

## INVITATION

Dear Colleague,

The Organising Committee has the pleasure of inviting attend the forthcoming 12th European Conference on Clinical Hemorheology, which will be held in Sofia, Bulgaria between 22nd and 26th June 2003. Participants from different fields and branches in the area of the clinical hemorheology will be welcomed. The Conference aims to continue the work of the previous meetings, involving more active participation of Eastern European countries. The Conference is planned to strengthen the development of the international collaboration not only between scientists in the field of hemorheology from Europe but around the world.

We are looking forward to welcoming you in Bulgaria in June 2003. We sincerely hope that you will find the meeting convinced and rewarding and Sofia will ensure very good conditions for an extensive exchange of views and personal contacts.

## HOST ORGANIZATION

Bulgarian Society for Biorheology  
(Theoretical, experimental and clinical)

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## SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM

The scientific program will review the present status and the recent achievements in the field of clinical hemorheology. It will cover all aspects of the clinical hemorheology from fundamental to practical, from in vivo blood rheology to molecular mechanisms of cellular processes, drug effects etc. The program will be aimed to strengthen the existing knowledge and practice by holding special symposia and sessions. Your proposals organizing symposia will be highly appreciated.

## SCIENTIFIC TOPICS

The topics of interest related to Clinical Hemorheology include, but are not limited to:

- Hemorheology and microcirculation
- In vivo hemorheology and hemodynamics
- Ultrasonography and clinical Hemorheology
- RBC aggregation and deformability
- White cell adhesion to the vascular endothelial cells
- Endothelial factors in atherogenesis as potential therapeutic targets
- Mechanotransduction in hemorheology
- Clinical and applied hemorheology and hemostasis
- Microcirculatory processes in arterial ischemia and diabetes mellitus
- Hemorheological disturbances in cardiovascular, cerebrovascular, renal, respiratory diseases

12<sup>th</sup> EUROPEAN CONFERENCE  
ON CLINICAL  
HEMORHEOLOGY

June 22-26, 2003  
SOFIA, BULGARIA



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12th ICE  
Lisbon  
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12TH INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS  
OF ENDOCRINOLOGY  
AUGUST 31 - SEPTEMBER 4, 2004

UNDER THE AUSPICES OF THE  
INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY OF ENDOCRINOLOGY

The XIVth International Congress on Rheology

August 22 ~ 27, 2004  
COEX Convention Center, Seoul, Korea  
<http://www.icr2004.or.kr>

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Rheology 2004

The Korean Society of Rheology

1st Announcement

23rd European  
Conference  
on Microcirculation

Lisbon,  
Wednesday 8th - Friday 10th  
September 2004

www.microcirculation2004.com