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Welcome!


International experts from clinical science, basic research and epidemiological studies are brought together with a joint focus on the long-term consequences of early nutrition and lifestyle factors on obesity and related disorders. Partners of the EU funded project EarlyNutrition are happy to share their research approaches and results with colleagues from all over the world. This conference builds on our preceding and very successful international conferences in Munich in 2010 and 2014 where 500-600 participants joined for a comprehensive exchange of latest research findings.

More information on the previous conferences is available here.

We are looking forward to welcoming you in Munich!

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Important Deadlines & Abstract Submission

Important Deadlines

- Start online registration: 2 May 2016
- Deadline abstract submission: 9 May 2016
- Acceptance of abstracts: Beginning of July 2016
- Deadline Early Bird fee: 18 July 2016
- Free of charge cancellation deadline: 31 August 2016
- Registration deadline abstract presenters: 1 September 2016
- Deadline online registration: 4 October 2016

Abstract Submission

General
- All abstracts must be submitted in English.
- Only online submissions will be considered.
- First authors of accepted abstracts are entitled to register with the Early Bird fee.
- Please follow the instructions given on the conference website [http://munich2016.project-earlynutrition.eu/](http://munich2016.project-earlynutrition.eu/)
- Acceptance of abstracts will be confirmed via email by beginning of July 2016.
- The abstracts should have a max. length of 250 words (the title a max. length of 25 words). Tables and figures cannot be inserted.

Please note: Unfortunately, only a limited number of abstracts can be included as oral presentations. Abstracts for oral presentation are chosen for their relevance to session and if they complement the presentations already planned. This is in no way a reflection upon the quality of abstracts not chosen for oral presentation.

Categories
Abstracts can be submitted under one of four categories. Please choose the category that most closely matches your abstract to ensure that it is assigned to the correct review panel.
- Clinical / Intervention Trials
- Observational / Epidemiological Studies
- Mechanisms (e.g. molecular, (epi-) genetic, cell, animal, -omics studies)
- Economic and/or Public Health Impact / Consumer Attitudes, Recommendations, Systematic Reviews
Abstract Submission

Types of Abstract Presentations

- **Oral Presentation**
  
  Up to 36 abstracts will be chosen for presentation within the parallel sessions. For an oral presentation of abstracts, a time slot of 7 minutes for presentation and 3 minutes discussion is scheduled. Note: oral presentations must be held by the first author of the submitted abstract!

- **Poster Presentation**
  
  Authors of abstracts not chosen for the oral presentation will have the opportunity to present their work as a poster presentation. The size of posters must be less than 1.2m (height) x 0.9m (width).

- **Guided Poster Tour**
  
  The top ten rated posters of each category will be chosen as a „Poster of Distinction“ and the authors will have the opportunity to present their poster within the Guided Poster Tour.

**New Investigator Grant:**

In order to qualify for a New Investigator Grant no more than 10 years may have passed since your graduation. If applicable you may add one year for the care of each child. The 5 best rated abstracts and posters by new investigators will be awarded a travel grant of 500 Euro each – so don’t hesitate to submit your abstract!

(Please note that travel grants cannot be made available prior to the conference).
Scientific Programme – Main Topics

**Keynotes**
- The Importance of Investing in Early Life Nutrition
- What is Normal Pre- and Postnatal Growth
- Complementary Feeding: An Opportunity for Programming Later Health
- Early Nutrition and Lifestyle: Recommendations and Translational Approaches
- Early Life Nutrition (WHO Europe Perspective & Public Health Impact)

**Sessions on (Pre-)Pregnancy**
- Pregnancy and Programming of Obesity and Related Disorders
- Interventions to Prevent Adverse Fetal Programming
- GDM – Early Diagnosis of Women at Risk
- Personalised Nutrition and Counselling

**Session on Infancy/Childhood**
- Catch-up Growth
- Early Life Gut Microbiome and Long-Term Health
- Postnatal Nutrition

**Sessions on Mechanisms**
- Nutritional Epigenetics of Obesity
- Metabolomics and Obesity in Humans
- Translational Application of Programming Evidence: What is Needed?
- Placental Nutrient Transfer

**Session on Future Opportunities**
- Early Nutrition in Low-Resource Settings
- Psychosocial Stress, Mental Health and Biological Impact
- Programming of NCDs in Preterm Infants
- The Future of Early Life Research

**… and even more**

**Session on Lactation and Miscellaneous**
- Breastfeeding and Later Health
- Early Programming of Taste and Appetite
- Obesity Prevention and Intervention in Infants and Young Children

