

Liebe Kolleginnen und Kollegen,

mit diesem eRundschreiben 61 vom 05. März 2010 möchte ich Ihnen / Euch folgende Informationen zukommen lassen:

1) On 29 August - 2 September 2010, the [31st ISCB Annual Conference](#), will convene at the University of Montpellier, France. Contributed papers (oral Presentations as well as posters) are welcome in any area of biostatistics, epidemiology and related topics. For the first time, contributed papers for the special day on vaccines are also acceptable (Sunday). To be considered for presentation at ISCB-31, abstracts must be submitted online for review by March 15th 2010!

2) Following the success of the Non-clinical Statistics Conferences organized in 2006 in Potsdam and in 2008 in Leuven, as well as the US edition organized in 2009 in Boston, the organizing committee is delighted to invite you to join the 2010 [Non Clinical Statistics Conference](#) in Lyon, on September 27<sup>th</sup> to 29<sup>th</sup>. The conference will be held in "Cité Internationale", offering a wonderful environment for this conference.

The Conference will start with a Workshop delivered by Professor Jerome H. Friedman (Department of Statistics, Stanford University, USA) as invited speaker on "*Regularized regression and classification when the number of parameters greatly exceeds the number of observations*".

The next two days will be organized in session focused on many different topics, including:

- Model Based Drug Development
- Translational Medicine & Biomarkers
- Chemical Manufacturing & Control
- Toxicology
- Omics
- REACH and its implications on statistics
- Use of Bayesian Statistics in non-clinic areas

3) The next annual [workshop](#) of the joint Working Group "Adaptive Designs and Multiple Testing Procedures" of the Austrian-Swiss (ROeS) and German (DR) regions of the International Biometric Society (IBS) will be held at the Medical University of Vienna, 29-30 September 2010. The workshop starts on Wednesday, 29 September noon with a session in honour of the retirement of Peter Bauer. Confirmed speakers are Robert O'Neill (FDA, USA), Joachim Röhmel (Germany), Willi Maurer (Novartis Pharma AG, Switzerland), and Meinhard Kieser (University of Heidelberg, Germany).

We would like to invite you to attend and to present your latest research in the areas of adaptive designs and methods for multiple comparisons. The deadline for abstract submissions is 30 June 2010.

4) Im Dezember 2009 wurde die **AG Weiterbildung** ins Leben gerufen. Mitglieder sind derzeit Stephanie Roll (AG-Leiterin), Richardus Vonk, Christoph Muysers und Willi Sauerbrei. Die AG Weiterbildung hat als Ziel, Weiterbildungsangebote innerhalb der IBS-DR zu initiieren und zu organisieren. Insbesondere werden anspruchsvolle mehrtägige, praktische wie auch theoretische Workshops und Seminare zu bestimmten Themen durchgeführt. Die Weiterbildungsinhalte werden verschiedene Interessensgebiete und Vorkenntnisse abdecken. Das Angebot richtet sich in erster Linie an die Mitglieder der IBS.

Die ersten Veranstaltungen sind für den Sommer/Herbst 2010 geplant.

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