Dear colleagues,

It is our pleasure to invite you to the 7th Annual Symposium of the European LeukemiaNet which will be held in Mannheim at the m:con Congress Center, February 1 to 3, 2010 again together with the 11th Annual Symposium of the German Leukemia Network.

Please find enclosed the program of our symposium.

Two workshops on “Regulatory requirements for the clinical development of cell therapeutics and biologicals” on February 1, 2010 and on „Life quality, comorbidity and late effects in hematologic malignancies“ on February 2, 2010 will precede the symposium (separate informations will follow).

The symposium will start on Tuesday, February 2, 2010, 11.00 h, with workpackage sessions. Each workpackage will have the opportunity to discuss and to determine the working program of the group for the coming year within a timeframe of about 2 hours.

On Wednesday morning, February 3, 2010, each workpackage will present the prospective outlines in a plenary session. A scientific symposium on new developments in leukemia will follow.

Thereafter the German Network will continue with project discussions in German language.
A block reservation of rooms for participants has been made at several hotels. We kindly ask you to contact these hotels directly to make your reservation. Please notice the booking deadlines of each hotel, since after the deadlines there will be no special rates any more. Informations concerning hotels is attached.

If you are a member of a participating institution of the European LeukemiaNet you can forward the hotel bill and receipts for travel expenses to the Network Management Center for reimbursement. Please, send us the original tickets and receipts. Accompanying persons other than colleagues are not eligible for reimbursement. We can reimburse hotel cost for up to 120,00 EUR per night.

Would you be so kind to complete the enclosed registration form asap and send it back to +49 (0)621 383 6969 until January 19, 2010.

If you have any further questions please do not hesitate to contact us.

We look forward to your confirmation and to seeing you at the meeting in Mannheim.

Yours sincerely

Prof. Dr. Rüdiger Hehlmann
Network Coordinator

Dr. Susanne Saußele
Scientific Network Manager

Enclosures
Registration
7th Annual Symposium of the European LeukemiaNet / 11th Annual Symposium of the German Competence Network “Acute and chronic Leukemias”
Februar 2-3, 2010
m:con Congress Center Rosengarten, Mannheim

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Attendance

☑ Unfortunately I cannot accept the invitation

☑ Workshop “Regulatory requirements for the clinical development of cell therapeutics and biologicals“ on Monday, February 1, 2010

☑ Life quality and late effects: activities and future collaboration in the European LeukemiaNet Tuesday, February 2, 2010

☑ 7th Annual Symposium of the European LeukemiaNet / 11th Annual Symposium of the German Competence Network “Acute and chronic Leukemias”

☑ Tuesday, February 2, 2010
☑ Wednesday, February 3, 2010

Hotel Accommodation

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Lunch/Dinner reservation for

☑ Imbiss on Monday, February 1, 2010
☑ Lunch on Tuesday, February 2, 2010 ☑ Dinner on Tuesday, February 2, 2010
☑ Lunch on Wednesday, February 3, 2010 ☑ Dinner on Wednesday, February 3, 2010

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Participation in ELN Workpackages Sessions, Tuesday, February 2, 2010

**Workpackages Session I: 11.30 – 13.30 h**  (please choose only one session)
- CML (WP 4), Registry (WP 17)
- CLL (WP 7)
- MDS (WP 8)

**Workpackages Session II: 15.00 – 17.00 h**  (please choose only one session)
- AML (WP 5), Registry (WP 17)
- ALL (WP 6)
- Cytogenetics (WP 11)
- Gene profiling (WP 13)

**Workpackages Session III: 17.30 – 19.30 h**  (please choose only one session)
- CMPD (WP 9)
- Diagnostics (WP 10)
- Minimal residual disease (WP 12)
- Stem cell transplantation (WP 14)

Participation in KN Sessions, Wednesday, February 3, 2010

**14.00 – 15.30 h**
- AML-Register / AML-Intergroup
- CML-Register (Thüringen, Oberbayern, Nordbaden)
- MDS-Gruppe

**15.30 – 16.30 h**
- Molekulargenetik, MRD-Diagnostik (BCR-ABL Standardisierung)
- AG Studienzentralen

Date       Signature
Dear member,

We are pleased to welcome you to our 7th Annual Symposium of the “European LeukemiaNet” / 11th Annual Symposium of the German Competence Network “Acute and chronic Leukemias” which will be held in Mannheim on February 1-3, 2010.

We have reserved several hotels with different price ranges and special offers. Please reserve your hotel directly with the keyword European LeukemiaNet.

Please notice the booking deadlines of each hotel. There is only a certain number of special room rates available. After the booking deadline it depends on the booking situation in the hotel if you still can get the special rate. All participants who can’t get a room in the listed hotels have to book a room themselves. Please have in mind we only pay room coasts up to 120,00 EUR. Please note that room reservations are binding. The costs for “no shows” would have to be covered by the participants themselves.

The hotel costs plus extras have to be paid by the participants themselves at the hotel. If you are a member of a participating institution of the European LeukemiaNet you can forward the hotel bill together with receipts for travel expenses to the Network Management Center for reimbursement. Accompanying person other than colleagues are not eligible for reimbursement.

