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Preface

Dear colleagues,

Fascinating developments are currently reshaping IBD therapy as well as the understanding of the pathogenesis. In our view this is best summarized under the title “IBD 2017 – therapeutic and biological barriers”. The program aims to shed light into the better understanding of the intestinal microflora and the subsequent interaction with the host. Based on this, novel therapeutic concepts, barriers and challenges we all face in our daily IBD practice will be discussed and summarized, hence not only providing a comprehensive update but rather illustrating a future perspective.

This ambitious program is only possible because excellent scientists and clinicians confirmed their participation. The meeting will take place in direct neighborhood to the “Potsdamer Platz” in the center of Berlin. Thus the intriguing program will be complemented by the inspiring surrounding Berlin has to offer.

We hope to share this program and lively discussions with you and are looking forward to welcome you in Berlin.

On behalf of the scientific organizers

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Siegmund', written in a cursive style.

Prof. Dr. Britta Siegmund



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October 6 – 7, 2017
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Start of Registration:
Thursday, October 5, 2017
8.00 – 15.45 h
at the congress office

Set-up of Poster Session:
Thursday, October 5, 2017
16.00 - 20.00 h
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Call for Posters:

A poster session will take place.
For details see page 13.

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The final program will be available on
the homepage www.falk-foundation-symposia.org one week before.



Friday, October 6, 2017

9.00 Opening remarks

B. Siegmund,
Berlin

Session I Microbiome/metabolome – impact on barrier function

Chair: M. Allez, Paris; J. Wehkamp, Tübingen

9.10 Is the gut metabolome the key player?

E. Latz,
Bonn

9.35 Colitis: Interplay of microbiome and genome

D. Haller,
Freising

10.00 The onco biome and the gut

C. Jobin,
Gainesville

10.25 Pouchitis: Insights into mechanisms of IBD

I. Dotan,
Tel Aviv

10.50 **Coffee break with poster session**

Session II Breaking polarization towards IBD

Chair: A. Dignass, Frankfurt; I. Dotan, Tel Aviv

11.20 The immunological point of view

A. Radbruch,
Berlin

11.45 The clinical point of view

M. Allez,
Paris

12.10 Fecal microbiome transplantation in IBD - choosing the right donor and recipient

M. Joossens,
Leuven

12.35 Post-operative strategies in Crohn's disease

I.D. Arnott,
Edinburgh

13.00 **Lunch break with poster session**

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Session III Barriers in therapy

Chair: H. Herfarth, Chapel Hill; A. Sturm, Berlin

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| 14.00 | Management of IBD in the elderly | G. Savoye,
Rouen |
| 14.25 | IBD therapy after cancer | L. Beaug erie,
Paris |
| 14.50 | Therapeutic considerations during pregnancy | C.J. van der Woude
Rotterdam |
| 15.15 | Presentation of the Herbert Falk Award | J. Sch olmerich,
Hofheim |
| 15.25 | Herbert Falk Award Lecture | J. Sung,
Hong Kong |
| 16.00 | Coffee break with poster session | |

Session IV Fistulizing disease – avoiding breaking barriers

Chair: M.E. Kreis, Berlin; G. Rogler, Zurich

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| 16.30 | The pathophysiology of fistulising disease | M. Scharl,
Zurich |
| 16.55 | Fistula imaging | H. Yanai,
Petah Tikva |
| 17.20 | Therapy for fistulising disease – medical therapy | A. Dignass,
Frankfurt |
| 17.45 | Surgical therapy | C.J.C. Buskens,
Amsterdam |
| 18.10 | Adipose tissue-derived stem cells and other new therapeutic approaches for fistulizing disease | D. Garcia-Olmo,
Madrid |
| 18.35 | Scientific discussion with snacks | |

► Saturday, October 7, 2017

Session V Luminal versus systemic therapy

Chair: F. Baert, Roeselare; W. Kruis, Cologne

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| 9.00 | Luminal therapy with small molecules | R. Atreya,
Erlangen |
| 9.25 | Taking advantages of our own strategies | J. Wehkamp,
Tübingen |
| 9.50 | New tricks, known drugs | P.D.R. Higgins,
Ann Arbor |
| 10.15 | Pre-, pro- and synbiotics: Update and future directions | L. Godny,
Tel Aviv |
| 10.40 | Coffee break with poster session | |

