

# 1<sup>st</sup> Balkan School of Clinical Paediatric Endocrinology

Veliko Gradiste, Serbia, November 7<sup>th</sup>-10<sup>th</sup> 2019

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Dear colleagues,

on behalf of the Serbian Paediatric Endocrine Society (SPES), please receive this invitation to apply for the 1<sup>st</sup> Balkan School of Clinical Paediatric Endocrinology (BSCPE).

The aim of the BSCPE School is to support early-career or in-training paediatric endocrinologists as well as younger paediatricians oriented towards paediatric endocrinology and diabetology. The School will be held for up to 25 students over 4 days, and will cover topics mainly related to paediatric diabetes, and hyperinsulinism. The lectures will be held by renown experts in the field, and the lectures will be clinically oriented, in order to provide practical, clinically applicable knowledge. The program will be supplemented by the teachers' cases discussions in small interactive groups, as well as presentations of case reports by the students. The meeting will be conducted in English and a good command of this language is required for attendance. All students are expected to stay during the time of the entire course. Please find the draft version of the program attached.

Students will arrive to Belgrade, Serbia on the day of 7<sup>th</sup> November. They will be met at Belgrade meeting points (airport, train or bus station) and transferred by bus or taxi to the School venue – Danubia Park Hotel at Veliko Gradiste (<http://en.srebrnojezero.com/>). The School venue is located at the beautiful Silver Lake resort, 130 km from the Belgrade airport (approx. 90-minute bus ride).

The School is organized by the SPES, with the support by an unrestricted educational grant from Novo Nordisk Pharma d.o.o. and Roche Diabetes Care. Accommodation costs and meals will be provided free of charge to all participants. For students unable to acquire sponsorship or grant from another source to cover their travel costs, SPES can provide travel grants to cover the travel expenses up to a maximum of 200 Euros per student. These travel fees will be reimbursed in Euros upon arrival of students and presentation of ticket cost receipts.

Applications should be sent to the School coordinator, Rade Vukovic, Belgrade, Serbia, email: [radevukovic9@gmail.com](mailto:radevukovic9@gmail.com) not later than Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> May 2019. Applications should include completed, printed, signed and scanned application form (attached), a brief CV (maximum 2 pages), student's photograph (jpg) and a letter of recommendation from the head of the department. Applications should be submitted exclusively by e-mail. They will be assessed by the BSCPE Steering Committee, and applicants will be notified of their acceptance by July 2019.

*We are looking forward to receiving your applications!*

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