



General Information

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Conference Language

The official conference language will be English.

CME Credits

The conference is certified by the Bavarian Medical Association with continuing medical education credit points.

Travel & Transfer

Travel and transfer information is provided online on www.biodefense.de.



Accommodation

A limited number of military standard rooms will be available on the premises of the Bundeswehr Medical Academy. The rooms will be provided to participants from military and governmental organizations.

Limited numbers of rooms offered at special conference rates have also been reserved in various hotels and can be booked by registered participants stating their registration code. Further details are provided on www.biodefense.de.



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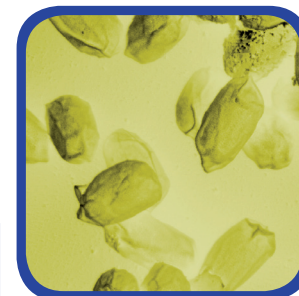


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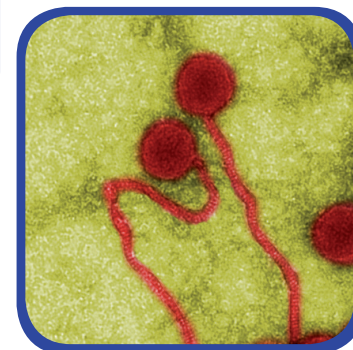
Medical Biodefense Conference

October 13-16, 2020
Munich | Germany

*Honor
the Past*



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Dear Colleagues and Friends:

I have great pleasure in announcing the *17th Medical Biodefense Conference* in Munich from 13 to 16

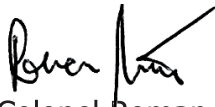


October 2020. "Honor the Past - Embrace the Future" is this year's motto for this unique international event, which is again organized by the Bundeswehr Institute of Microbiology, with the Bundeswehr Medical Academy as its worthy venue. Plan to join us for the opportunity to exchange knowledge and ideas about lessons learned from the past to the latest in high-consequence pathogen research.

Like in the previous years, leading scientists will attend the conference to share their knowledge first hand – a key asset that has strongly contributed to the excellent reputation of the meeting. Hear new and interesting perspectives that will help shaping the future of medical biodefense and the biological threats community.

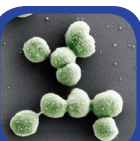
Global interest in our conference has been steadily growing. In 2018 alone, the conference attracted over 500 participants from 53 countries. So do not miss out on this one-of-a-kind opportunity to establish valuable contacts with civilian and military researchers from all over the world.

We look forward to seeing you in Munich!



Colonel Roman Wölfel

Director Bundeswehr Institute of Microbiology



Program

Tuesday, 13 October

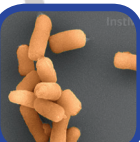
- Registration
- Pre-Conference Workshop
- Get-together reception

Wednesday, 14 October & Thursday, 15 October

- Opening Session
- Plenary Sessions
- Workshops
- Satellite Symposia
- Poster Awards
- Conference Dinner

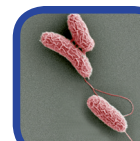
Friday, 16 October

- Workshops
- Farewell



Venue

Bundeswehr Medical Academy
Neuherbergstrasse 11
80937 Munich
Germany



Topics

- Antimicrobials
- Bacteriophage Therapy
- Bioforensics
- Biological Toxins
- Biosafety & Biosecurity
- Educational Sessions & Case Reports
- Genomics
- German Biosecurity Program
- Outbreak Response & Management
- Medical Countermeasures
- Mobile Bio Reconnaissance
- Novel Diagnostic Platforms
- Preparedness & Response Policies
- Vector borne & Zoonotic Diseases



Abstracts & Registration

Registration and abstract submission will be open from 01 February 2020.

The abstract submission deadline will be 10 July 2020. The deadline for registration will be 11 September 2020.