

ESCIF Congress and Assembly of Delegates 13 – 15 May 2009 in Vienna

Programme

Wednesday 13 May

- 15.00 Arrival of delegates at the airport – at the very latest!
- 16.00 Arrival of delegates at Congress venue with welcome coffee, soft drinks and sandwiches
- 17.00 Opening of Congress:
Welcoming address from Dr. Daniel Joggi, President of ESCIF
Welcoming address from Manfred Schweizer, President of VQÖ
Welcoming address from Präses of Kolpinghouse Alfred Weis
- 17.30 Beijing 2008:
A presentation (Andrea Scherney)
- 18.30 Presentation - Sponsor PARAVAN
- 18.45 Demonstration of the paravan-car in the garage
- 19.30 Get-together Dinner - Kolpinghaus Wien-Zentral

Thursday 14 May

- 09.00 ***Pain following spinal cord injury- Pathophysiology-
Management- Therapy*** by **Gabi Kirchmair**, Austria
- 10.00 Coffee break
- 10.30 ***More knowledge – less pain!*** **Gunilla Åhrén** presents some
conclusions from RTP's project in Sweden
- 11.15 ***Pain in Patients with spinal cord injury: Aetiology- Clinical
Diagnostics- Therapy*** by **Tim Reck**, Nottwil, Switzerland
- 12.30 Lunch
- 14.00 **Assembly of Delegates**
- 15.30 Coffee break
- 16.00 **RISCI: the development of a SCI database** by **Professor Gelu
Onose**, Romania
- 16.30 Discussion in policy working groups
- 18.00 End of working day (more or less!)
- 19:30 Congress Dinner - Kolpinghaus Wien-Zentral

Friday 15 May

- 9.00 **Two to tango revisited.** Latest update from Jan Reinhardt
- 10.00 Coffee break
- 10.30 **Plenary session: final reports and progress reports on policy**
- 13.00 Lunch – **End of the congress**
- 14.00 **Optional sightseeing - Extension of your stay in Vienna.**
Tour with an English-speaking guide in Vienna
(by bus and walking 3 - 4 hours)

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