

## ANNOUNCEMENTS / DUYURULAR

FIP CONGRESS 2000, VIENNA

The Industrial Highlights

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Monday August 28

14 - 17 pm The impact of new science and technology on pharmacy practice

1. Advances in drug science in the new decade / Douwe Breimer, The Netherlands
2. Opportunities in screening and monitoring / TBA
3. The challenge of genomics in drug therapy -can we afford it? / François Schubert, Canada

Evening : Welcome Reception at City Hall

Tuesday August 29

Evening : Viennese concert at "Musikverein" (FIP)

Wednesday August 30

09 - 12 am Good Storage Practices

1. Presentation of the FIP/WHO guideline (key-elements) on Good Storage Practices (Helga Möller)
2. ICH concept for stability testing and FIP/WHO recommendations: an international approach for storage and labelling? Frans Pieters (Quality Working Party, NV Organon)
3. USP vs FIP/WHO recommendations: How to harmonise? Claudia Okeke (USP)
4. EU vs FIP/WHO recommendations: How to harmonise? Rickard Wanko (Bundesinstitut für Arzneimittel)
5. International Perspectives of WHO, Sabine Kopp-Kubel (WHO, Switzerland)

12 - 14 pm Industrial poster session 1

14 - 17 pm International Harmonisation of Quality

Characteristics for Parenterals

1. Status of Harmonised Monographs: Sterility Testing, Bacterial Endotoxins, Microbial Contamination, Peter Cooney (FDA, USA)
2. Preservative Efficacy Testing A.L. Davidson (UK)
3. Particulate Matter Testing, Mike Groves (USA)
4. Parametric Release, Klaus Haberer (Compliance, Germany)

Evening : IPS Section dinner

Thursday August 31

09 - 12 am Barrier Isolation Technology

- The Future for Parenteral Production?

1. The design of Barrier Technology, Jack Lysijford (Bosch/TL Systems, USA)
2. Vial filling line to automatically load freeze dryer utilizing barrier isolators, Charlotte Enghave (Novo Nordisk Engineering A/S, Denmark)
3. GMP aspects, Andreas Wirth (Novartis Pharma Stein AG, Switzerland)
4. Regulatory aspects, Peter Cooney (FDA)

12 - 14 pm Industrial poster session 2

14 - 17 pm IPS Business Meeting

1. Industrial poster award winner
2. Presentation by Prof. Leuenberger, IPS medal winner
3. Treasurer's report
4. Member assembly/Election of new ExCo members
5. Tea
6. Status of Working Groups and Special Interest Groups (Helga Möller)
7. Preview on Singapore/The Pharmaceutical Industry in South-East Asia

Gala dinner