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Dear Colleagues,

Welcome!

The organizers are very happy to invite researchers to the biennial premier congress of the European Society for Biomedical Research on Alcoholism. The congress will take place in Vienna, in early September, a wonderful month for a Vienna visit with great weather and cultural activities.

The agenda for the congress will deal with recent advances in both basic research and clinical/medical aspects of substance use, abuse, and addiction, as well as the social consequences of addictions. The leading scientists will be invited to give plenary lectures. Most of the presentations will be organized as poster sessions and symposia. The congress will be ideal for researchers, clinicians, and students to interact and to catch up on various topics of biomedical and clinical research related to substance abuse and addiction.

The congress will also be a platform for new and fresh European and world-wide collaborations in these research areas. We hope to be able to organize a scientific program that ignites novel break-through ideas in an innovative and friendly atmosphere.

On behalf of the organizers, I look forward to welcoming you to Vienna in September 2011!

Sincerely yours,
Otto M. Lesch
Congress President
President AUSAM

City of Vienna

Vienna is the capital of the Republic of Austria. It is the country's biggest city and seat of many international organisations (official UN seat, OSCE headquarters). Its 1.65 million inhabitants live in a space of 414 square kilometres.

Vienna's cultural life is multi-faceted. You have the choice of 50 theatres, four opera houses, two stages for musicals, 100 museums and numerous theatre, music and dance festivals. Vienna is known worldwide as a city of music. Quality orchestras and ensembles are its seal of excellence.

The Viennese climate is mildly continental. Often a moderate western wind blows through the city, which may be responsible for the fact that cool days feel even cooler. However, Viennese appreciate the wind because it brings fresh air from the surrounding Vienna Woods to the city. Some winter days may be icy, and some summer days much too hot - but all in all, on most days the weather is much like the inhabitants of the city: friendly, mild and moderate in any case...

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Congress venue, Lecture Centre of the Vienna General Hospital

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