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**R.E. Kavetsky Institute of Experimental Pathology,
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Second Announcement

INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE

**“TUMOR AND HOST: NOVEL ASPECTS OF
OLD PROBLEM”**

**September 21 – 24, 2010
Kyiv, Ukraine**



Letter of Welcome

Dear Friends and Colleagues,

On behalf of the Organizing Committee, it is a great honor to welcome you to attend the **International Conference “Tumor and Host: Novel Aspects of Old Problem” (T&H-2010)** devoted to the 50th anniversary of R. E. Kavetsky Institute of Experimental Pathology, Oncology and

Radiobiology of National Academy of Sciences of Ukraine which will be held during September 21-24, 2010. The 50th anniversary will be celebrated in the wonderful city of Kyiv – one of the oldest European Capitals with its 1500 year rich history, nation’s financial, political and cultural centre.

R. E. Kavetsky Institute of Experimental Pathology, Oncology and Radiobiology is a leading cancer research centre in Ukraine, associated member of the Organization of European Cancer Institutes and European Association for Cancer Research.

The mission of this conference is to advance the understanding of mechanisms of cancer development, tumor and host interaction and outline new strategies for cancer prevention and treatment. **The Scientific Program** will cover the most important topics of cancer research and will be divided into **5 Sessions: 1) Tumor Biology and Immunology; 2) Metabolic and Stromal Microenvironment of Tumor Cells; 3) Tumor Markers: Signaling, Diagnosis and Prognosis; 4) Mechanisms of Carcinogenesis and Cancer Prevention; 5) Cancer Therapy: New Technologies, Biotherapy, Individualization.** An outstanding panel of speakers will lead and facilitate the discussions on and around new diagnostics, therapies, biomarkers, latest trends and developments in tumor and host interactions. In addition to the scientific program, you will be able to enjoy the culture and sights of Kyiv, one of the largest and the most inspirational cities in Ukraine and Slavic World.

The Conference sessions will be held in the Conference Hall of the National Academy of Sciences of Ukraine located in the historic centre of Kyiv. The Official Opening Ceremony and Keynote Forum will take place on Tuesday afternoon, September 21. We cordially welcome you to join us in Kyiv.

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Topic Categories

Please select only ONE topic which refers to the main subject of the abstract and will be included to corresponding session.

1. Tumor Biology and Immunology

The session will focus on the basic aspects of tumor biology and immunology in a single issue framework. Topics include mechanisms that determine metastasis and homing of tumor cells, tumor angiogenesis and lymphangiogenesis, the biology and molecular biology of cancer stem cells, immunological aspects of tumor-host interaction.

2. Metabolic and Stromal Microenvironment of Tumor Cells

The session will focus on the tumor microenvironment as a key factor in tumor development and progression. Topics include hypoxia signaling, angiogenesis and aerobic glycolysis in human tumors as a basis for diagnostics and anticancer strategies. Key questions which are to be discussed: 1) Inflammation and cancer: what is common and what is different? 2) Tumor hypoxia impact on tumor-host interaction: a main regulator of malignant process outcome?

3. Tumor markers: Signaling, Diagnosis and Prognosis

The session will cover fundamental and practical aspects of tumor markers: identification of novel tumor markers, peculiarity of signal transduction pathways in tumor cells, application of tumor markers and cell differentiation antigens for cancer diagnosis and prognosis.

4. Mechanism of Carcinogenesis and Cancer Prevention

The session will focus on underlying mechanisms of tumorigenesis and cancer prevention. Special emphasis will be given: a) on addressing the role of genetic and epigenetic alterations and their interactions in cancer development; and b) novel approaches for development of sensitive and reliable biomarkers for early detection and prevention of cancer, including nutrition.

5. Cancer Therapy: New Technologies, Biotherapy, Individualization

The clinical and experimental investigations of cancer therapeutics mediated through tumor-host interactions (biotherapy, vascular disruptive therapy, etc.), validation of new targets for cancer therapy and new strategies for delivering therapy to tumors will be discussed.

