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ECTS 2017
44th European Calcified Tissue Society Congress

Salzburg, Austria
13-16 May 2017

Dates to remember
Abstract submission opens ............... Monday 3 October 2016
Registration opens ........................ Monday 3 October 2016
Abstract submission deadline .......... Monday 16 January 2017
Early registration deadline .......... Friday 10 March 2017
Regular registration deadline .......... Monday 10 April 2017
Reasons to attend

- An exciting programme of invited speaker lectures featuring some of the world’s leading experts in the field
- Meet the Professor sessions
- Dedicated New Investigator sessions
- Joint ECTS-ASBMR debate and lecture
- A high proportion of submitted abstracts selected for the oral programme
- Well-attended poster sessions with dedicated poster viewing time
- A busy exhibition and poster area with lunch included in the delegate fee
- Company-supported satellite symposia highlighting some of the latest developments in therapy and research
- A variety of travel awards and scholarships
- Stimulating collaboration and networking opportunities

Topics

A broad range of topics relating to calcified tissues and musculoskeletal diseases from basic science via translational to clinical, to include sessions on:

**BASIC**

- Nutrient sensing
- Riboprotein world
- Epigenetics and bone
- Liquid biopsies: RNAs, exosomes
- Big data and skeletal disorders
- Tendons and tendinopathy
- Nerves and bone
- Rare bone disorders
- Clinical diagnostic imaging
- Rheumatoid disorders
- Endocrine disorders
- Vitamin D, back to the future

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