

List of invited speakers (as of 31.03.2010)

1. Andrew Bush (UK) - Professor of Paediatric Respiriology, Imperial College, Academic Director of Pediatrics at the National Heart and Lung Institute, and Honorary Consultant Pediatric Chest Physician at the Royal Brompton Hospital, UNITED KINGDOM
2. Marc Zelter (FR) - Université Pierre et Marie Curie, Service de Pneumologie, Centre Hospitalier de Meaux, Paris, FRANCE
3. Gernot Rohde (NL) – Professor, Maastricht University Medical Center, Head of Infectious Department, Maastricht, NETHERLANDS
4. Ali Kocabas (TR) – MD, Professor, President of FEMTOS, Cukurova University School of Medicine, Adana, TURKEY.
5. Nikolai Khaltaev, (CH) – MD, ARIA, GARD responsible officer, World Health Organization, Geneva, SWITZERLAND
6. Kosta Kostov (BG) – Professor, President of the Bulgarian Society of Respiratory Diseases, Military Medical Academy, Sofia, BULGARIA
7. Danail Petrov (BG) – Professor, Council Member of the European Society of Thoracic Surgeons, Saint Sophia University Hospital of Pulmonary Diseases, Clinic of Thoracic Surgery, Sofia, BULGARIA
8. Arunas Valiulis (LT) - President of the LPRS, Vilnius City University Hospital, LITHUANIA
9. Richard Light (USA) - Professor of Medicine, Vanderbilt University, Director of Pulmonary Disease Program, St. Thomas Hospital, Nashville, Tennessee, USA
10. Demosthenes Bouros (GR) - University General Hospital of Alexandroupolis, Democritus University of Thrace, Medical School, Alexandroupolis, GREECE
11. Eli Magen (IL) - Medical director, Leumit Health Services, Barzilai Medical Center, Ben Gurion University of the Negev, ISRAEL

12. Alexander Chuchalin (RU) – Professor, President of the Russian Respiratory Society, Moscow, RUSSIA
13. Andrei Belevsky (RU) – Professor, Chief pulmonologist of Moscow, Moscow, RUSSIA
14. Mikhael Narimanian (AM) – Professor, Head of FM Department of the YSMU, Yerevan, ARMENIA
15. Magda Eghiazarian (AM) – Professor, Head of Anesthesiology and Critical Medicine Department of the YSMU, Yerevan, ARMENIA
16. Talant Sooronbaev (KG) – Professor, President of Kyrgyz Thoracic Society, Head of Scientific Committee of Euro Asian Respiratory Society, Head of Respiratory and sleep medicine department of National Centre of Cardiology and Internal Medicine, Bishkek, KYRGIZSTAN
17. Eljan Mamedbekov (AZ) – Professor, Director of the Research Institute of Lung Diseases, Head of the Phtisiatric Chair of the State Advanced Training Institute, Baku, AZERBAIJAN
18. Adalyat Abdullayev (AZ) – MD, Chief of the Azerbaijan Respiratory Society, Head of Department of Pulmonology of the Central Hospital of Oil Workers, Baku, AZERBAIJAN.
19. Suzanne S. Hurd (USA) – PhD, Scientific director of the Global Initiative for COPD (GOLD), USA
20. Claude Lenfant (USA) - MD, PhD, Professor, Executive Director, Global Initiatives for Asthma and for Chronic Lung Disease, member of the Board of Directors of the Clinical Research Institute of Montreal (IRCM), USA