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Dear Colleagues,

The Center for Vascular Malformations Eberswalde (ZVM) and the Laserklinik at Elisabeth Hospital Berlin are pleased to invite you to an international multidisciplinary conference on the treatment of vascular malformations in children and adults. This two day meeting is sponsored by the German Network on Vascular Anomalies.

There is rising interest amongst the international medical community in the diagnosis and treatment of vascular anomalies. The ever growing numbers of scientific publications and presentations is a clear marker of such interest. Another trend is the understanding that these complex disease processes are best managed by a multidisciplinary team, ideally, in the setting of specialised centers dedicated to these patients.

Our conference will focus on the treatment of various vascular lesions. We will combine short keynote lectures with controversial discussions (two speakers present pro- and con positions with open audience debate), films and case reports; a format allowing vivid thought-provoking debate.

We welcome you to Berlin and hope that you will become a part of our program!

Lutz Meyer (Eberswalde), Milton Waner (New York), Jörg Seemann (Eberswalde), Dieter Hüseman (Eberswalde), Carsten M. Philipp (Berlin)

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 14TH, 2016

Classification
09:00 – 09:30 am Classification – M. Wassef, Paris/F
09:00 – 09:30 am Case Reports: What is this?

Hemangioma and Co. (NICH/RICH etc.)
10:00 – 10:15 am Keynote – J. Rößler, Freiburg
10:15 – 10:25 am Controversy Laser- and Cryotherapy as well as surgery for infantile hemangioma – is there a place for alternative treatments after approval of propranolol?
M. Pleimes, Heidelberg; M. Schneider, Bad Rappenau
10:25 – 10:55 am Discussion

Lymphatic Malformations
12:00 – 12:15 pm Keynote – M. Waner, New York/USA
12:15 – 12:25 pm Controversy Given the success of Sirolimus (Rapamycin) treatment for Lymphatic Malformations, should this drug become the first line therapy for all children with Lymphatic Malformation?
12:25 – 1:00 pm Discussion

Portwine Stain
3:00 – 3:15 pm Keynote – C. M. Philipp, Berlin
3:15 – 3:25 pm Controversy Do we ever “cure” Portwine stains? If so, how often?
A. Troilus Rubin, Malmo/S; C. M. Philipp, Berlin
3:25 – 3:55 pm Discussion

Sirolimus
3:15 – 3:30 pm Keynote – A. Maruani-Raphael, Tours/F
3:30 – 3:40 pm Controversy Is there an endpoint of treatment? If so, what is it?
Sirolimus for Life?
J. Rößler, Freiburg; D. Hüseman, Eberswalde
3:40 – 4:10 pm Discussion
4:10 – 4:40 pm Problem cases

Gala Dinner

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 15TH, 2016

Klippel-Trénaunay und Co.
09:00 – 09:15 am Keynote – R. J. Rosen, New York/USA
09:15 – 09:25 am Controversy Aggressive treatment, including venous embolization and sclerotherapy is warranted and effective in managing KTS versus KTS should be managed conservatively, with compression the mainstay of management
9:25 – 9:55 am Discussion

Venous Malformations
10:00 – 10:15 am Keynote – J. C. López Gutiérrez, Madrid/E
10:15 – 10:25 am Controversy Venous Malformations management: Consensus and protocols versus personalized treatments
R. J. Rosen, New York/USA; M. Waner, New York/USA
10:25 – 10:55 am Discussion

Arterio-Venous Malformations
12:00 – 12:15 pm Keynote – W. A. Wohlgemuth, Regensburg
12:15 – 12:25 pm Controversy Early and aggressive treatment versus conservative treatment first
W. Uller, W. A. Wohlgemuth, Regensburg
12:25 – 1:00 pm Case presentation and discussion

Coffee break