Kategorie / categorie 1 (4*)

> MARITIM PARKHOTEL MANNHEIM

Friedrichsplatz 2, 68165 Mannheim, Tel: +49(0)621/1588-0, Fax:+49(0)621/1588-800
Email: info.res@maritim.de, Homepage: http://www.maritim.de/
104,00 EUR single room (included breakfast)
walking distance to CCM: across
Booking valid until December 14, 2009

> BEST WESTERN DELTA PARK HOTEL

Keplerstr. 24, 68165 Mannheim, Tel: +49(0)621/4451-0, Fax: +49(0)621/4451-888
Email: info@delta-park.bestwestern.de, Homepage: http://www.delta-park.de/
120,00 EUR double room – single use, 137,00 EUR double room (plus 18,00 € for breakfast)
walking distance to CCM: 10 min.
Booking valid until December 18, 2009

> HOLIDAY INN CITY CENTER

Kurfürstenarkade N6, 3, 68161 Mannheim, Tel: +49(0)621/1071-0, Fax: +49(0)621/1071-167
Email: Reservation.HIMannheim@Queensgruppe.de, Homepage: http://www.mannheim-hi-hotel.de/
138,00 EUR single room / 166,00 EUR double room (included breakfast)
walking distance to CCM: 8 min.
Booking valid until December 21, 2009
Kategorie / categorie 2 (2* - 3*)

> MERCURE HOTEL MANNHEIM AM RATHAUS

F7, 5-13, 68159 Mannheim, Tel: +49(0)621/33699-0, Fax: +49(0)621/3-2100
Email: h5410@accor.com, Homepage: http://www.mercure.com/
101,00 EUR single room / 127,00 EUR double room (included breakfast)
walking distance to CCM: 15 min.
Booking valid until January 4, 2010

> HOTEL AM BISMARCK

Bismarckplatz 9-11, 68165 Mannheim, Tel: +49(0)621/403096, Fax: +49(0)621/444 605
Email: info@hotel-am-bismarck.de, Homepage: http://www.hotel-am-bismarck.de/
86,00 EUR single room / 115,00 EUR double room (included breakfast)
walking distance to CCM: 7 min.
Booking valid until December 20, 2009

> HOTEL WARTBURG

F 4, 4 - 11, 68159 Mannheim, Tel: +49(0)621/12009-0, Fax: +49(0)621/12009-444
Email: info@hotelwartburg.com, Homepage: http://www.hotelwartburg.com
75,00 EUR single room / 90,00 EUR double room (included breakfast)
walking distance to CCM: 15 min.
Booking valid until January 1, 2010

> RAMADA HOTEL

Bismarckstraße/ L 12,15-16, 68161 Mannheim, Tel: +49(0)621/12740-0, Fax: +49(0)621/12740-99
Email: mannheim@ramada.de, Homepage: http://www.ramada.de/
81,00 EUR single room / 95,00 EUR doule room (included breakfast)
walking distance to CCM: 10 min.
Booking valid until December 18, 2009

> HOTEL MACK

Mozartstraße 14, 68161 Mannheim, Tel: +49(0)621/12420, Fax: +49(0)621/1242399
Email: info@hotelmack.de, Homepage: http://www.hotelmack.de/
75,00 / 85,00 EUR single room / 102,00 double room (included breakfast)
Walking distance to CCM: 10 min.
Booking valid until January 20, 2010

> HOTEL WEGENER

Tattersallstr. 16, 68165 Mannheim, Tel: +49(0)621/44090, Fax: +49(0)621/406948
Email: info@hotel-wegener.de, Homepage: http://www.hotel-wegener.de/
76,00 EUR single room / 96,00 EUR double room (included breakfast)
walking distance to CCM: 10 min.
Booking valid until December 15, 2009
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Programme

February 1 - 3, 2010
m:con - mannheim:congress GmbH
Congress Center Mannheim

Organizer: Network Management Center
Prof. Dr. Rüdiger Hehlmann, Mannheim
Monday, February 1, 2010

15.00 - 18.00 h Workshop “Regulatory requirements for the clinical development of cell therapeutics and biologicals”
U. Mansmann

08.45 - 10.45 h Life quality and late effects: activities and future collaboration in the European LeukemiaNet
N. Gökbuget, K. Ihrig

11.00 h Welcome and outline of the programme
R. Hehlmann

11.15 - 11.30 h ELN Foundation: Status and Development
C. Bradley

11.30 - 19.30 h ELN-Workpackages

11.30 - 13.30 h Session I
B. Simonsson, M. Baccarani, F. Guilhot, A. Hochhaus, R. Hehlmann, J. Hasford:
CML (WP 4), Registry (WP 17)
M. Hallek, H. Döhner:
CLL (WP 7)
T. de Witte:
MDS (WP 8)

13.30 - 14.30 h Lunch

14.30 - 15.00 h General Assembly

15.00 - 17.00 h Session II
T. Büchner, G. Ossenkoppele, M. Sanz:
AML (WP 5), Registry (WP 17)
D. Hoelzer, N. Gökbuget, R. Bassan, H. Dombret, R. Foà, J. M. Ribera:
ALL (WP 6)
C. Fonatsch, H. Rieder, C. Haferlach, T. Haferlach, W. Hiddemann:
Cytogenetics, Gene profiling (WP 11, WP 13)

