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# EUROSON 2010



Copenhagen

22 – 25 August 2010



10th International Congress on Interventional Ultrasound  
Danish Society of Diagnostic Ultrasound Annual Meeting

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## IMPORTANT DATES

Congress Dates:

22-25 August 2010

Deadline for Abstract Submission:

1 May 2010

Deadline for the Low Registration Fee:

1 June 2010

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# INVITATION

Dear colleagues,

On behalf of the Organizing Committee, it is our great pleasure to invite you to the 22nd EUROSOM Congress hosted by EFSUMB and the Danish Society of Diagnostic Ultrasound to be held in Copenhagen, Denmark 22-25 August 2010.

The Scientific Committee plans to present a variety of exciting and educational features. A main focus point for this EUROSOM congress will be "Innovative Ultrasound". The development of ultrasound has indeed been innovative. If it had not been for pioneer researchers, who dared to challenge the dogmatic beliefs in the early sixties, who dared to use their imagination and who dared to share their knowledge, ultrasound imaging would probably not have been such a successful medical imaging modality now used worldwide for many different purposes by many million users. In Denmark we are proud to say that ultrasound diagnosis plays a significant role in our medical history. The Hans Henrik Holm group took the first step, and since then committed ultrasound enthusiasts has continued the work. We can assure you that we will do our utmost to succeed the previous organized Ultrasound events in recent years hosted here in Copenhagen – the 6th World Congress in Medical Ultrasound in 1991, the 15th European Congress in Medical Ultrasound in 2003 and the total of 9 International Congresses on Interventional Ultrasound with the latest being held in 2006. We hope that this congress will be just as memorable. Our ambition is to provide the right conditions for you to be able to share and exchange knowledge about ultrasound and that this congress will bring us all another step forward in developing medical ultrasound.

We have chosen The School of Architecture of the Royal Academy of Fine Arts for the Congress site location. These buildings radiate charm and reflection. Situated at the waterfront in downtown Copenhagen they provide excellent settings for the scientific program as well as a comfortable short distance from a stroll down the main shopping street "Strøget" and interesting tourist attractions. The waterbus will connect you with the congress venue within a few minutes if you choose to accommodate at one of the excellent congress hotels located downtown Copenhagen.

The social program will be an opportunity to see old friends and make new acquaintances and it will appear as an integrated part of the congress. Just sign up and enjoy!

The Organizing Committee and the Danish society of Diagnostic Ultrasound will do our best to ensure you great congress settings. Together with your active participation we hope it will be a successful congress in terms of a sound scientific program as well as a great social environment enabling new contacts.

We are looking forward to welcome you and your colleagues in Copenhagen in 2010.

Hanne Sønder Grossjohann  
Chairman of the Organizing Committee



Christian Nolsoe  
President of EFSUMB



## ORGANIZATION

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# SCIENTIFIC PROGRAMME

## Clinical areas

Abdominal  
Genitourinary  
Musculoskeletal  
Rheumatology  
Small Parts  
Paediatrics  
Vascular  
Breast  
Gynaecology & Obstetrics  
Emergency & Critical Care Medicine  
Physiotherapy

## Hot Topics and New Technologies

Ultrasound contrast  
Fusion imaging  
Elastography and fibroscan  
Carotid plaque neovascularisation  
3D & 4D Ultrasound  
Interventional Ultrasound  
Ultrasound of periferal nerves  
Surgical Ultrasound  
US-Guided ablation  
New techniques

## Special Focus

### Contrast Enhanced Ultrasound

- Liver lesions
- Renal applications
- Ablation & biopsy
- Trauma
- Organ specific contrast agents

## Surgical and Interventional US

- Transrectal US
- Laparoscopic US
- Endoscopic US
- Intraoperative US
- Biopsy/Drainage
- Tumor Ablation
- Fusion imaging

## Gynaecology & Obstetrics

### - One day symposium 22 August

*Available for all participants at the congress, no extra fee required, but participation must be ticked on the registration form.*

*One-day admission cards can also be purchased. Topics:*

- Ultrasound in the routine gynaecological examination
- Prenatal diagnosis first and second trimester
- Fetal echocardiography
- Fetal physiology

### PowerPoint presentations – Half day symposium 22 August

*Available for all participants at the congress, no extra fee required, but participation must be ticked on the registration form. One-day admission cards can also be purchased. Many use PowerPoint from Microsoft for medical presentations, but most people only know the basics. This symposium aims at bringing you to a higher level. The symposium will be based on the English version of PowerPoint 2007.*