Language and Translation

The official language of the Conference will be English, Ukrainian, and Russian. The simultaneous translation will be provided.

Hotel Information - Deadline for Hotel reservation – August 21, 2010.

Important Dates

April 1, 2010	Abstracts Submission for Oral and Poster Presentations, News Release
May 15, 2010	Early Registration Deadline
May 15, 2010	Abstracts Submission Deadline
June 1, 2010	Plenary Lectures Submission Deadline
August 21, 2010	Standard Registration Deadline
August 30, 2010	Final Program and News Release
September 21, 2010	Opening Registration On-site
September 21, 2010	Conference Opening Ceremony

Passport and Visa

A valid passport is required for entry into Ukraine. A visa may be required for some countries. For information about visa and passports contact your local Ukrainian Embassy at least 2 months prior to your departure. **We will send formal letter of invitation to all registered participants in July 2010.**

Hotel Accommodation

Hotel accommodation for both individuals and groups can be booked via Conference Secretariat: kyiv2010conf@yahoo.com or conference@onconet.kiev.ua

All rooms are booked on a first come first served basis. Bookings received after deadline will be subject to availability. Please clearly mention T&H-2010 when making your booking.

Official hotels for T&H-2010

Hotel	Hotel rooms			
	Standard (twin)	Standard (single)	Semi-suite (twin, single)	Suite (1, 2, 3 rooms)
"Ukraine" *** 4 Institutska Str., Kyiv, Ukraine, 01001 Tel +38(044)279-03-47, 278-20-04 www.ukraine-hotel.kiev.ua	860 UAH	740 UAH	965 UAH 1085 UAH	960 UAH 1209 UAH 1430 UAH
"Khreschatyk" **** 14, Khreschatyk Str., Kyiv, Ukraine, 01001 Tel. +38 (044)599-80-00 www.khreschatyk.kiev.ua	1200 UAH	800 UAH	1700 UAH	1900 UAH
"Premier Palace Hotel" T.Shevchenka Blvd/Pushkinska Str., Kyiv, Ukraine, 01004 Tel +38(044)537 4501 www.premier-palace.com	295 EURO	350, 400 EURO	400 EURO	475, 500 EURO
"Rus" 4, Hospitalna Str., Kyiv, Ukraine, 01004 Tel +380 (44) 256 40 00, 289 43 96 www.hotelrus.kiev.ua	101-117 USD	133-148 USD	145-161 USD	183-266 USD
"President hotel" 12, Hospitalna str., Kyiv, Ukraine, 01004 Tel +380 (44) 256 3855, 256 3256 www.president-hotel.com.ua	70 EURO	90 -210 EURO	120- 260 EURO	330-700 EURO
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"Znannya" 31 Mikilsko-Botaniczna Str., Kyiv, Ukraine, 01032. Tel. +38 (044) 288-26-72; www.hotel.znannya.org.ua			640 UAH (2 person, 340 UAH each)	780 UAH (2 person, 420 UAH each)

Official Exchange Rate of Hryvna against foreign currencies: <http://www.bank.gov.ua>

Call for Abstracts

Please note – oral or poster presentation has to be related to the main subject of conference: **Tumor and Host Interactions.**

Abstract Policies & Regulations

With the submission of an abstract to T&H-2010, the first or presenting author:

- Accepts responsibility for the accuracy of the submitted abstract.
- Confirms that all authors are aware of and agree to the content of the abstract and support the data presented.
- Warrants that the data and conclusions presented in the abstract have not been published in the same format and with the same title prior to the date of the conference.
- States that, for studies involving human or animal subjects, permission has been obtained from the relevant regulatory authority and properly informed consent given where appropriate.

Abstract Preparation & Submission

Abstract Format

In order to be considered, an abstract should respect the following guidelines:

- The abstract must be submitted in good **English**. Please check spelling and grammar, abstract will be reproduced as submitted.
- The title** of the abstract should be brief (no more than 200 characters including spaces), written in upper-case, followed by one blank line and reflect the content of the abstract. Do not use non-standard abbreviations.
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- Only institutional affiliations, cities and countries** should follow.

