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- * Topic.

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The following important dates should be kept in mind:

Deadline for paper submission:

March 31st, 2010.

Notification of acceptance:

April 30th, 2010.

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5th INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM on HYPERTENSION

3rd VASCULAR RISK WORKSHOP



MAY 25th to 28th
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CONVOCACTION

Dear colleagues:

The higher education institutions Universidad Central "Marta Abreu" de Las Villas and Instituto Superior de Ciencias Médicas de Villa Clara (ISCMVC), as well as the Provincial Council of Medical Scientific Societies of Villa Clara are pleased to announce the 5th International Symposium on Hypertension, HTA 2010. This Symposium will be held in the "Bolívar" Conventions Center Santa Clara city, Villa Clara, Cuba, from May 25th to 28th of 2010.

The topics included in HTA 2010 cover an important part of the current strategies to fight Hypertension, the study of the more vulnerable sectors of the population, with risk of suffering the illness, as well as diverse proposals of means for diagnosis and treatment.

In the framework of the Symposium's activities, the 3rd International Workshop on Vascular Risk will also be realized. This workshop will be sponsored by the well-known Cardio-vascular Surgery Center of Villa Clara "Cardiocentro Ernesto Che Guevara"

HTA 2010 will encourage the exchange and debate among its participants. In this sense, workshops, round tables, conferences, posters, demonstrations and exhibitions will be present in the Symposium.

In addition, specialized visits to health centers and historical and touristic places in the territory will be performed.

We would like to invite you to participate in HTA 2010 in order to share with other colleagues, during three days, both knowledge and special moments. Welcome from now to our Symposium.

Sincerely

HTA 2010 Organizing Committee.

SPONSORS

- * World Hypertension League (WHL).
- * International Society of Hypertension (ISH).
- * World Action on Salt and Health (WASH).
- * Cuban Hypertension Commission.
- * Council of Scientific Societies of Villa Clara.
- * Municipal and Provincial Division of Health .
- * Cardiovascular Surgery Center (Cardio-center).
- * PROCDEC Proy. Association ASTUR-Cuban.
- * Science, Technology and Environment Ministry.
- * Informatics and Communications Ministry (MIC).
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TOPICS

- * Medical equipment and software.
- * Hypertension in children.
- * Molecular studies. Oxidative Stress.
- * Networks and medical computer science.
- * Community health care. Assistance projects.
- * Elders and other special groups.
- * Prevention and health education.
- * Psychological diseases. Stress.
- * Genetics in Hypertension.
- * Pharmacological and nonpharmacological therapies.
- * Renal, heart and brain-vascular diseases.
- * Vascular risk.

REGISTRATION

General information:

In this Symposium, you can participate as exhibitor, paper author, or companion. The registration fee includes the participation in the scientific program, the documentation provided, a participation certificate, transportation from the city of Santa Clara to the Convention Center, a Welcome Cocktail and a CD with the Symposium's proceedings. In the case of companions the documentation and the CD are not included.

The registration fee does not include accommodation, meals, and transportation between Santa Clara and the airport.

The inscription fee:

- * 300.00 CUC for foreign participants.
- * 300.00 MN for national participants.
- * 200.00 CUC for foreign students.
- * 200.00 MN for national students.
- * 100.00 CUC for foreign companions.

Note: Payments before April 30th will be only 80% of the registration fee and not paying will mean exclusion from the reports.

Information for foreign participants:

For your trip to Cuba we suggest you to contact with the Cuban agency of trips CUBATUR or their managers.

Information for national participants:

The registration as exhibitor or paper author requires the presentation of a work related to the topics of the Symposium. Only one person per work is admitted to participate.

The companion's modality only is assigned by the Organizing Committee.