CONNECT 2021
CONNECTIVE TISSUES IN SPORTS MEDICINE
3rd International Congress
March 26th / 27th, 2021

Latest Update

Now – Online-Congress
Due to the actual international COVID 19–situation and the current hygienic restrictions, CONNECT 2021 will be held as an Online-Congress.

We invite you to book now.

Book now to reserve your place

2-Day Scientific Conference
Clinicans       EUR 250,00
Students, Presenters EUR 70,00

Workshop*
Full day       EUR 99,00
Half day       EUR 59,00

* Workshops can only be booked in combination with congress ticket

Technische Universität München
Munich, Germany
www.connect2021.com
CONNECTIVE TISSUES IN SPORTS MEDICINE

3rd International Congress
March 26th / 27th, 2021
Congress & Workshop Fee
Scientific Conference
Clinicians (2 days) Early Bird: EUR 390,00 After Mid. 2020: EUR 440,00
Clinicians (1 day) Early Bird: EUR 300,00 After Mid. 2020: EUR 300,00
Members of Fascia Research Society Early Bird: EUR 390,00 After Mid. 2020: EUR 390,00
Students (2 days) Early Bird: EUR 300,00 After Mid. 2020: EUR 300,00

Workshops*
Full day Early Bird: EUR 130,00 After Mid. 2020: EUR 180,00
Half day Early Bird: EUR 75,00 After Mid. 2020: EUR 110,00

* Pre-conference Workshop – March 25, 2021
* Post-conference Workshop – March 28, 2021
* Can only be booked in combination with congress ticket

Organization Committee
Torsten Pohl
Elke Leder
Cosmina Krieger
Email connect2021@sg.tum.de

Call for Abstracts
www.connect2021.com
Deadline for Abstract submission: 15th October 2020

Congress Language
Congress Language English
Mit deutschsprachiger Simultanübersetzung
Headsets werden vom Veranstalter gestellt.

Audimax of the TUM
Arcisstr. 21, 80333 D-Munich

Scientific Committee
Prof. Dr. Thomas Horstmann
Prof. Dr. Jürgen Steinacker
Prof. Dr. Werner Klingler
Dr. Robert Schleip
Prof. Scott Wearing
Prof. Carla Stecco
Prof. Constantinos Maganaris
Prof. Paul Hodges
Prof. Adamantios Arampatzis
Ass. Prof. Mette Hansen

Connect2021: Connective Tissues in Sports Medicine
3rd International Congress
March 26-27, 2021
Technische Universität München
Munich, Germany
Dear friends and colleagues,

It is a pleasure to welcome you in March 2021 at the Technical University of Munich for the third CONNECT congress, after two successful congresses at the University of Ulm.

Physical training not only strengthens the cardiovascular system, but also the musculoskeletal system. While skeletal muscles are intimately related to connective tissues, it is the fibrous connective tissue components, which often suffer pathology from athletic overload. Across many biological fields, including sports medicine, new research is highlighting the important role connective tissues play in health, well-being and disease.

The 3rd CONNECT Congress at TUM, draws research across a number of biological fields to focus on „Connective Tissues in Sports Medicine“. It explores emerging research on the role of fascia from a clinical, molecular and biomechanical standpoint, to strengthen the exchange and dialogue between all research fields.

The organizing committee managed to bring together an outstanding international list of some of the biggest experts in the exploration of the connective tissue as key note speaker.

The Congress aims to CONNECT scientists, sports medicine practitioners, physicians, therapists, coaches and sports administrators, to translate the latest scientific results findings into athletic and therapeutic practice.

With collegial greetings

Prof. Dr. med. Thomas Horstmann
Dr. Robert Schleip

Key Note Speaker

Prof. Adamantios Arampatzis | DEU
Prof. Arampatzis’ research is focused on the adaptation of muscle-tendon-units, neuromuscular control, movement efficiency and dynamic stability control.

Prof. Keith Baar | USA
Prof. Baar is a researcher in the field of molecular determinants of musculoskeletal development and the role of exercise in improving health and performance.

Prof. Irene Davis | USA
Prof. Davis studies the relationship between lower extremity structure, mechanics and musculoskeletal injury with special focus on interventions to mitigate contributing facors to injury.

Prof. Martin Fischer | DEU
Prof. Fischer is a zoologist, evolutionary biologist and focuses on movement research. He is one of the founder of X-ray fluoroscopy.

Prof. Mette Hansen | DNK
Ass. Prof. Hansen’s research is focused on the interplay between sex hormones, nutrition and physical activity/training on skeletal muscle and performance.

Prof. Paul Hodges | AUS
Prof. Hodges researches on movement control, pain and rehabilitation with an approach from molecular biology to brain physiology.

Prof. Thomas Horstmann | DEU
Prof. Horstmann is a specialist for orthopedics, traumatology and sports medicine and focuses his research on diagnostics and therapy.

Prof. Michael Kjær | DNK
Prof. Kjær researches on the influence of mechanical loading or lack thereof upon the tendon tissue.

Prof. Constantinos Maganaris | GBR
Prof. Maganaris’ research interest lies on the mechanical properties of muscles and tendons and the way they interact to produce forces and movement.

Ph.D Carles Pedret | ESP
Carles Pedret MD is a specialist in sports medicine and musculoskeletal ultrasound and external consultant of multiple professional football clubs.

Dr. Robert Schleip | DEU
Dr. Schleip is a researcher in the field of connective tissues and the fascial network of the human body.

Prof. Olivier Seynnes | NOR
Prof. Seynnes is a researcher in the field of musculotendinous function and adaptations to exercise, disuse and ageing.

Prof. Carla Stecco | ITA
Prof. Stecco focuses her studies on the anatomy of the human fasciae from macroscopic, histological and physiopathological point of view.

Prof. Jürgen Michael Steinacker | DEU
Prof. Steinacker is a specialist for internal sports medicine and sports cardiology with scientific focus on on inflammation syndromes, muscle adaptation and performance.