MOVE Newsletter

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MOVE-ACTA Meeting on Oral Regenerative Medicine on 1 april 2011
The final program is ready and can be found on the 2nd page of the newsletter. Please register for the meeting on www.move.vu.nl/scientific-meetings/registration/

Daan Bregman First Runner Up at the 3rd DUTCH BME Conference
Daan Bregman received the first runner up price of € 250, for his Oral Presentation ‘The Energy Cost of Walking can be Optimized by Choosing the Correct Ankle Foot Orthoses Stiffness’. His co-authors were Vincent de Groot, Carel Meskers, Marjolein van der Krogt, Martijn Wisse, Steven Collins and Jaap Harlaar. The meeting was held at Egmond-aan-Zee on January 20-21st.

KNGF grant
Janne Veerbeek from the Department of Rehabilitation Medicine at the VUmc has received a grant from the Royal Dutch Society of Physical Therapy (KNGF) for updating the Stroke guidelines for Physical Therapy published in 2004. Apart from updating the scientific evidence on stroke rehabilitation, the new edition of this guideline will cover new topics like innovative interventions (e.g. robotics, combination therapies) and is aimed to be a ‘live guideline’ which will be updated online every two years. In addition, the guideline will be imbedded within the European (EFNR) and World Federation of Neuro Rehabilitation (WFNR). To achieve this, intensive collaboration will take place with experts in this field in Europe, Australia and North America.

ECSS to Amsterdam
We are very pleased to announce that the annual Congress of the European College of Sport Science (ECSS) in 2014 has been awarded to Amsterdam. The congress will take place from 5-9 July and will be organized by Arnold de Haan (MOVE), Peter Beek (FBW) and Willem van Mechelen (EMGO+).

New Members
New PhD students:

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Program:
09:00  Registration, coffee
09:25  Welcome (V. Everts, J. Klein-Nulend)
09:30  Tissue engineering, general (G.J. van Osch, ErasmusMC, NL)
10:00  The role of collagen in bone apatite formation in the presence of hydroxyapatite nucleation inhibitors (N.A.J.M. Sommerdijk, TUE, NL)
10:30  Coffee/tea break
11:00  Mechanical considerations in cartilage tissue engineering (C.C. van Donkelaar, TUE, NL)
11:30  Osteoinductive bone substitute for bone regeneration (Y. Liu, ACTA, NL)
12:00  Stem cell-mediated tooth growth and repair (P. Sharpe, Kings College London, UK)
12:30  Lunch
13:30  Foreign body reaction in tissue engineering (R.A. Bank, UMCG, NL)
14:00  The secret of the smile: it’s all about dental stem cells (T.A. Mitsiadis, Univ. Zurich, Switzerland)
14:30  Coffee/tea break
14:45  Oral tissue engineering for wound healing and in vitro assays (S. Gibbs, VUmc, NL)
15:15  Adipose stem cells and bone/cartilage regeneration (M.N. Helder, VUmc, NL)
15:45  Drinks

The program allows ample time for discussion. We aim for an informal atmosphere, to foster discussion and the exchange of new ideas, theories, and techniques, and an audience of about 100 participants.

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