Session VI The patient in the center of our therapeutic aims

Chair: B. Kaltz, Berlin; M.J. Pierik, Maastricht

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| 11.10 | Presentation of Poster Awards | |
| 11.25 | Real impact of an education program on IBD patients skill's | J. Moreau,
Toulouse |
| 11.50 | Patients perceptions of treatment for IBD | M.D. Long,
Chapel Hill |
| 12.15 | Quality measures in IBD care – multidisciplinary team | M. Ferrante,
Leuven |
| 12.40 | E-medicine and telemedicine – advantages in patient care | P. Munkholm,
Herlev |
| 13.05 | Lunch break with poster session | |



Saturday, October 7, 2017

Session VII

Novel concepts for therapy – monitoring, conflicts, gadgets

Chair: I. Dotan, Tel Aviv; J. Schölmerich, Frankfurt

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| 14.00 | Very early onset IBD – can we translate diagnostic and therapeutic concepts? | H. Uhlig,
Oxford |
| 14.25 | Treatment to target: Is this a meaningful paradigm – PRO | F. Baert,
Roeselare |
| 14.50 | Treatment to target: Is this a meaningful paradigm – CONTRA | G. Rogler,
Zurich |
| 15.15 | Drug monitoring of biologicals: When it makes sense and when it is nonsense | G. Fiorino,
Milan |
| 15.40 | Costs and problems of biological therapy – Do biosimilars change our treatment? | P.L. Lakatos,
Montreal |
| 16.05 | Coffee break with poster session | |

State-of-the-Art-Therapy IBD in 2017

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| 16.30 | One size does not fit all | S. Schreiber,
Kiel |
| 17.00 | Closing remarks | |

Herbert Falk (1924 – 2008)

Herbert Falk was born in 1924 in Müllheim, a small town in South-West Germany between Freiburg and Basle, where his father ran a pharmacy. It was here that Herbert Falk spent his early years, attending primary school and high school up to the 5th grade. His parents then moved to Freiburg, where his father had his own pharmacy. On gaining his university entrance diploma from the Rotteck high school in March 1942, he was immediately called up for military service. During the Second World War he served on the front line in North Africa as a soldier with the Africa Corps and narrowly escaped death several times. At the end of the North Africa campaign, he was captured and transferred to the USA as a prisoner of war, spending his final year of captivity in England. On his release and return to Germany, Herbert Falk studied pharmacy then medicine at the University of Freiburg. He graduated and received his doctor's degree in both subjects. Thereafter, he took over the pharmacy in Freiburg from his father. After several years of success as a pharmacist, Herbert Falk made the decision which would prove so crucial for his future life's journey and founded his own company, producing and marketing pharmaceuticals for application in gastroenterological and hepatological diseases. Within a few years, his abundant energy, determined pursuit of goals, untiring diligence, keen eye for promising research developments, and not least his legendary talent for organization, had turned his pharmaceutical company into a global enterprise world famous in specialist circles. Falk products are meanwhile highly acclaimed not only in Germany and other European countries but also in South America, countries of the Near and Far East, Russia, China and Australia. Herbert Falk's contributions to research were founded not on his own scientific work but on his organization of symposia, workshops and other scientific congresses which he sponsored and promoted to an extraordinary level and with great personal dedication. International symposia, workshops and congresses organized by Falk Foundation have won global recognition.



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- In addition to numerous advanced medical education programs for doctors organized by the Falk Foundation, which are primarily or exclusively concerned with issues of medical practice, the foundation also organizes symposia, workshops and congresses. These feature in-depth lectures and critical discussions on questions and findings of biomedical basic sciences as well as their application in diagnostic measures, diagnostic decision-making, disease prevention and therapy.
- Leading researchers from a particular field and clinical-medical experts are invited to symposia as speakers or discussion leaders, enabling comparison within a field at an international level. The scientific organizers have a completely free hand in their choice of topics and selection of speakers. This gives symposia participants an opportunity to acquire first-hand knowledge of the latest findings in their field

- Symposia of Falk Foundation are the ideal opportunity for representatives of biomedical basic research, clinical research and physicians working in clinic and practice to meet and exchange opinions. Participants benefit enormously from this fertile interchange of personal experiences, critical viewpoints and valuable suggestions for further work.
- Not least, symposia of Falk Foundation are of great significance for the new medical and scientific generation in Germany, since they provide an opportunity for young doctors and scientists to encounter internationally renowned scientists from the field of gastroenterology who can answer their queries and assist their further progress by offering constructive criticism, suggestions and encouragement. A frequent outcome of these encounters is the opportunity for young German scientists to spend a lengthy period abroad as guests in the laboratories or clinical institutions of foreign researchers.

