

Invitation
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International Congress

Berlin, April 5 to 8, 2011

The Chernobyl Catastrophe: Taking Stock of 25 Years of Ecological and Health Damages

- Organizers:** **German Society for Radiation Protection (Gesellschaft für Strahlenschutz e.V.)**
We acknowledge the cooperation and support of
Association „Physicians of Chernobyl“, Ukraine
International Physicians for the Prevention of Nuclear War (IPPNW), German Section
European Committee on Radiation Risk (ECRR)
Strahlentelex
- Location:** Charité University Hospital Berlin, Campus of Virchow Clinical Center
Lecture theatre of Pathology, Research House, Forum 4
Augustenburger Platz 1, D-13353 Berlin, Germany
- Schedule:** **Jan. 31, 2011:** Deadline for lectures and posters (abstracts)
Mid-February 2011: Announcement of accepted lectures and posters
Feb. 28, 2011: Deadline for full texts to be included into the publication of proceedings
Mid-March 2011: Mailing of Conference Program
April 5 – 8, 2011: International Congress at the Charité University Hospital Berlin, Campus of Virchow Clinical Center
- Organization and Coordination:** Gesellschaft für Strahlenschutz e.V. (GSS)
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- Participation Fees:** 120,- EUR (including conference documents, volume of abstracts, coffee and tea during breaks)
for members of GSRP: 80,- EUR
for students or jobless participants: 40,- EUR
EUR 20,- for additional volume of abstracts including postage
- Banking Connection:** GSS-Congress Account, Account No. 527 236 2019
With: Berliner Volksbank, BLZ 100 900 00
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- Conference Languages:** German, Russian, English (with simultaneous translation at the conference)
- A show of posters is planned.

A quarter of a century has passed since the Chernobyl nuclear power station disaster. Its consequences have been dismissed, hushed up, belittled and ignored. The nuclear lobby and politicians make light of the dangers of low dose radiation by purposeful propaganda and persistent concealment. Operation times for nuclear power stations in Germany were prolonged against the manifest will of the people.

A special focus will be on non-cancerous diseases and on genetic damages as consequences of the disaster. Experts from Ukraine, Russia, Belarus, Germany and England will present their research and experience. Lectures and discussions will be translated simultaneously. If you want to present a paper or poster, please let us have an abstract by the end of January 2011.

Problems and Agenda:

- Consequences for human health in Ukraine, Belarus, Russia.
- Consequences for human health in other European countries: Observed health effects in other European countries shall be reported on to obtain a comprehensive survey.
- Structural background, international information policy and international programs to cope with the consequences of Chernobyl: How reliable are international bodies such as ICRP, WHO, EURATOM, UNSCEAR and IAEA?

The conference is primarily addressed to further education of physicians, scientists of relevant disciplines and journalists. But we also invite interested citizens, representatives of Chernobyl initiatives and politicians to get a broader perspective on the scientific foundations of their efforts in radiation protection or in alleviating radiation damages.

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Please append abstract no longer than 300 words as paper-copy and CD or disk by Jan. 31, 2011. In addition, please mail to: Pflugbeil.KvT@t-online.de

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