



### 3RD EUROPEAN CONGRESS ON TATTOO AND PIGMENT RESEARCH (ECTP)

Regensburg, University Hospital, 28 - 30 March, 2017

Scientific Programme

Major topics:

The practice and epidemiology of tattoos \* Tattoo complications and their treatment - an open avenue in dermatology \* Laser removal, from nano- to picosecond with video session \* Inks, tattooing, tattooists \* coming EU initiatives \* Industrial seminar \* Discussions and Q&A session

Tuesday, 28th March 2017		
PRE-CONGRESS		
Timeslot	Title	Speaker / Chair
11.30-12.30	Registration, coffee and exhibition	
12.30-16.30	<b>REGULATION INITIATIVES</b>	Wolfgang Bäumlér & Jørgen Serup
20	Summary of the final reports on tattoo regulations prepared under the auspices of the European Union	Wolfgang Bäumlér & Jørgen Serup
60	Potential regulation on tattoo inks and PMU in the EU under REACH	Evgenia Stoyanova and Mark Blainey, European Chemical Agency (ECHA)
20	Toxicology test guidelines	Annegret Blume, Germany
14.10-14.40	<b>Break and exhibition</b>	
15	The tattoo campaign of the European Academy of Dermatology and Venerology (EADV)	Christa De Cuyper, Belgium
20	Coming standards for tattoo hygiene and practices according to ISO and CEN/European Union	Thijs Veenstra, Netherlands
15	When pigments become forbidden - Pigment Blue 15	Michael Dirks, Germany
15	Update on regulatory activities to tattoo inks in the United States (U.S.)	Linda Katz, USA
45	Comments and Questions - Roundtable discussion	Speakers, ESTP Board, delegates of companies
16.30-16.50	<b>Break and exhibition</b>	
16.50-17.45	<b>INDUSTRIAL SEMINAR</b>	
	Presentations of companies	Companies
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Wednesday, 29th March 2017		
Timeslot	Title	Speaker / Chair
8.00-9.00	Registration, coffee and exhibition	
9.00-9.20	<b>WELCOME &amp; OPENING</b>	Christa de Cuyper & Sebastiaan van der Bent
5	Welcome and opening of the congress by the Congress President	Wolfgang Bäumlér, President of ECTP 2017 Regensburg
5	Greetings from the Director of the Department of Dermatology	Mark Berneburg, Regensburg
10	The European Society of Tattoo and Pigment Research (ESTP): Science and pragmatism	Jørgen Serup, Chairman of ESTP
9.25-10.30	<b>TATTOOING AND PMU AT THE CUTTING EDGE</b>	Anne Laumann & Christa de Cuyper
20 + 5	Rise and fall of the tattoo trend - challenges of tomorrow?	Anne Laumann, USA
15 + 5	Professional tattooing - looking into the future	Jens Bergström, Sweden
15 + 5	Experiences with quality control of my tattoo parlor delegated to a private accreditation bureau	Liz Kierstein, Denmark
10.30-11.00	<b>Break and exhibition</b>	
11.00-13.00	<b>TATTOOS AND INKS - RESEARCH AND ANALYTICS</b>	Wolfgang Bäumlér & Sebastiaan van der Bent
15 + 5	European Commission Summary of Analytical Methods, Report EUR 27394 EN. Death or Glory for ResAP(2008)1	Gerald Prior, Germany
15 + 5	Diarylide Pigments under sunlight – what do in vitro tests tell us?	Christopher Hohl, Switzerland
15 + 5	Organic colorants in tattoo inks – how to check compliance with the European Resolution	Urs Hauri, Switzerland
15 + 5	Tattoo ink analysis by pyrolysis-GC/MS	Christoph Hutzler, BfR, Germany
15 + 5	Reaction of lymph nodes on tattoo pigments	Vivien Schacht, Germany
15 + 5	Distribution of tattoo pigment to lymph nodes and the liver: studies in mice	Jørgen Serup, Denmark
13.00-14.00	<b>Lunch and exhibition</b>	
14.00-15.40	<b>PARALLEL SESSION: SAFETY OF TATTOOING I</b>	Urs Hauri & Jørgen Serup
15 + 5	How to operate as an ink manufacturer in a landscape of chaotic rules	Terry Welker, USA
15 + 5	Sterile inks and methods of sterilization	Lucia Bonadonna, Italy
15 + 5	Manufacturing of safer tattoo inks in the future: The European ambition	Ralf Michel, Germany
15 + 5	Pigment production for tattoo inks	Michael Dirks, Germany
14.00-15.20	<b>PARALLEL SESSION: LASER REMOVAL, FROM NANO- TO PICOSECOND</b>	Susanne Gantner & Uwe Paasch
15 + 5	Basic principles of laser tattoo removal	Wolfgang Bäumlér, Germany
15 + 5	Nanosecond pulses - state of the art	Uwe Paasch, Germany
15 + 5	Picosecond laser in a private office	Stefan Sünkel, Germany
15 + 5	Picosecond pulses - my experience	Maurice Adatto, Switzerland
15.20-16.50	<b>TATTOO REMOVAL LIVE TREATMENT</b>	Uwe Paasch & Susanne Gantner, Germany
30	Removal of tattoos with picosecond lasers - video conference with Q&A	Stefan Sünkel, Germany
15.40-16.15	<b>Break and exhibition</b>	
16.15-17.15	<b>General assembly of the ESTP</b>	ESTP members
19.30	<b>Congress dinner</b>	Haus Heuport, Regensburg

