

Program

- ▶ Keynote lectures on fundamental methodological and medical topics in complementary medicine
- ▶ Oral and poster presentations of original research on a broad variety of complementary therapies
- ▶ Pre-conference workshops

Submission of abstracts online www.CMR-Muc2007.de
Deadline for Abstract submission December 31, 2006
Info on acceptance of submissions February 15, 2007

Schedule

▶ Friday, May 11, 2007

09.00 – 18.00 pre conference workshops
19.00 welcome reception

▶ Saturday, May 12, 2007

09.00 – 10.30 opening session
11.00 – 13.00 parallel sessions
14.30 – 16.00 parallel sessions
16.30 – 18.00 parallel sessions

▶ Sunday, May 13, 2007

09.00 – 10.30 plenary session
11.00 – 12.30 parallel sessions
14.00 – 15.30 parallel sessions
16.00 – 17.00 closing session

Pre-conference workshops

- ① ISCMR-Workshop
- ② Research networks in the European community (organized by German Forum of Academic CAM Working Groups)
- ③ Systematic review and meta-analysis in CAM – a hands-on workshop (organized by the Centre for Complementary Medicine Research)

Associated event

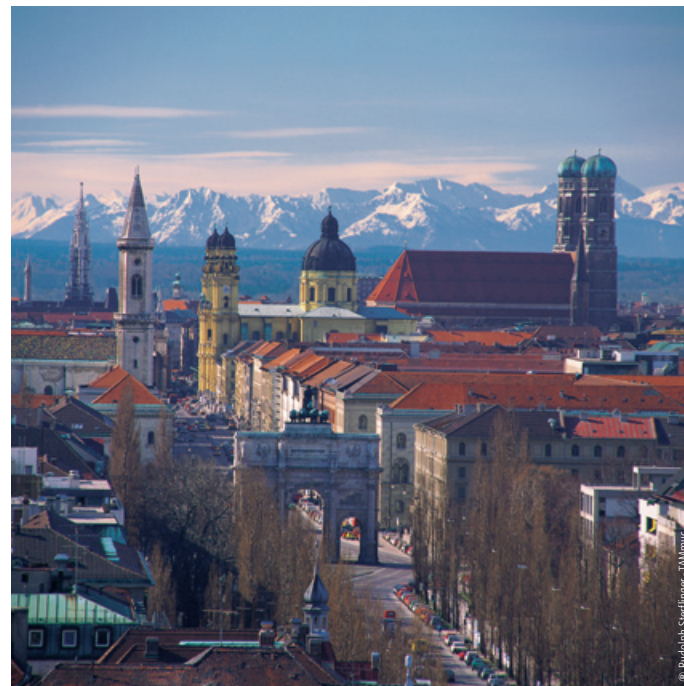
▶ Thursday, May 10, 2007

09.00 – 17.00 Annual meeting of the "Forum universitärer Arbeitsgruppen für Naturheilverfahren und Komplementärmedizin" (German speaking session)
Venue: Carl Friedrich von Siemens-Stiftung, Munich



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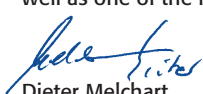


Note from the Congress Presidents

The quantity and quality of research in complementary therapies has increased dramatically over the last decade in parallel with the expertise for evaluating this challenging field. While CAM research (Complementary and Alternative Medicine) is highly heterogeneous, many of the questions and problems within CAM are similar and researchers in general benefit greatly from exchanging of ideas.

In 2003, the International Society of Complementary Medicine (ISCMR) was established to foster co-operative and multidisciplinary research and development within complementary, traditional and integrative medicine. We hope that the ISCMR will continue to become the major international forum for researchers in the field. ISCMR and the Centre for Complementary Medicine Research at the Technical University in Munich are co-organizing a congress which we hope will be the start for regular conferences throughout the world. These conferences will be the forum through which leading CAM researchers present their new findings and discuss future strategies.

We would very much like to invite you to join us in Munich in May 2007 and help to make this conference an "experience" to be remembered as well as one of the highest academic quality.



Dieter Melchart
Director, Centre for Complementary Medicine
Research, Technical University Munich



George Lewith
President, ISCMR
University of Southampton

Aims

- ▶ To bring together the world's leading experts of clinical and basic research in CAM
- ▶ To provide a summary of the state of evidence for the most widespread treatment methods and to present latest results from research
- ▶ To discuss basic evaluative concepts, methodologies and strategies appropriate to CAM
- ▶ To evaluate the contribution of meaning/context effects, self regulation and "specific" effects
- ▶ To discuss the role of CAM for prevention

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General Information

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Congress Venue	University Hospital "Klinikum rechts der Isar" Lecture halls Ismaninger Str. 22, 81675 Munich, Germany
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Congress Fees	Early Registration (until March 1, 2007)
online-registration only	ISCMR-members € 140,- Non-members € 210,-
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