

## Registration Details

### Conference Fees

	Early Bird Registration (until 31/07/2012)	Late Registration (from 01/08/2012)
Member DGHM*	195 EUR	230 EUR
Non-Member*	260 EUR	285 EUR
Student (Member DGHM)*	60 EUR	70 EUR
Student (Non-Member), MTLA VMTA*	80 EUR	95 EUR

### Day Ticket

Member DGHM*	95 EUR	110 EUR
Non-Member*	120 EUR	135 EUR
Student (Member DGHM)*	40 EUR	50 EUR
Student (Non-Member), MTLA VMTA*	50 EUR	60 EUR

\* fee for Welcome Reception and DGHM Social Evening is included

### Workshop „Sepsis – Weiterbildung für Ärzte und MTA“

Part 1 - Molekulare Sepsis-Diagnostik

Part 2 - Qualitätssicherung und aktuelle Methoden der Nukleinsäure-diagnostik

	with congress attendance	without congress attendance
Member DGHM	15 EUR	30 EUR
Non-Member	100 EUR	130 EUR

For detailed information and registration please refer to the conference website [www.dghm-kongress.de](http://www.dghm-kongress.de).

## General Information

### Venue and Date

Congress Center Hamburg (CCH)

Am Dammtor/Marseiller Straße • 20355 Hamburg (DE)

30 September–03 October 2012

### CME Points

The CME Points are applied for at the Medical Chamber of Hamburg.

### Conference Organisation

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## Welcome Note

Dear Colleagues and Friends,

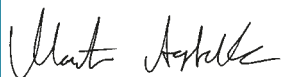
On behalf of the board of the German Society for Hygiene and Microbiology and the Scientific Committee I have the pleasure of inviting you to our 64<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting in Hamburg.

From 30<sup>th</sup> of September to 3<sup>rd</sup> of October 2012, we are delighted to welcome you in the Congress Center Hamburg (CCH) and share with you recent progress in all aspects of Microbiology and Infectious Diseases. During plenary sessions renowned scientists from all over the world will present and discuss with you their most actual research accomplishments. Numerous workshops, poster sessions and industrial exhibitions will give you the opportunity to present your data, meet colleagues and inform yourself about the state of the art in microbiological research and diagnostics.

To support the broad scope of the meeting we kindly ask you to submit your abstracts covering all topics of medical and molecular microbiology, immunology, virology, parasitology and hygiene.

Your contribution together with the maritime flair of the Free and Hanseatic City of Hamburg will certainly help to make this meeting a great success.

Sincerely yours,



Prof. Martin Aepfelbacher and the Scientific Committee

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## Abstracts and Dates

### Abstract Submission

We cordially invite you to submit your abstract to the following topics. Abstracts for presentations or posters must be submitted online at [www.dghm-kongress.de](http://www.dghm-kongress.de) and in English only until 31 May, 2012. The accepted abstracts will be published by Elsevier Publishing. An abstract will be presented as a talk or poster. A committee will select and award the best posters. Poster presentations will be organised by a scientific committee of the scientific and clinical working groups of the DGHM.

### Abstract Topics

- Bacterial physiology meets virulence (SPP1316)
- Chronic Infections in Cystic Fibrosis
- Clinical Microbiology and Infectiology
- Diagnostic Microbiology and MiQs
- Eukaryotic Pathogens
- Food Microbiology and Food Hygiene
- Gastrointestinal Pathogens
- General and Hospital Hygiene
- Hospital-associated Antimicrobial Resistance and Infection Prevention
- Infection Epidemiology and Population Genetics
- Infection Immunology
- Microbial Pathogenesis
- Microbiota, Probiota and Host
- National Reference Laboratories and Consiliary Laboratories
- Pathogenesis of Helicobacter and Campylobacter
- Zoonoses
- Free Topics

### Deadlines

Abstract Submission	31 May 2012
Application for Travel Grants	31 May 2012
Confirmation of Acceptance (Abstract)	16 July 2012
Confirmation of Acceptance (Travel Grant)	16 July 2012
Early Bird Registration	31 July 2012

### Awards

The best poster presentations will be appreciated with a poster award. More detailed information will be published soon on the conference website.

### Travel Grants

Travel scholarships in the amount of 200 EUR may be granted to applicants who meet following requirements:

- submission and acceptance of abstract
- member of the DGHM
- applicants must prove that he/she is a natural science graduand, post-graduate, medical postgraduate or Master of Science student (please provide a copy of student identification card)

## Symposia and Key Notes

### Confirmed Speakers

**Sunday • 30 September 2012**

#### DGHM-Lecture

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**Monday • 01 October 2012**

#### Structural Biology of Infection

Gabriel Waksman (London/GB)

Gunter Schneider (Stockholm/SE)

Natalie Strynadka (Vancouver/CA)

#### Intracellular Life Style of Pathogens

Craig Russell Roy (Yale, CT/US)

Michael Hensel (Osnabrück/DE)

David Tobin (Durham, NC/US)

**Tuesday • 02 October 2012**

#### Genomics in Microbiological Diagnostics and Research

Mark Pallen (Manchester/GB)

#### In Vivo Imaging of Infection and Tissue Microbiology

Agneta Richter-Dahlfors (Stockholm/SE)

Wolf Dietrich Hardt (Zurich/CH)

Volker Heussler (Bern/CH)

**Wednesday • 03 October 2012**

#### Mechanisms and Epidemiology of Antibiotic Resistance

David Livermore (London/GB)

Wolfgang Witte (Wernigerode/DE)

Gerry Wright (Hamilton/CA)

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