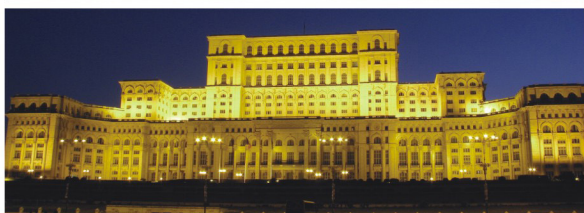




BCLF 2011

BUCHAREST, 21-23 SEPTEMBER 2011

FIRST ANNOUNCEMENT



19TH MEETING
OF BALKAN
CLINICAL
LABORATORY
FEDERATION

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- Gheorghe Benga, Member, Romanian Academy, Member, Academy of Medical Sciences of Romania, President of BCLF, Romania

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- Gheorghe Benga

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- Corin Badiu, Executive President of the Romanian Neuro Psycho Endocrinology Society
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- Lucian Negura
- Maria Puiu, President of the Romanian Society of Medical Genetics (RSMG)
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- Orestes Tsolas, BCLF Board Honorary Individual Member, Greece
- Kamen Tzachev, Bulgaria
- Mira Winterhalter-Jadrić, Bosnia and Herzegovina
- Dogan Yucel, Turkey

The 19th BCLF MEETING is organized under the auspices of the:



- IFCC - International Federation of Clinical Chemistry and Laboratory Medicine



- WASPaLM - World Association of Societies of Pathology and Laboratory Medicine



- EFCC - European Federation of Clinical Chemistry and Laboratory Medicine
- Academy of Romanian Scientists
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PRELIMINARY SCIENTIFIC TOPICS

- Education and training of specialists in laboratory medicine
- Accreditation of medical laboratories
- Quality control in laboratory medicine
- Molecular biology in diagnosis
- Genetic explorations (cytogenetics, biochemical genetics, molecular genetics)
- Inborn errors of metabolism
- Cardiovascular diseases, biochemical markers
- Lipids and lipid metabolism
- Metabolic syndrome
- Laboratory endocrinology
- Renal diseases, laboratory explorations
- Tumor markers and molecular diagnosis of cancer
- Hematology and coagulation
- Bone metabolism and diseases
- Infectious diseases
- Microbiology, antimicrobial susceptibility
- Proteins and proteomics
- Pharmacogenetics and personalized medicine
- Immunoassay and flow cytometry
- Point-of-care testing
- Trace and toxic elements

DATES TO REMEMBER

September 21-23, 2011:	Meeting dates
May 1, 2011:	Deadline for "Early bird" (reduced) registration fee
August 15, 2011:	Deadline for Regular registration fee
August 21:	Deadline for abstract submission

REGISTRATION FEES

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Delegates	Eur 150	Eur 180	Eur 200
Members of RSLM	Eur 100	Eur 130	Eur 150
Residents/ Stagiaires/Technicians	Eur 75	Eur 90	Eur 100
Students	Eur 15	Eur 20	Eur 25
Accompanying persons	Eur 100	Eur 100	Eur 100

VENUE

The 19th BCLF meeting will be held in Rin Grand Hotel, in Bucharest, Romania

CITY

Romanian legend has it that the city of Bucharest was founded on the banks of the Dambovită River by a shepherd named Bucur, whose name literally means "joy." His flute playing reportedly dazzled the people and his hearty wine from nearby vineyards endeared him to the local traders, who gave his name to the place. Known for its wide, tree-lined boulevards, glorious Belle Époque buildings and a reputation for the high life (which in the 1900s earned its nickname of "Little Paris"), Bucharest Romania's largest city and capital, is today a bustling metropolis, with many universities and research institutes, with old and new monuments and many outstanding museums waiting for your visit. A tour of Bucharest will be organized for participants in the BCLF Meeting.

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