A FEW FACTS ABOUT THE ICE/ENDO 2014 MEETING

- ICE/ENDO 2014 recorded more registrants than any other annual meeting in the Endocrine Society’s nearly 100-year history.
- More than 10,000 registrants representing 96 countries traveled to Chicago
- Over 3,200 abstracts were presented
- One “hot topic” was long-acting growth hormone:


Poster MON-0147: Safety and Efficacy Results of a 6 Month, Randomized, Multi-Center Trial of a Novel Long-Acting Rhoth (VRS-317) in Naïve to Treatment, Pre-Pubertal Children with Growth Hormone Deficiency (GHD) by Bright, G et al.

IMPORTANT REMINDER:
ENDO 2015

March 5-8, 2015, San Diego, CA
- This is the first year the meeting will be held in March.
- Abstract submission period is
Sept 17 - Nov 12, 2014
- Future Meetings:
ENDO 2016 April 1-4, 2016 Boston, MA
ENDO 2017: April 1-4, 2017 Orlando, FL

For some news about our exciting upcoming GRS-IGF meeting see our website:
http://www.grs-igf2014.org/

THE UPCOMING GRS/IGF MEETING, OCT 15-19, 2014 SINGAPORE

Dr. K.O. Lee, chairman, and the planning committee have organized the following group of excellent Plenary speakers in the GH and IGF fields:

Linda Partridge  London, United Kingdom
Intervening in ageing to prevent ageing-related disease

Joseph Avruch  Massachusetts, United States
mTOR regulation and the control of cell and organismal growth

Robert Baxter  Sydney, Australia
The Francesco Minuto Lecture

Justo P. Castaño  Córdoba, Spain
Not so simple: Splicing news on Somatostatin and Ghrelin!

Cheri Deal  Montreal, Canada
Growth Hormone in Prader-Willi Syndrome

Steve Grinspoon  Massachusetts, United States
Effects of GHRH on Visceral Fat, Metabolic and Cardiovascular Indices in Human Studies

Bass Hassan  Oxford, United Kingdom
IGF-II and IGF2R in cancer, structure and functions

Luo Xiaoping  Wuhan, P. R. China
Data on efficacy of Long-acting Growth hormone

MarjaTuuliNevalainen  Pennsylvania, United States
Prolactin, STAT5 and prostate cancer

Claire Perks  Bristol, United Kingdom
Taking the stress out of breast cancer: Role of the IGFBPs

Christian Strasburger  Berlin, Germany
Two Years in Growth Hormone

Marc Tatar  Rhode Island, United States
IGF-like signaling of Drosophilia

Haim Werner  Tel Aviv, Israel
Nuclear IGF receptors – A new layer of signaling control
INFORMATION ABOUT SINGAPORE

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There’s so much to see and do in Singapore. For art aficionados, there are museums and galleries to visit, while history buffs can explore history museums and heritage centers. Party animals can revel in a colorful nightlife scene, nature lovers can immerse in the many rainforests and gardens available, and sports enthusiasts can look forward to sporting action and theme parks.

Find out more about “What you can do in Singapore” at www.visitsingapore.com.

PITUITARY SOCIETY/GRS FORM A NEW DISCUSSION GROUP

The Pituitary Society and GRS have formed a discussion group to further advance the mission of each society. In each GRS newsletter, important issues related to the Pituitary Society will be presented. More about this later.

NEWS FROM OUR CORPORATE MEMBERS

A dinner was held at the ‘Catch 35’ Restaurant in Chicago on Friday, June 20th which several of our corporate supporters attended. Items discussed were upcoming workshops, issues related to our bi-annual meetings, how to promote interacts between basic/clinical and corporate scientists, and how to organized a Satellite Symposium at our meetings.

UPCOMING GRS WORKSHOPS INCLUDE:

- Safety of rhGH Therapy Manchester, England November 4-8, 2014
- Long Acting GH Preparations October, 2015 - Exact dates and venue TBD

FUTURE WORKSHOP TOPICS ALSO BEING CONSIDERED:

- Acromegaly
- GH and Chronic Renal Failure
- Identification of GH Non-Responders

GRS THANKS OUR SUPPORTING MEMBERS FOR YOUR CONTINUED AND ENTHUSIASTIC SPONSORSHIP!

Mark Your Calendar!
GRS/IGF Congress 2016 Tel-Aviv, Israel November 6-9, 2016
Organizer: Dr. Haim Werner