
The 4th International Conference Clinical Ethics Consultation (ICCEC)

Including a

Poster session on education and qualification in clinical ethics consultation

Will take place September 4, 2008, at Rijeka, Croatia, organized by the Co-Chairs

- George Agich, PhD, Professor of Philosophy, Bowling Green State University, Ohio;
- Stella Reiter-Theil, PhD, Professor of Medical and Health Ethics, Medical Faculty Basel, Switzerland; and the local host:
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The program consists of a full day plenary symposium (September 4, 2008, 9 a.m. to 5.30 p.m.) focusing on interdisciplinary case discussions and panels accompanied by a poster session on educational and quality issues of CEC. One major interest of the symposium will be to invite dialogue on Clinical Ethics Consultation and collaboration with the «countries in transition» such as Croatia, Bulgaria, Romania and others.

The preliminary program will be available on the joint conferences website: <http://www.bioethics2008rijeka.info/>

This fourth International International Conference on Clinical Ethics and Consultation (ICCEC) will be held as a satellite conference to the 9th World Congress of the International Society of Bioethics (IAB). This offers a particularly interesting opportunity to join the communities of both Clinical Ethics and Bioethics at an international level. We strongly recommend that you participate in both conferences.

The IAB Congress will run from September 3 to 8, 2008.

The Conference of the European Association of Centres of Medical Ethics (EACME) 2008 will take place on September 25 – 27 in Prague, Czech Republic.

Theme: «Organizing Bioethics: Challenges for Western, Central and Eastern Europe»

Programmes and registration information at: <http://www.eacmeweb.com/file.asp?lang=en&page=conferences/2008.htm&logo=2>

The 9th World Congress of the International Association of Bioethics (IAB) will take place on September 3 – 8 in Rijeka, Croatia.

Theme: «The Challenge of Cross-Cultural Bioethics in the 21st Century».

Satellite meetings include the Feminist Approaches in Bioethics (FAB), Media and Bioethics, 4th International Conferences on Clinical Ethics and Consultation, Bioethics in Nursing, and Ethics of Clinical Drug Trials.

Programmes and registration information at: <http://www.bioethics2008rijeka.info/en/welcome>

La Médecine face au Grand Age – Medizin im hohen Lebensalter

Castelgrande, Bellinzona, Ticino, 27 – 30.8.2008

La Société Suisse d'Éthique Biomédicale (SSEB) organise la 6^e Ecole d'Été d'Éthique Biomédicale en août 2008. Cette école a pour but de donner à des membres de comités d'éthique, ainsi qu'à des praticiens, doctorants et chercheurs en médecine, soins infirmiers, philosophie, droit, sociologie, théologie et bioéthique, la possibilité de se familiariser avec un questionnement de bioéthique dans un contexte interdisciplinaire. Les cours seront donnés en français et en allemand.

Die Schweizerische Gesellschaft für biomedizinische Ethik (SGBE) organisiert im August 2008 die 6. Sommerschule für biomedizinische Ethik. Ziel ist, Mitgliedern von Ethikkommissionen sowie Praktikern, Studierenden und Forschenden aus diversen Fach- und Tätigkeitsbereichen (Medizin und Pflege, Philosophie, Recht, Soziologie, Theologie, Bioethik, etc.) die Gelegenheit zu bieten, sich in einem interdisziplinären Rahmen mit bioethischen Fragestellungen vertraut zu machen. Kursprachen sind Deutsch und Französisch.

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The 10th Annual Meeting of the American Society for Bioethics and the Humanities (ASBH) will take place on October 23 – 26 2008 in Cleveland, OH. Registration will open in August 2008.

Theme: «Future Tense»

Further information at: <http://www.asbh.org/meetings/annual/index.html>