



**Monday, 2 July 2007**

- 14.00 – 14.30      **Bernhard Fleischer**, BNI für Tropenmedizin, Hamburg  
“The function of CD83: regulation of murine T cells and B cells *in vivo*”
- 14.30 – 15.00      **K. Natarajan**, ICGEB, New Delhi  
“Immune responses to mycobacteria from secretory antigen-activated dendritic cells“
- 15.00 – 15.30      **Friederike Berberich-Siebelt**, Pathologisches Institut der Universität Würzburg  
“Sumoylation of the transcription factors C/EBP $\beta$  and NFATc1: nuclear relocation and functional consequence for T cells“
- 15.30 – 16.00      **Andreas Radbruch**, Deutsches Rheumaforschungszentrum, Berlin  
“Long-Lived Plasma cells in Immunity and Immunopathology“
- 16.00 – 16.20**      **Coffee break**

*Session II: Tumor and Transplantation Immunology*

- 16.20 – 16.50      **Dieter Kube**, Georg-August-Universität Göttingen  
“Distal Interleukin-10 gene promoter gene variations are related to decreased overall survival in patients with aggressive Non-Hodgkin lymphoma.“
- 16.50 – 17.20      **Shubhada V. Chiplunkar**, Immunology, Advanced Center for Treatment, Research & Education in Cancer (ACTREC), Navi Mumbai  
“Crosstalk of NKT and Regulatory T cells in cervical cancer“
- 17.20 – 17.50      **Peter Terness**, Institute of Immunology, University of Heidelberg  
“Generation of suppressive dendritic cells for control of allograft rejection“
- 19.30**                      **Joint Dinner**

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*Session III: Infection and Immunology*

- 09.00 – 09.30            **B. Ravindran**, Institute of Life Sciences (DBT), Bhubaneswar  
“Identification of a novel innate receptor for helminth antigens on human monocytes“
- 09.30 – 10.00           **Peter Walden**, Charité – University Medicine Berlin  
“Leishmania antigens and serospecificities in visceral leishmaniasis in India“
- 10.00 – 10.30           **Tamás Laskay**, Institut für Med. Mikrobiologie und Hygiene, Lübeck  
“Neutrophil granulocytes and Leishmania infection: Apoptosis as disease promoting factor “
- 10.30 – 11.00           **Christian Bogdan**, Institut für Medizinische Mikrobiologie und Hygiene, Freiburg  
“NK cells, myleoid cells and TLRs in the innate immune response to Leishmania parasites”
- 11.00 – 11.20**            **Coffee break**
- 11.20 – 11.50           **Barbara M. Broeker**, Institut für Immunologie und Transfusionsmedizin, Greifswald  
“Towards the immune proteome of *Staphylococcus aureus* “
- 11.50 – 12.20           **Hans-Dieter Volk**, Institut für Medizinische Immunologie Charité, Berlin  
“Interaction between virus and immune system – from pathogenesis to therapy”

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*Session IV: Anti-Mycobacterial Immunity*

- 12.20 – 12.50                    **Santosh K. Kar**, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi  
“T cell response to *Mycobacterium tuberculosis* lipids in TB patients“
- 12.50 – 13.20                    **Stefan H. E. Kaufmann**, MPIIB Berlin  
“BCG Escaping the Endosome“
- 13.20 – 14.00**                    **Lunch break**
- 14.00 – 14.30                    **H. Krishan Prasad**, All India Institute of Medical Science, New Delhi  
“Modulation of Th 1 cytokine receptors by *M. tuberculosis*: An Immune escape mechanism“
- 14.30 – 15.00                    **U. Sengupta**, National Institute of Medical Statistics (ICMR), New Delhi  
“Role of B Cells in Leprosy Granuloma with Special Reference to Borderline Tuberculoid Leprosy“
- 15.00 – 15.20                    **Ranjana Srivastava**, Central Drug Research Institute, Lucknow  
“A murine infection model of *Mycobacterium fortuitum* to investigate virulence factors, latency, reactivation and screening of drugs“
- 15.20 – 15.40**                    **Coffee break**
- 15.40 – 16.45                    Roundtable Discussion