*Tentative programme:*

- Basic rules for layout
- Tips and tricks not commonly known
- How to optimize image size and thereby the size of the presentation
- Why video files are not always working and ways to avoid this – *Michael Bachmann Nielsen*
- Useful programmes and addons that make your life with PowerPoint easier – *Michael Bachmann Nielsen*
- Personal health information – how to avoid in a PowerPoint file – *Michael Bachmann Nielsen*
- Introduction on how to make flash movies and insert them in PowerPoint – *Kristoffer Lindskov Hansen*



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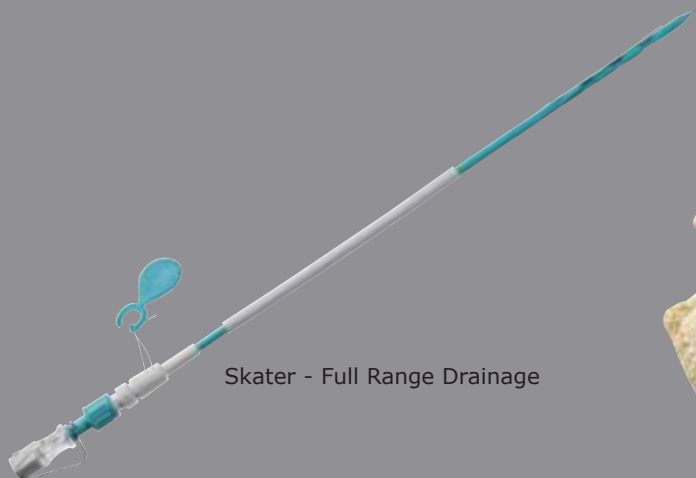
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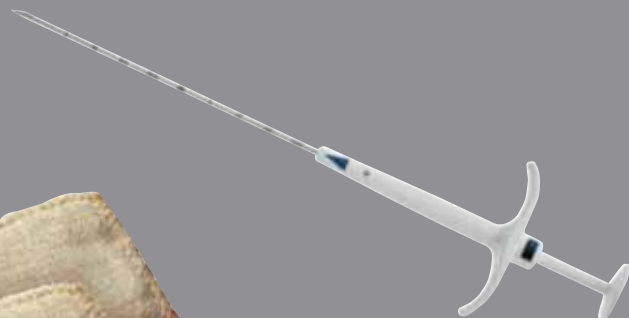
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## **Breast Ultrasound - One-day symposium 23 August**

*Available for all participants at the congress, no extra fee required, but participation must be ticked on the registration form. One-day admission cards can also be purchased.*

Tentative programme:

- Breast Anatomy: the basis for understanding sonography - *Thomas Stavros*
- Digital Mammography: a quick guide
- BIRADS Update: correlation of mammography and ultrasound findings - *Christian Weismann*
- Elastography of the Breast: technique and practical applications, BIRADS correlation - *Giorgio Rizatto*
- Shear Wave Elastography of the Breast - *Mathias Fink*
- 3D-Ultrasound guided breast biopsy: experience with different needles and results - *Christian Weismann*
- Ultrasound Guided Interventions of the Breast: a surgeon's approach - *Pat Whitworth*
  - US guided cryoablation of breast masses
  - Low-risk palpable breast masses removed using a vacuum assisted device under US guidance
  - Sonography and clip placement to correlate SLN with the initial positive lymph node
- Practical MR mammography - *Uwe Fischer*
- MRI-US fusion - *Giorgio Rizatto*
- Ultrasound of Breast Implants - *Thomas Stavros*

WORKSHOP: Diagnostic Ultrasound, elastography, 3D-US-guided biopsies on phantoms, US-guided biopsies using different needles

## **US of the lower limb: Nerves - Ankle and foot - One day symposium Tuesday 24 August**

*Available for all participants at the congress, no extra fee required, but participation must be ticked on the registration form. One-day admission cards can also be purchased.*

Lecturers: Eugene McNally, Michel Court-Payen, Rene De Gautard, Stefano Bianchi

Topics:

- Ultrasound of the nerves of the lower limb
- Ultrasound of the ankle and foot
- Interventional musculoskeletal ultrasound

## **Emergency medicine US – Symposium Wednesday 25 August**

*Available for all participants at the congress, no extra fee required, but participation must be ticked on the registration form. One-day admission cards can also be purchased.*

Topic:

- UltraSound, Airway, Breathing, Circulation and Disability
- New trends in anaesthesiology

## **EUROSON meets ASUM**

ASUM – The Australasian Society for Ultrasound in Medicine – hosted the wonderful and successful world congress in Sydney in 2009. We are proud to highlight ASUM in a special session and happy that so many from Down Under accepted our invitation to lecture in Copenhagen.

