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Welcome Letter

Dear Colleagues,

It is a great pleasure to welcome you at the 11th Annual Meeting of the Lebanese Society of Allergy and Immunology (LSAI) that will be held on October 23-24, 2015 at Hilton Habtoor Beirut, Lebanon.

Ranked as the 4th chronic disease worldwide by the WHO, Allergy is a global health problem.

The alarming increase in the incidence of allergic diseases in the Middle East only would justify holding this congress.

This conference will cover multidisciplinary topics of interest in Immune-allergy.

Eminent international and local speakers will share with us their experience and discuss controversial issues in the field of allergy.

I count on your active participation and I look forward to seeing you in October 2015.

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Local Speakers

Zeina Baz

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Friday, October 23rd

14:30 - 15:30 Registration

Moderators Rafic El Shammaa, Carole Youakim

15:30 - 16:00 Welcome and Introduction

Dr. Elias Khairallah

15:35 - 16:00 Overview of “allergy and allergic diseases:
with a view to the future” *Dr. Elias Khairallah*

16:00 - 16:40 The role of small particles size inhaled steroids in
asthma control *Dr. Michel Akl*

16:40 - 17:10 Update on food allergy *Dr. Zeina Baz*

17:10 - 17:40 Coffee Break

Moderators Carla Irani, Philippe Rouadi

17:40 - 18:20 Management of pediatric chronic rhino sinusitis -
medical/surgical *Dr. Fuad Baroody*

18:20 - 19:00 Overview of allergy to antibiotics *Dr. Andrea Apter*

19:00 - 19:45 Bringing state-of-the-art innovation to the treatment of
allergies *Dr. Ralph Mösges*

Saturday, October 24th

08:30 - 09:30 Registration

Moderators Georges Azar, Zeina Baz

09:30 - 10:00 Allergic conjunctivitis in Lebanon *Dr. Naji Waked*

10:00 - 10:40 Update on pediatric allergic rhinitis *Dr. Fuad Baroody*

10:40 - 11:20 Brain allergy *Dr. Michel Akl*

11:20 - 11:45 Coffee Break

Moderators Pierre Hage, Adnan Hejjaoui

11:45 - 12:25 Occupational asthma and latex allergy *Dr. Carla Irani*

12:25 - 13:05 Tools and techniques for asthma adherence
Dr. Andrea Apter

13:05 - 13:35 Clinical application of GINA guidelines 2015
Dr. Carla Irani

13:35 - 14:35 Lunch

Moderators Marilynne Karam, Ziad Rouhayem

14:35 - 15:15 Chronic rhino sinusitis in adults: Eosinophilic and Non-Eosinophilic *Dr. Fuad Baroody*

15:15 - 15:45 Dust mite allergy: Understanding the disease and its burden *Dr. Fares Zaitoun*

15:45 - 16:15 Phadiatop: See if it is allergic or not *Dr. Adnan Hejjaoui*

16:15 - 16:35 Coffee Break

Moderators Panayotti Karkass, Jocelyne Sassine

16:35 - 17:05 Case presentation in allergy and update on immunotherapy *Dr. Adnan Hejjaoui*

17:05 - 17:35 Case presentation and update on allergic skin diseases
Dr. Pierre Hage

17:35 Closing Remarks

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