17.00 - 17.30 h Coffee break

17.30 - 19.30 h Session III
T. Barbu, J. Kiladjian:
CMPD (WP 9)
M. C. Béné, G. Zini:
Diagnostics (WP 10)
D. Grimwade:
Minimal residual disease (WP 12)
D. Niederwieser, J. Apperley, A. Gratwohl:
Stem cell transplantation (WP 14)

19.30 h Dinner at the Congress Center Rosengarten

20.15 h Steering Committee Meeting (by invitation only)

Tuesday, February 2, 2010
Reports of Sessions I-III

8.00 - 10.30 h WP 2-9
Chair: T. de Witte, M. Hallek

N. Gökbüget, K. Ihrig, S. Schäfer:
ELIC (WP 2)

U. Mansmann:
CICS (WP 3)

B. Simonsson, M. Baccarani, F. Guilhot, A. Hochhaus, R. Hehlmann:
CML (WP 4)

T. Büchner, G. Ossenkoppele, M. Sanz:
AML (WP 5)

D. Hoelzer, N. Gökbüget, R. Bassan, H. Dombret, R. Foà, J. M. Ribera:
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M. Hallek, H. Döhner:
CLL (WP 7)

T. de Witte:
MDS (WP 8)

T. Barbui, J. Kiladjian:
CMPD (WP 9)

WP 10-17
Chair: P. Ljungmann, D. Grimwade

M. C. Béné, G. Zini:
Diagnostics (WP 10)

C. Fonatsch, H. Rieder, C. Haferlach:
Cytogenetics (WP 11)

D. Grimwade:
Minimal residual disease (WP 12)

T. Haferlach, W. Hiddemann:
Gene profiling (WP 13)

D. Niederwieser, J. Apperley, A. Gratwohl:
Stem cell transplantation (WP 14)

P. Ljungmann, H. Einsele:
Supportive care, anti-infection prophylaxis and treatment (WP 15)

J. Hasford:
Registries, definitions, common data sets, meta-analysis, prognosis (WP 17)

10.30 - 11.00 h Coffee break

11.00 - 13.00 h Scientific Symposium
Chair: R. Hehlmann, D. Hoelzer

G. Martinelli:
(Bologna/Italy)
Whole genome sequencing

W. K. Hofmann:
(Mannheim/Germany)
Molecular biology of MDS

N. C. P. Cross:
(Salisbury/United Kingdom)
The molecular pathogenesis of atypical MPN

A. Hochhaus:
(Jena/Germany)
The relevance of molecular monitoring for prognosis and treatment of CML

B. Jönsson:
(Stockholm/Sweden)
Health economic issues in leukemia
Kompetenznetz Leukämien

14.00 - 15.30 h Arbeitsgruppen
AML-Register / AML-Intergroup
R. Hehlmann, A. Hochhaus, S. Saußele, J. Hasford, P. Schrotz-King:
CML-Register (Thüringen, Oberbayern, Nordbaden)
C. Aul, A. Ganser, W. K. Hofmann:
MDS-Gruppe

15.30 - 16.30 h Arbeitsgruppen
M. Kneba, T. Raff:
Molekulargenetik, MRD-Diagnostik (BCR-ABL Standardisierung)
N. Gökbuget, K. Ihrig:
AG Studienzentralen

16.30 - 17.00 h Kaffeepause,
Mitgliederversammlung des deutschen Kompetenznetzes „Akute und chronische Leukämien“

17.00 - 18.00 h Berichte aus den Teilprojekten
Chair: G. Ehninger, C. Aul
U. Mansmann, J. Hasford, D. Messerer:
Plattform 3: IT
N. Gökbuget, K. Ihrig, S. Schäfer:
Plattform 2 und 4: Informationsplattform, Studieninfrastruktur
R. Hehlmann, A. Hochhaus, S. Saußele, J. Hasford:
Plattform 4: CML
C. Aul, A. Ganser, W. K. Hofmann:
Plattform 4: MDS
D. Hoelzer, N. Gökbuget, O. G. Ottmann:
Plattform 4: ALL
M. Griesshammer, E. Lengfelder, A. Reiter:
Plattform 4: BCR-ABL-negative CMPE
T. Büchner, H. Döhner, G. Ehninger, A. Ganser, D. Niederwieser, R. Hehlmann, D. Hoelzer, J. Hasford, M. Pfirrmann, W. Hiddemann:
Plattform 4: AML-Intergroup
H. Rieder, C. Haferlach:
Plattform 5: Zytogenetik
A. Giagounidis, W. Gassmann:
Plattform 5: Morphologie
M. Kneba, T. Raff:
Plattform 5: Molekulargenetik, MRD-Diagnostik
W. D. Ludwig, R. Schabath:
Plattform 5: Immunphänotypisierung

18.00 h Abendessen im Conference Center Rosengarten
18.00 - 19.00 h Vorstandssitzung KNL
Prof. Dr. Rüdiger Hehlmann

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