It was Herbert Falk's personality which gave the symposia their unique stamp. His generous support of organizers and speakers, intuitive flair for innovative developments, extraordinary talent for organization and overwhelming hospitality have turned the symposia, workshops and congresses of Falk Foundation into scientific events of international esteem and renown. Herbert Falk received many honors and distinctions for his outstanding achievements as a sponsor of biomedical and clinical research and patron of the upcoming medical scientific generation. These included honorary membership of numerous national and international gastroenterological and hepatological societies. He was made an honorary doctor of the medical faculties of the Universities of Cluj-Napoca (Romania), Basle and Freiburg The German Medical Association commended him for his services by awarding him the Ernst von Bergmann Plakette In 2004, the American Gastroenterological Association (AGA) honored him with its highest distinction: The Lifetime Distinguished Service Award. The portrait of Herbert Falk would not be complete without mentioning some key aspects and traits of his personality. Despite his multifaceted success in the development of his pharmaceutical company and the many honors he received, Herbert Falk remained a man of great humility in his personal dealings with the people around him. His friends and co-workers could rely on him implicitly to fulfill any decision or promise which had been made. He always had an open ear for constructive criticism. His joie de vivre and positive attitude to life remain unforgettable. Especially memorable is the pleasure he took in the culinary delights of kitchen and cellar. On such festive occasions he would strike up the "Badener Lied", the hymn to his beloved native area of Baden. The unique beauty of this countryside - so dear to him from countless hikes through the Black Forest - never ceased to fascinate him This was where he felt at home. This was where he found the strength and inspiration he needed for his work Herbert Falk continued to contribute to the development of his company into a ripe old age. He kept up to date with the latest international research projects in the fields of gastroenterology and hepatology, showing a keen interest, critical discernment and sure instinct for quality. He did not give up his leading role in the company until the end of 2003, when he was nearly 80 years of age. In 2008, a serious illness borne with admirable equanimity brought his life to an end. His memory, life's work and services will live on through the Herbert Falk Prize.

Wolfgang Gerok, Freiburg

International Herbert Falk Award 2017

The International Herbert Falk Award will be presented for the third time by the Falk Foundation e. V. on the occasion of the Symposium 209 in October 2017 in Berlin.

The prize amounts to EUR 40.000,- and is awarded for outstanding contributions to gastroenterology, including advances in diagnosis, therapy and prevention.

Members of the Prize Committee:

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Herbert Falk Prize Winners:

2010 – P. Rutgeerts, Leuven (Belgium)
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Poster Session

Posters will be exhibited on October 6 and October 7, 2017 in the Maritim Hotel Berlin. The authors will be in attendance during coffee and lunch breaks on both days. Set-up of poster session starts on October 5, 2017 at 16.00 h. The authors are asked to mount their poster on Thursday.

Call for Posters

Please submit your poster abstract before **June 30, 2017**. Only one-page abstracts not exceeding 300 words, written in English and saved in Microsoft Word format will be accepted.

Abstracts must be submitted via our Internet Abstract Submission System (<http://www.falkfoundation.org/poster>) where further information regarding the submission format and the submission process is available.

The abstracts will be selected by the scientific organizers, preference being given to those thematically related to one of the sessions of the program.

The accepted abstracts will be printed and distributed to the participants of the congress together with the documents of the meeting.

The authors will receive notification about acceptance and further instructions in **July 2017**.

Contact address for further information on the poster session:

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For the **first author** of an accepted poster, expenses for accommodation (October 5-8, 2017) and fees for the scientific program will be covered during the Symposium 209. Travel expenses will not be covered.

Poster Awards

Three prizes will be awarded for the best poster abstracts. **During the presentation of poster awards, award winners will be asked to give a short presentation (2-5 min.) of their poster.** Award winners will be presented with a certificate and prize money for EUR 1.500,-, EUR 1.000,- and EUR 500,- respectively. Travel expenses will be covered additionally for the first author of an awarded poster.

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Saturday, October 7, 2017

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Congress Fees

Scientific program of Symposium 209 EUR 200,-

For students (copy of student ID required) EUR 100,-

Day Ticket EUR 120,-

For students (copy of student ID required) EUR 60,-

The congress fees include:

- Refreshments during coffee breaks
- Lunch on October 6 and October 7, 2017
- Snacks during scientific discussion on October 6, 2017
- A copy of the abstract volume
- A copy of the final program

Registration

Congress registrations must reach the Falk Foundation e.V. by **July 31, 2017 at the latest.**

After receipt of the registration form each participant will be provided with confirmation of his registration/invoice. On presentation of this confirmation at the congress office in Berlin participants will receive the congress folder containing name badge and the abstract volume.

