European Scientific Conference on Applied Infectious Disease Epidemiology (ESCAIDE) 2011 – call for abstracts

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The fifth European Scientific Conference on Applied Infectious Disease Epidemiology (ESCAIDE) will take place in Stockholm, Sweden, from 6 to 8 November 2011.

As every year, ESCAIDE 2011 will draw together professionals from around the world to present and discuss developments in infectious disease epidemiology.

The call for abstracts for the conference is now open, and abstracts can be submitted via the dedicated 'call for abstracts' portal on the ESCAIDE website (<http://www.escaide.eu/>). The closing date for submissions is 8 July 2011.

The conference programme includes planned keynote sessions on:

- enhancing health and health equality through vaccination programmes
- the hospital as an infectious disease amplifier
- parasitic infections of increasing relevance for Europe
- infectious disease control in complex emergency situations.

Selected abstracts will be presented in oral sessions covering influenza, tuberculosis, HIV and other infectious diseases, and more general topics related to disease identification and intervention, including disease outbreak investigation methodology and outcomes, surveillance, antimicrobial resistance, vaccine preventable diseases and methods for microbial identification. Other accepted abstracts will be presented as posters.

The final programme details and conference registration instructions will be posted soon on the ESCAIDE website. It is expected that ESCAIDE 2011 participants can receive Continuing Medical Education (CME) credits for attending the conference.

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