## **Honorary Lectures**

- EUROSON Lecture
- DEGUM Lecture
- Therese Planiol Lecture
- Hans Henrik Holm Lecture
- WFUMB Lecture

## **Young Investigator's Award**

The EUROSON Young Investigator's Award is considered for work in the field of clinical and/or basic research. A session with oral presentations will be held on Monday, nomination by ones national society is required to enter the competition.

One or two prizes of €1,000 will be awarded. The names will be published on a notification board by the registration counter shortly after the session has ended. The winning prize also includes a free ticket to the Congress Dinner festive evening at the Restaurant Langelinie Pavillon on Tuesday 24 August where the laureates will be presented and honoured in a speech. The winners are requested to pick up the tickets at the registration desk. The winners will also be presented in an EFSUMB Newsletters.



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### Sono-cave

The Sono-cave is a tutorial in which tutors will be available to demonstrate, on your request, things you have always wanted to see! It is a practical arrangement where experts will guide you through everyday ultrasound challenges or complicated ultrasound issues. Healthy scanning models will be available at each scanning station. The Sono-cave provides you with the opportunity to get acquainted with a variety of ultrasound machines. It is also an opportunity for the exhibiting companies to show their newest technology. An application specialist will therefore be present at their company machine along with the ultrasound expert to optimise the learning experience.

It will be possible to sign up for admission at a specific time slot in the registration form. There will be a limited number of participants for this session.

The sono-cave is open Monday 23 and Tuesday 24 August

## POSTER EXHIBITION

The poster exhibition will take place from Sunday afternoon 22 August until noon Wednesday 25 August. The mounting time is Sunday 22 August 12.00- 18.00. Poster Size allowed is 90 cm (wide) x 110 cm (high), panel format. Posters must be dismounted on Wednesday before noon 25 August. The remaining posters will be destroyed afterwards. It is obligatory that the presenting author is present at the poster during the time of the poster discussion.

Poster sessions (poster walk) will be held in the poster hall on Monday.

The winners of the Poster exhibition will be published on a notification board by the registration counter shortly after the poster sessions have ended. The winning prize is a free ticket to the Congress dinner at the Restaurant Langelinie Pavillon on Tuesday 24 August where the laureates will be presented and honoured in a speech. The winners are requested to pick up the tickets at the registration desk.

## CALL FOR PAPERS

You are kindly invited to submit abstracts describing research work that you wish to present at the congress, either orally or as a poster. Abstracts must be submitted no later than 1 May 2010.

## GUIDELINES FOR SUBMISSION OF ABSTRACTS AND INFORMATION TO PRESENTERS

See our website ([www.euroson2010.org](http://www.euroson2010.org)) for this information.

## PRELIMINARY PROGRAMME AT-A-GLANCE

## SUNDAY 22 AUGUST

Room A	Room B	Room C	Room D		
		Symposium: OBGYN	Symposium: Powerpoint presentations Basic rules for layout Tips and tricks not commonly known How to optimize images		
Coffee					
		Symposium: OBGYN	Symposium: Powerpoint presentations Flash movies Problems with video files Programs/addons		
Lunch					
Ultrasound now and in the future: US technology update 2010		Symposium: OBGYN	Sonographer's session		
Coffee					
Plenum session: EUROSON Lecture Hans Henrik Holm Lecture		Symposium: OBGYN	US of the lungs		
Opening reception in the exhibition area (included in the registration)					