All participants will receive a written confirmation of attendance and CME credits at the meeting.

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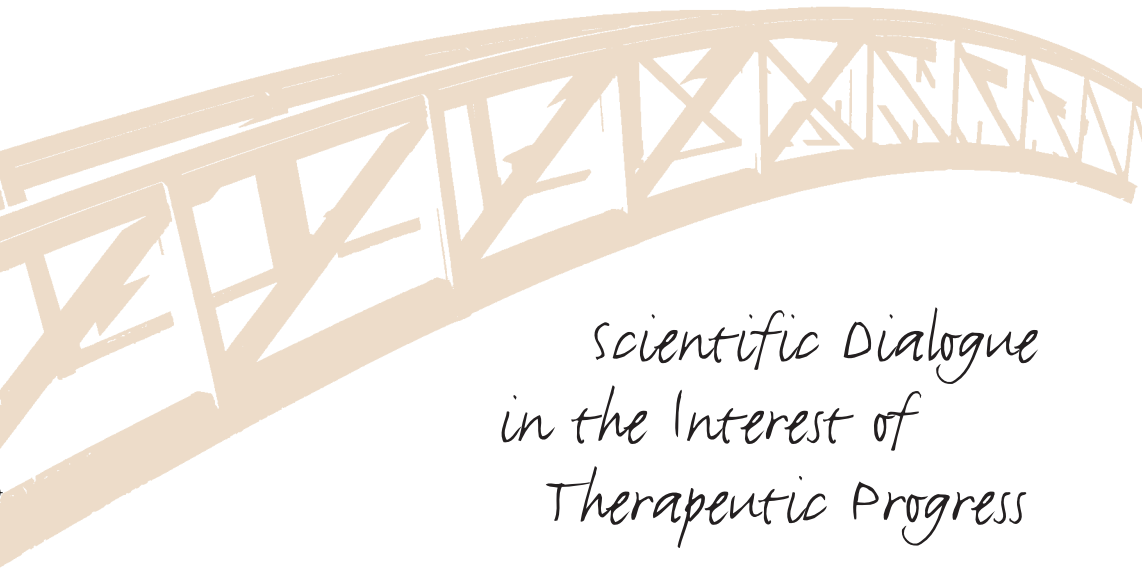
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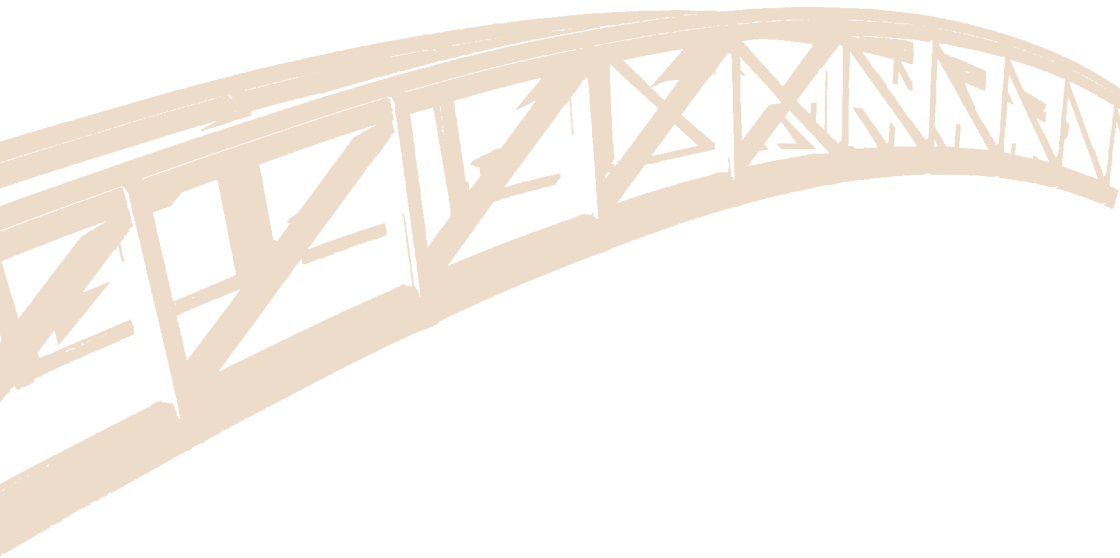
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