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Dear colleagues and friends,

The Society of Medical Biochemists of Serbia has the pleasure to welcome you to the 11th EFLM Symposium for Balkan Region being held under the title »Laboratory Medicine Specialist Focuses on the Patients Well-being«. European Federation for Clinical Chemistry and Laboratory Medicine (EFLM) appointed Belgrade (Serbia) and the Society of Medical Biochemists of Serbia as the organizer of educational symposia for clinical chemists in the Balkan region and as a result of these decision ten symposia have been organized thus far very successfully.

The 11th EFLM Symposium for Balkan Region is organized under the auspices of the International Federation of Clinical Chemistry (IFCC), Balkan Clinical Laboratory Federation (BCLF), Ministry of Education, Science and Technological Development of Serbia and Ministry of Health of Serbia.

The Society of Medical Biochemists of Serbia as a member of the IFCC and EFLM greatly appreciates the role it has in the continuing development of our discipline according to the IFCC and EFLM mission and the Strategic Plan. Special thanks go to Simone Zerah, who helped to design the program of this symposium by suggesting topics and lecturers and who enabled the laboratory professionals in the Balkan region and our country to learn about this very important area of laboratory medicine.

The 11th EFLM Symposium for Balkan Region is organized on May 14 and 15, during the celebration days of 60-year anniversary with participation of the European and domestic specialists in field of education, accreditation, quality management, quality indicators, continuing medical education and patients safety in laboratory medicine.

On behalf of the Society of Medical Biochemists of Serbia and the European Federation of Clinical Chemistry and Laboratory Medicine (EFLM), we would like to welcome all our distinguished lecturers and thank them for their participation in the 11th EFLM Symposium for Balkan Region. Their presence gives very high recognition and prestige to this Meeting, which will influence the development of clinical chemistry and laboratory medicine in the Balkan region. Special thanks are addressed to the participants, whose presence is the main stimulus and only reward for those of us who have worked hard in organizing this meeting. We would like to thank all the industrial companies and local representatives participating in the exhibitions and sponsoring the organization of the Symposium.

We hope that the EFLM Symposium in Belgrade will continue its successful progress like in previous years, striving to focus on the new data in the field of laboratory medicine.

To all of you, we wish that you may enjoy these days of science, friendship and hospitality. We hope you will have a happy and pleasant stay in Belgrade.

Symposium President

Prof. Dr Nada Majkić-Singh
First Part: 10:00–13:00

**Chairs:** Nada Majkić-Singh, Simone Zerah, Elizabeta Topić
Society of Medical Biochemists of Serbia and European Federation of Clinical Chemistry and Laboratory Medicine

10:00–10:15  Introduction: European laboratory medicine specialist
Nada Majkić-Singh (Belgrade, Serbia)

10:15–10:45  Verification of in vitro medical diagnostics (IVD) metrolological traceability: Role and responsibilities of Laboratory Medicine specialists
Mauro Panteghini (Milan, Italy)

10:45–11:15  Implementation, and the transposition of the Directive and the Register
Simone Zerah (Bagnolet, France), Jean-Philippe Brochet (Bordeaux, France)

11:15–11:45  Towards common training frameworks for specialists in laboratory medicine
Wieringa Gilbert (Famworth, UK)

11:45–12:00  Training of specialists in laboratory medicine in Serbia
Nada Majkic-Singh, Svetlana Ignjatović (Belgrade, Serbia)

12:00–12:30  Core Common Values for Codes of Conduct in Europe
Ian D Watson (Liverpool, UK)

12:30–12:45  Discussion

13:00–14:30  Lunch
Second Part: 14:30–16:00

Chairs: Svetlana Ignjatović, Elizabeta Topić

14:30–15:00 Laboratory Medicine in the EU
   Wytze Oosterhuis (Heerlen, The Netherlands)

15:00–15:30 The implementation of CPD
   Elizabeta Topić (Zagreb, Croatia)

15:30–15:45 Discussion

16:00–16:30 Coffee break

Third Part: 16:30–18:00

Chairs: Wim Huisman, Tatjana Vodnik

16:30–17:00 Present situation of accreditation in Europe
   Wim Huisman (The Hague, The Netherlands)

17:00–17:15 Experience and situation of laboratory
   accreditation in Serbia
   Tatjana Vodnik (Belgrade, Serbia)

17:15–17:45 Patient safety due to the EC4 common training
   frame work
   Inez-Anne Haagen (Utrecht, The Netherlands)

17:45–18:00 Discussion
Forth Part: 9:30–11:00

Chairs: Ana-Maria Šimundić, Zorica Šumarac

9:30–10:00 Preanalytical phase quality management – how and why?
Ana-Maria Šimundić (Zagreb, Croatia)

10:00–10:30 Post-analytical phase quality management – new achievements
Mario Plebani (Padua, Italy)

10:30–10:45 Application of key processes quality indicators in Serbian medical laboratories
Zorica Šumarac (Belgrade, Serbia)

10:45–11:00 Discussion

Friday, May 15, 2015
11:30–13:30

Ceremony of the 60th Anniversary of the Society of Medical Biochemists of Serbia celebration

13:30–15:00 Welcome Party
Date and Venue
The Scientific programme and exhibition of the 11th EFLM Symposium for Balkan Region will be held in HYATT REGENCY BELGRADE, Milentija Popovića 5, 11070 Belgrade, from 14–15 May, 2015.

Registration desk
The registration desk located at the HYATT REGENCY BELGRADE will be open for the duration of the Symposium from Thursday, 14th May 2015 at 9:00 a.m. to Friday, May 15, 2015 at 15:00.

Full registration fee
150.00 Euro
Registration fees may be paid in Euros or dinars, by bank transfers or in cash at site (see Registration Form).

The registration fee includes:
- Admission to all scientific sessions
- Admission to exhibition
- Symposium material (programme, abstract book, congress bag, badge, etc.)
- Coffee breaks
- Two lunch
- Certificate of attendance

Badges
Badges will be distributed at the registration desk upon arrival. Please attach your badges for admission to all scientific and social activities.

Certificate of participation
The certificate of participation will be issued to those who are properly registered. The certificate of participation will be available at the registration desk and must be picked up just before departure.
Congress language
The official language of the congress will be English.

Visual Equipment
The Meeting hall will be equipped with data video projectors for the speakers needs.

Exhibition
An exhibition of laboratory equipment and reagents will take place during Meeting.

Internet
The Organizer kindly invites you to visit the Meeting Web pages at www.dmbj.org.rs

Weather
In May Belgrade enjoys a mild climate. The average daily temperature is about 23 °C.
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