Thursday, 30th March 2017		
Timeslot	Title	Speaker / Chair
8.00-9.30	Registration	
8.30-11.30	<b>OPEN SESSION: SHORT ORAL COMMUNICATIONS - POSTERS</b>	Wolfgang Bäumlér & Jørgen Serup
10 + 3	Adverse tattoo reactions - analysis of human biopsies	Ines Schreiber, Germany
10 + 3	Elemental bioimaging of tattoo pigments in lymph nodes and skin tissue	Tanja Berg, Germany
10 + 3	Toxicological characterization of tattoo inks and its decomposition products	Henrik Hering, Germany
10 + 3	Surveillance activities in Italy: Determination of hazardous substances in tattoo inks - the italian laboratories network	Marco Fontana, Italy
10 + 3	Clients' rating of tattoo removal by Q-switch laser	Katrina Hutton Carlsen, Denmark
10 + 3	MR scanning, tattoos and reported skin burn, fact or myth?	Kasper Alsing, Denmark
5	Short summary of congress posters	Wolfgang Bäumlér, Germany
9.50-10.15	<b>Break, exhibition and poster viewing</b>	
10 + 3	Results of the national survey on the diffusion, characteristics and risk awareness of tattoos in Italy	Alberto Renzoni, Italy
10 + 3	Epidemiological surveillance of contact allergens by the Information Network of Departments of Dermatology (IVDK) - relevance of contact allergens in tattoo inks	Steffen Schubert, Germany
10 + 3	Drugs and dermopigmentation: Collateral effects of drugs in relation with dermopigmentation treatments	Rita Molinaro, Italy
10 + 3	Inorganic and organic PMU inks	Cornelia Hildebrandt, Germany
10 + 3	What qualifies a safe and good PMU ink?	Nele Teske, Germany
11.30-12.15	<b>TATTOOISTS' CORNER</b>	Jens Bergström, Ralf Michel, Terry Welker, Jørgen Serup
	Debate forum	General audience
12.15-13.15	<b>Lunch and exhibition</b>	
13.15-14.35	<b>TATTOO COMPLICATIONS - DIAGNOSIS AND TREATMENT</b>	Sebastiaan van der Bent & Jørgen Serup
15 + 5	<b>ALLERGIC REACTIONS TO RED PIGMENT TATTOOS AND TREATMENT METHODS</b>	Sebastiaan van der Bent, The Netherlands
15 + 5	Tattoos, psoriasis and other chronic skin diseases	Christa de Cuyper, Belgium
15 + 5	Black tattoos, papulo-nodular reactions and high risk of sarcoidosis	Mitra Sepehri, Denmark
15 + 5	Skin infections and prevention measures	Wulf Schneider, Germany
14.35-15.55	<b>SAFETY OF TATTOOING - II</b>	Christa de Cuyper & Wolfgang Bäumlér
15 + 5	Distribution and characterization of toxic metals in human specimen	Ines Schreiber, Germany
15 + 5	Do metals play a role in tattoo allergies?	Christa de Cuyper, Belgium
15 + 5	Tattoo inks - the view of a toxicologist	Gabriele Sabbioni, Germany
15 + 5	Current standards of safe tattooing	Jens Bergström, Sweden
15.55-16.15	<b>Closing of the congress with announcement of coming events</b>	Wolfgang Bäumlér & Jørgen Serup