Abstracts content should not exceed **2.500 characters** (body of the abstract, including spaces; paper size – A4, all margins – 20 mm, indentation – 10 mm, font Times New Roman, size – 12, single space, justify, symbols font – Symbol) and include the following 4 sections:

1. Background: an introductory sentence indicating the purpose of the study
2. Material and methods: a brief description of pertinent procedures
3. Results: a summary of the results of the research
4. Conclusions: a statement of the main conclusions

Abbreviations may be used if standard or if spelled out and defined at the first use. Symbols and structures of drugs are allowed and should be drawn in black. **Supplementary data or appendices will not be accepted. Figures or photographs are not allowed.**

Abstract Submission Procedure

Abstracts can be submitted from **1 April 2010 to 15 May 2010** via the Email: kyiv2010conf@yahoo.com; or conference@onconet.kiev.ua along with registration form.

- Within 24 hours of submission, the presenting author will receive an e-mail confirmation that T&H-2010 has received the abstract.
- In case the confirmation from T&H-2010 is not received, please contact **Conference Secretariat**: kyiv2010conf@yahoo.com; conference@onconet.kiev.ua within one week of submitting the abstract.
- Submitting an abstract for presentation at T&H-2010 does not constitute registration for the conference. Abstract presenters must register to attend T&H-2010 by following the instructions for registration on the website.

For all questions regarding the submission process, please contact **Conference Secretariat**.

Abstract Selection Process

The Scientific Committee will make the selection of abstracts for oral and poster presentations in June 2010. The first author (presenter) will receive an e-mail with the result of the review and the Scientific Committee's decision on the abstract. If a selected author cannot attend, the presenting author should assign a replacement.

The following presentation formats are applicable for T&H-2010:

- 1. ORAL PRESENTATION:** the abstract is selected for oral presentation in one of the sessions.
- 2. POSTER SESSION:** abstracts that have been selected for presentation in poster format will be grouped by topic and displayed on an allocated day of the conference.
- 3. ABSTRACT PRINTING ONLY**

Please note if the oral or poster abstract is accepted, it will be published in the Abstract Book only if one of the authors is a registered participant and full payment has been received.

Plenary Lectures

The plenary and selected invited lectures will be published in Vol.32, Number 3 of international journal "Experimental Oncology". Instructions for authors – <http://www.exp-oncology.com.ua>. **Manuscripts submission deadline – June 1, 2010.**

Poster Presentations: 90 x 120 cm format

The Scientific Committee reserves the right to reject abstracts or may request an immediate revision by the presenter.

Registration Fees

Early registration - before 15 May, 2010 – 150 EUR
Standard registration before August 31, 2010 – 200 EUR
On-site registration – 250 EUR
Students – 60 EUR
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Abstract publication ONLY – 10 EUR

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Social Events

Tuesday 21 September 2010

The Official Opening Ceremony and Keynote Forum will take place in the Conference Hall of the National Academy of Sciences of Ukraine located in the historic centre of Kyiv. Refreshments will be served.

Friday 24 September 2010

We invite you to a Conference Reception at Kyiv City Hall. This Reception is open to all registered delegates.

Tour

Kyiv, the capital of Ukraine, is located on the Dnipro River and has an interesting history that goes back to the IV century. Our city is widely known for its art, beauty and culture. So, come and discover St. Sofia Cathedral, Kyiv-Pecherska Lavra, take a stroll through Kyiv parks or visit Andriivski uzviz with its famous art galleries. The ‘St. Sofia Cathedral’ tour will take place on Friday 24 September 2010. For more information and a booking form, please visit www.onconet.kiev.ua.

Exhibition

The T&H-2010 provides sponsors with an excellent opportunity to showcase products and services and scientists to gain insight into new technologies and the latest healthcare solutions and services within the oncology field.

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