**Important Dates**

Call for Abstracts – 05 June 2014  
Abstracts received after the deadline will NOT be considered for oral presentations, however, they could be accepted for poster presentations.  
Notification of Acceptance – 30 June 2014  
Conference Early Bird Registration – 15 July 2014  

For more information go to www.eupfi.org

**Topics for oral and poster presentations**

1. Developing paediatric drug formulations  
2. Excipients  
3. Taste Masking and Taste Testing  
4. Administration Devices  
5. Extemporaneous and Industry Verified Preparations  
6. Age Appropriateness of Formulation/Compliance-Adherence Issues  
7. Formulating Paediatric Medicines for Developing Countries  
8. Lessons Learned from PIP Submissions.

3. Poster presentation awards sponsored by PCCA will be donated.

**Exhibition and Sponsoring**

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1,275 EUR

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1,075 EUR

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945 EUR

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715 EUR  
815 EUR

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Students (please enclose evidence)  
215 EUR  
245 EUR

Non-Member + Member (Non-Academic, Non-Governmental)  
2,025 EUR  
2,125 EUR

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1,865 EUR

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1,535 EUR  
1,635 EUR

For organisational questions  
Website: www.apv-mainz.de  
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Set up and poster mounting times:  
15 September 2014 12:00

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**Conference**

The conference should be

**Registration**

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You will receive a confirmation of your registration with the invoice.

**Preconference workshops**

- Introduction to development pharmacology  
- Introduction to regulatory framework/quality section of PIPs

**Soap box sessions**

- Poster session  
- Exhibition

**Preliminary conference programme**

17 to 18 September 2014  
Athens, Greece  
Course No. 6558

**Keynote Speakers**

- Nathalie Rahmanna, Children’s National Medical Center  
- Sandra Klein, University of Greifswald  
- Sonja Skopp, Mœrs KGAG  
- Terry Erment, GSK  
- Herbert Wachtel, Boehringer Ingelheim

**Formulating better medicines for children**

Meeting the needs of the children
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