## MONDAY 23 AUGUST

Room A	Room B	Room C	Room D	Room E+F	Poster Hall
Ultraschall in der Medizin session	Symposium: Breast US	Surgical US Endoscopic/laparoscopic US	Pediatrics	Sono-cave	Poster session I
Coffee					
EUROSON meets ASUM	Symposium: Breast US	Tissue ablation I Current status	Abdominal I	Sono-cave	Poster session II
Lunch					
Honorary Lectures DEGUM Lecture WFUMB Lecture Therese Planiol Lecture	Symposium: Breast US	Tissue ablation II The future	New technology I Vector velocity Doppler and other new Doppler techniques	Sono-cave Breast US Symposium	
Coffee					
Contrast agents I Current status & new developments	Symposium: Breast US	Interventional US	Young Investigators Award session	Sono-cave	
Reception at the Copenhagen City Hall (included in the registration)					

## TUESDAY 24 AUGUST

**EUROSON fun-run - join us at 7 am for this early morning run in Wonderful Copenhagen starting at one of the congress hotels**

Room A	Room B	Room C	Room D	Room E+F	
New Technology II Image fusion	Symposium: Muskuloskeletal US Nerves on the lower limb	Breast	Gastro-enterology I	Sono-cave	
Coffee					
Contrast agents II Pros and cons	Symposium: Muskuloskeletal US Nerves on the lower limb	OB-GYN US I	Vascular	Sono-cave	
Lunch					
Contrast agents III Guidelines and recommendations	Symposium: Muskuloskeletal US Ankle/foot	OB-GYN US II	Gastro-enterology II	Sono-cave Muskulo-skeletal	
Coffee					
New Technology III Elastography	Symposium: Muskuloskeletal US Ankle/foot	Abdominal II	US in trauma	Sono-cave	

**Congress Dinner at the Restaurant Langelinie Pavillon (ticket required)**

## WEDNESDAY 25 AUGUST

Room A	Room B	Room C	Room D		
Symposium: UltraSound, Airway, Breathing, Circulation and Disability	Lymph nodes	Safety	Muskuloskeletal I		
Coffee					
Symposium: UltraSound, Airway, Breathing, Circulation and Disability	Liver-pancreas	Nephro-urology	Muskuloskeletal II		
Lunch					
Symposium: UltraSound, Airway, Breathing, Circulation and Disability	Head and neck	Prostate	Abdominal III		



## REGISTRATION

You can register on-line for the Congress. Simply access the Congress website at [www.euroson2010.org](http://www.euroson2010.org) and complete the registration form following the instruction wizard.

You can also download the registration form from the website and send it by mail or fax as soon as possible in order to benefit from the low registration fee to:



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Kindly note that faxed registration forms should not be mailed as well.

### Registration fees in Euro:

	Before 1 June 2010	Between 1 June and 22 July 2010	After 22 July 2010 and On site
<b>Regular fee</b>	500	550	600
<b>Regular fee, EFSUMB member</b>	450	500	550
<b>One day admission</b>	200	225	250

There is no registration fee to be paid for young (below 35 years) presenting authors with an accepted oral presentation

### Entitlements (regular fee)

*Delegates' registration (members and non-members) includes:*

- Participation in the Scientific Programme
- Final Programme & Abstract Book
- Coffee Breaks & Lunches
- Opening Reception at the Congress Venue
- Reception at City Hall

### Payment, Registration Cancellation & Refund Policy

See our website ([www.euroson2010.org](http://www.euroson2010.org)) for this information.

## HOTEL ACCOMMODATION

Hotel rooms in different categories have been reserved for Congress participants. It is anticipated that the hotel situation will be very tight during the Congress. It is, therefore, advisable to reserve rooms as early as possible. Rooms will be allocated on a first come first served basis. Reservations can be made online on the Congress website ([www.euroson2010.org](http://www.euroson2010.org)).

A detailed list of different hotels can be seen on our website ([www.euroson2010.org](http://www.euroson2010.org)), where information about reservation, payment and cancellation also can be found.



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## SOCIAL PROGRAMME

**Sunday 22 August****Opening Reception at the Congress Venue**

Please come join your colleagues for a relaxing get-together including wine & snacks and entertainment at the end of the first day of the congress. The get-together will be combined with the opening of the exhibition.

Attendance is free of charge, but enrolment is required, which you can do when you register.

**Monday 23 August****Reception at Copenhagen City Hall**

The Municipality of the City of Copenhagen has invited the Congress participants and their accompanying persons to a reception at the City Hall. The guests will be welcomed by one of the Mayors of Copenhagen and a large buffet will be served for the guests to enjoy. After the reception participants and accompanying persons can walk through the City Hall Square, enter Tivoli Gardens and enjoy the rest of the evening in these magnificent surroundings. Admission is free.

