Final Programme
Thursday, 29.08.2019
Welcome
1st Session
Performing And Communicating Molecular Diagnostics
2nd Session
Clinical Studies in Gene Therapy I
Phenotypes – Free Papers
3rd Session - Stem Cells

Franceschetti Medal & Lecture
Paul Sieving, Bethesda, USA
Clinical features and molecular basis of X-linked retinoschisis: From mechanism to therapy.

4th Session
Biomarkers for Substantiating Success in Treatment
Gala Dinner - Restaurant Heyligenstaedt

Friday, 30.08.2019
5th Session
Luxturna Therapy – Recent Developments
with Panel Discussion

Ellsworth Lecture
Laurence Désjardins, Paris, France
Retinoblastoma around the world in 2019

6th Session
Precision Care for Children with Retinoblastoma
7th Session
Clinical studies in gene therapy II
Treatment-associated Posters
Excursion by Bus to Marburg
Gala Dinner – Rauischholzhausen Castle

Saturday, 31.08.2019
ISGEDR General Assembly

8th Session
Secondary Cancer and Survival in Retinoblastoma
9th Session
Patients in focus – with Panel Discussion

François- Lecture
Birgit Lorenz, Giessen, Germany
Biomarkers in IRDs:
Scientifically valid – Clinically relevant

Poster Session
Microphthalmia – Anophthalmia – Coloboma – Developmental Failures
10th Session - Understanding Treatment Effects from Natural History Studies
Poster Session – Glaucoma - Foveal Hypoplasia
11th Session
Gene and Cell based Therapies

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Meeting Homepage
https://isgedr.com/2019-giessen/

Venue
Medical Educational Centre of the Medical Faculty of the Justus-Liebig-University Giessen, Germany

Local Host: Prof. Dr. Birgit Lorenz
President of ISGEDR
Speaker of Section DOG-Genetics

21. Meeting of ISGEDR
a joint meeting with DOG Genetics
August, 29 – 31, 2019

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Genetic Eye Diseases Facing The Challenges Of The Future
Registration fees

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Online Registration opens April 15, 2019
Early bird registration closes August 4, 2019.
Online registration closes August 23, 2019

Travel Grants
Travel grant application will open with the meeting registration on April 15, 2019. Travel grant application closes June 16, 2019.
The International Society for Genetic Eye Diseases and Retinoblastoma will offer at least three (3) travel grants of $1500.00 and free registration at the meeting to applicants from developing countries and to select residents-in-training on the condition that they present a paper or poster at the meeting.
Applications will be reviewed by the scientific committee and the winners will be notified by August 1, 2019.

Continuous Medical Education (CME)
Certification for CME credits is initiated with the State Medical Association of Hesse (LÄKH) and European Union of Medical Specialists (UEMS). Program content and selection of speakers are the responsibility of the planning committee. Support is directed toward the costs of the course and not to individual speakers.

Transfer from Frankfurt (Main) Airport to Giessen

By Train – Deutsche Bahn AG
Take the commuter train (S8 / S9) from Frankfurt Airport (Frankfurt am Main Flughafen Local Trains) to Frankfurt Central Station (Frankfurt (Main) Hbf). Avoid ICE, IC trains and safe money.
Change to Regional Express (RE, RB) trains from Frankfurt Central Station (Frankfurt (Main) Hbf) to Giessen Central Station
Online Search is available by Deutsche Bahn: www.bahn.de/app_home_pk_de_DEU.shtml
Duration: 70 – 100 minutes | Ticket cost (adults): 16.00 € (single, all way to Giessen)
Note: Train tickets can be purchased at the ticket dispensers on track and online www.bahn.com/en/view/index.shtml.

By Taxi
Taxis with a taximeter are permanently available in front of the arrivals hall. Licensed taxis are beige and have a black and yellow sign “TAXI” on the top.
Duration: ± 44 minutes | Estimated cost: ±133 €
Fares on request, about 50% of taxi costs (Contact forms in German only

Motorway

Transfer from Giessen Central Station to Conference Venue

Walking
The venue is in 10 minute walking distance from the central station. Step out of the main entrance of the station, cross the bridge left hand and follow the street (Friedrichstrasse) passing the traffic lights (Frankfurter Strasse). Turn right at the bar protected gate and follow the street straight ahead by passing the Department of Ophthalmology (left side) straight through to next intersecting street (Klinikstrasse) by finally passing the venue (left side).

By Taxi
Taxis with a taximeter are available in front of Giessen Central Station.
Duration: ± 5 - 15 minutes | Estimated cost: ±5 €
Taxi costs depend on the closing of the rail road crossing the taxi needs to cross on its way to the venue.

Lodging

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www.restaurant-heyligenstaedt.de
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www.bestwestern.de/hotels/Giessen/Best-Western-Plus-Hotel-Steinsgarten
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