**Workshops & Symposia**
- Methodological Aspects of Measuring Adiposity and Body Composition
- CME in Pregnancy – An e-Learning Live Course by the Early Nutrition eAcademy
- New Investigators Forum
- Dynahealth Meets Early Nutrition
- Acting on DOHaD Concepts: Whose Responsibility?
- Fetal and Infant Growth Standards: International Practice and Applicability
- Programming Potential of Breastfeeding – ISRHML Symposium
- Preconception & Maternal Obesity – Lancet Symposium
Confirmed Speakers

Ahrens, Wolfgang (Bremen, DE)
Annan, Reginald (London, UK)
Buss, Claudia (Berlin, DE)
Daniel, Hannelore (Munich, DE)
Desoye, Gernot (Graz, AT)
Dodd, Jodie (Adelaide, AU)
Conti, Gabrielle (London, UK)
Edwards, Christine (Glasgow, UK)
Eggesbo, Merete (Oslo, Norway)
Felix, Janine (Rotterdam, NL)
Fewtrell, Mary (London, UK)
Finken, Martijn (Amsterdam, NL)
Forsyth, Stewart (Dundee, Scotland)
Froidmont-Goertz, Isabelle de
(European Commission, BE)
Gaillard, Romy (Rotterdam, NL)
Godfrey, Keith (Southampton, UK)
Grivell, Rosalie (Perth, AU)
Grunewald, Maria (Munich, DE)
Haller, Dirk (Munich, DE)
Hanson, Mark (Southampton, UK)
Hetherington, Marion (Leeds, UK)
Hitman, Graham (London, UK)
Holbrook, Joanna (Singapore, SG)
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Ong, Ken (Cambridge, UK)
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(Registration, Hotel Reservation, Industry Participation)

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**Conference Venue**
University Hospital of Munich  
Campus Grosshadern  
Auditorium Section  
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81377 Munich, Germany

We are currently in the process of securing European CME accreditation.

**Conference Hours**
Thursday, 13 October 2016 (approx. 10.00h) until Saturday, 15 October 2016 (approx. 13.00h)

The conference office (registration desk) will open every day an hour before the meeting starts. You can pick up your personal conference documents there.

**Travel to Munich and Public Transportation to the Conference Venue**
Please find detailed information on the conference website.

**Conference Language**
All lectures and discussions will be held in English. There will be no simultaneous translation.

**Visa**
Please contact the organising office if you need an official invitation letter from the conference organiser for your Visa application. The request has to be received no later than October 5, 2016.

**Industry Participation / Sponsoring**
Please contact the scientific office (EarlyNutrition@med.lmu.de) if your company is interested.

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Registration

Binding registration can be carried out online on the conference website until 4 October 2016 and only applies when registering and paying on or before 4 October 2016. After this date, registration is dependent on availability and participation cannot be guaranteed.

To benefit from a reduced, early registration fee, registration and payment must be received on or before 18 July 2016. After this date the standard registration fee will automatically be applied.

You will receive a confirmation by email. Your personal conference documents will be handed out at the registration desk onsite.

### Registration Fee
(for registration and payment)

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<td>Standard registration fee</td>
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| EarlyNutrition (only for
EarlyNutrition Partners)           | € 280.00                                      | € 350.00                                                     |
| Collaborating societies (only for
members of DOHaD, ESPGHAN, UEG)    | € 330.00                                      | € 390.00                                                     |
| Student (Please provide written
proof of your status onsite.)      | € 120.00                                      | € 120.00                                                     |
| Conference Dinner/ Bavarian Evening Organised by EUROKONGRESS GmbH | € 40.00 (incl. VAT)                           | € 40.00 (incl. VAT)                                          |

The participant fees listed above include participation in the scientific sessions, lunch and coffee breaks on the conference days as well as the Welcome Reception on Thursday evening.

### Bank Details

The participation fees may be paid by credit card, by online transfer (via online registration) or by transfer to the following account (Transfer fee to be paid by the remitter):

**‘Power of Programming’**

HypoVereinsbank Munich, IBAN: DE 49 7002 0270 0658 7527 40, SWIFT (BIC): HYVEDEMMXXX

### Changes or Cancellations

All changes or cancellations must be received in writing by the organising office. A refund of the registration fee less € 50.00 will be made when a written cancellation is received by no later than 31 August 2016. Thereafter no refund can be made. Conference Dinner Tickets are non-refundable.
Accommodation

Hotel Reservation

All conference participants are welcome to take advantage of the hotel booking service provided by our partner HRS. Hotel rooms are available at daily rates. Please choose the hotel of your choice. More information is available on the conference website.

Social Programme

Welcome Reception

Meet your colleagues and friends at the conference venue on the first congress evening, 13 October 2016. All participants are warmly invited! Participation is included in the registration fee however, separate registration is mandatory.

Conference Dinner/Bavarian Evening

Enjoy a Bavarian Evening with traditional food and entertainment in a relaxed atmosphere on Friday evening, 14 October 2016. This will be held at one of the most traditional restaurants in Munich: the Augustiner Keller.

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