

Wednesday, September 4th, 2024

Workshop: Shaping the Future by Reflecting on the Past: 50 Years of Congenital Anomalies Research

Joint Workshop with Czech Society of Medical Genetics and Genomics

Hermitage Hotel Prague, Meeting Room Verdana

8:30-9:00	<i>Registration</i>
9:00-9:10	Welcome - Prof. Milan Macek Jr, President of the Czech society of Medical Genetics and Genomics
9:10-9:45	Rare diseases in the Czech Republic <i>Milan Macek Jr</i>
9:45-10:10	Surveillance of congenital anomalies in the Czech Republic: Six decades of experience <i>Antonin Sipek Jr</i>
10:10-10:40	60 years of the Hungarian Congenital Abnormality Registry: Review of the function, challenges, value, and current role <i>Csaba Siffel</i>
10:40 - 11:10	<i>Coffee break</i>
11:10-11:40	From Karyotypes to Genomes: The Evolution of Cytogenetics <i>Jana Drabova</i>
11:40-12:00	A personal historical reflection on ICBSR activities <i>R. Brian Lowry, MD</i> <i>Retired Medical Program Director, Alberta Congenital Anomalies Surveillance System (ACASS)</i> <i>Professor Emeritus, Department of Medical Genetics, University of Calgary, Canada</i> <i>(Pre-recorded)</i>
12:00-12:40	History of Metabolic Medicine in the Czech Republic <i>Jiri Zeman</i>
12:45	Group photo
12:50-13:50	<i>Buffet Lunch</i>
13:50-14:20	Review of maternal, environmental, and genetic risk factors associated with gastroschisis <i>Marcia Feldkamp</i>
14:20-15:00	Current State and Prospects of Czech Obstetrics <i>Pavel Calda</i>
15:00 - 15:30	<i>Coffee break</i>
15:30-16:15	Molecular genetics and developmental biology uncover the teratogenic mechanisms: thalidomide <i>Frantisek Liska</i>
16:15	Closing