshop
Amsterdam, The Netherlands

[12 - 13 June 2009](#)

Antimicrobial Resistance

ESCMID-API-ISID Latin-American Workshop (Taller Latinoamericano de Resistencia Antimicrobiana)
Caracas, Venezuela

[11 - 17 July 2009](#)

8th ESCMID Summer School

Porto, Portugal

[17 - 20 August 2009](#)

Medical Biofilm Techniques 2009

ESCMID Postgraduate Technical Workshop
Copenhagen, Denmark

[3 - 5 September 2009](#)

Acinetobacter Infections: Microbiological, Clinical and Therapeutical Aspects

ESCMID Postgraduate Education Course

Istanbul, Turkey



FP7: 4th Health Call

This call will be published in July 2009 or possibly later. Preliminary information about topics is available.

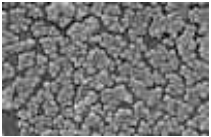
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Health Programme 2008-2014: call 2009

Detailed information about topics is now available. Presentations from the Info Day have been published.

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MRSA Consensus Documents 2009

Three expert workshop proceedings on prevention, surveillance, control and management of MRSA have been published in the February issue of *Clinical Microbiology and Infection*.

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EASAC Tuberculosis Report 2009

Tuberculosis (TB) has re-emerged as a significant problem for the European Union and unless serious steps are taken to raise awareness and align strategy across Europe all previous progress made in controlling the disease will be undone warns a new report by the European Academies Science Advisory Council (EASAC).

[Report Summary](#)

[Full Report](#)

[EASAC website](#)

[7 - 8 September 2009](#)

Histopathology in Experimental Neuroinfection

ESCMID Postgraduate Technical Workshop

Berne, Switzerland

[12 September 2009](#)

Vaccination and Preventive Measures for LRTI in the Community

GRACE Postgraduate Education Course
Vienna, Austria

[22 - 25 September 2009](#)

Methicillin-resistant Staphylococci in Animals: Veterinary and Public Health Implications

ASM/ESCMID Conference
London, UK

[1 - 3 October 2009](#)

Antimicrobial Resistance Surveillance

2nd ESCMID/ASM Workshop
Cairo, Egypt

[4 - 8 October 2009](#)

From Microbial Pathogenesis to the Discovery of Antivirulence Drugs

ESCMID/FEMS Conference
Villars-sur-Ollon, Switzerland

Best regards,
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