**Tuesday 24 August****Congress Dinner at the Restaurant Langelinie Pavillon**

A memorable highlight of the congress will be the Congress Dinner that provides an ideal opportunity to mingle and meet other colleagues. The restaurant is located with panoramic views of the entire Copenhagen waterfront adjacent to the Little Mermaid, The Citadel, and The Gefion Fountain – and not far from Amalienborg (Royal Palace), and Nyhavn. The restaurant is fitted and furnished with the very finest in Danish modern design. Tickets must be purchased in advance.

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- 2) Role of contrast-enhanced ultrasound in the blinded assessment of focal liver lesions in comparison with MDCT and CEMRI: Results from a multicentre clinical trial - F. Tranquart et al., European Journal of Cancer Supplements 2008; 6: 9-15.

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## GENERAL INFORMATION

### Congress Venue

The Congress will take place at the School of Architecture of the Royal Academy of Fine Arts situated at the waterfront of Copenhagen. The charming old naval buildings are renovated with auditoria and lecture halls. We expect this historic location to provide an excellent setting for the scientific program.

### Venue Address:

Royal Academy of Fine Arts - School of Architecture  
Danneskiold-Samsøes Allé 51  
DK- 1435 Copenhagen K  
[www.karch.dk](http://www.karch.dk)

### Congress Language

The official language of the Congress is English. No translation services will be provided.

### CME Credits

EFSUMB has approved the congress for 6 CME credits per day, i.e. up to 18 CME credits for the congress.

### Name Badges

Entrance to the congress area and to the various social events will be limited to badge holders only. If the badge is lost, please contact the registration desk. A fee of DKK 50 will be charged for each new badge.

### Banks, Currency & Credit Cards

The currency in Denmark is Danish Kroner (DKK). Most hotels and shops accept all major credit cards. Automated cash machines, which you can use with your credit card, are available all over the city. Banks are open Monday to Friday from 10:00 to 16:00, Thursday to 18:00.

### Registration & Information Desk

Opening hours:

Sunday 22 August:	08:00 – 17:00
Monday 23 August:	07:30 – 18:00
Tuesday 24 August:	07:45 – 18:00
Wednesday 25 August:	07:45 – 12:00

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## Transportation

Copenhagen has an extensive and very reliable network of public transportation. It includes buses, harbour buses, trains and metro. The taxi fare from central Copenhagen to the Congress venue comes to about DKK 180 (€ 24). Taxis accept credit cards and can be booked from the registration desk.

Harbour busses will be organised from the end of Nyhavn to the congress venue (5 min ride) in the morning of 23-25 August and back in the afternoon of 23 and 24 August.

More details about the public transportation can be found on our website.



## Visas

A visa is required for citizens of some countries. Please consult the Danish Embassy or Consulate in your country. For further information, please visit <http://www.udlst.dk/english/default.htm>. Please contact the Congress Secretariat to obtain a Letter of Invitation.

## Insurance

You are requested to arrange your own health and travel insurance. The Congress organizer is not able to take responsibility for any injuries or damages that may occur during the Congress.

## Visiting Copenhagen

Copenhagen is at the cross-roads between Continental Europe and Scandinavia and the Baltic area. The sea and waterfront dominates the city that has kept an old-world charm. The city's old streets and architecture blends in with modern design symbolising its rapid growth. The Royal Opera next to the congress venue offers a magnificent contemporary perspective of Denmark.

The modest size of the city is a great advantage for visitors. The best sights are within the centre which has a bustling pedestrian shopping area called Strøget. Most roads have a bike lane, and compared with other European cities there is little traffic. Visitors may enjoy a leisurely stroll in a relaxed and safe environment – or a bicycle ride using the ubiquitous “free of charge” city bikes.

## COMMERCIAL EXHIBITION

A commercial exhibition will be an important part of the 22nd EUROSÓN Congress. The exhibition is located in areas directly connected to the various meeting rooms. Coffee and lunch will be served in the exhibition area during the intervals between the meetings. Should you be interested in participating as an exhibitor, please do not hesitate to contact the Congress Secretariat:

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## INFORMATION ON THE INTERNET

### About:

The Congress: [www.euroson2010.org](http://www.euroson2010.org)

What to see and do in Copenhagen: [www.aok.dk](http://www.aok.dk)

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