

**Travelling to Berlin**

Berlin is easy to reach, regardless if you go by plane, train, or car.

There are two airports in Berlin, Tegel (TXL) in the northwest, 7 km from the International Congress Center (ICC) / 5 km from City West, and Schönefeld (SXF) in the south, 22 km from ICC / 20 km from City West. 75 different airlines operate flights from 115 destinations in 45 countries.



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**Berlin Capital City**

Berlin is today Germany’s dynamic, cosmopolitan, and creative capital where many lifestyle choices have become possible. East meets West, tradition and innovation coexist in the metropolis at the heart of a changing Europe. In no other European city there is a higher concentration of scientific institutions than Berlin.

More than 170 museums in Berlin provide a rich cultural landscape, including the Pergamon Altar, the bust of Nefertiti, and a speck of the Wall at Checkpoint Charlie.

The biggest department store of the European continent, the ‘KaDeWe’ is located at the famous shopping mile Kurfürstendamm. Further popular shopping areas are e.g. Potsdamer Platz, the Alexanderplatz, the Nikolaiviertel, Friedrichstrasse, and Spandau.

Berlin is a vibrant city which offers a great platform for many other activities around the Conference that will make your participation a memorable event.

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**27<sup>th</sup> INTERNATIONAL  
 PAPILOMAVIRUS CONFERENCE  
 AND CLINICAL WORKSHOP**

**September 17-22, 2011**

Clinical Workshop and Main Conference

**September 16, 2011**

Preclinical Workshop “Gynecologic Oncology”

**Abstract submission**

Opens December 15, 2010

Closes May 16, 2011

**Registration**

Opens December 15, 2010

Closes August 27, 2011

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Willkommen  
Bienvenidos

## Welcome to Berlin!

Dear colleagues, dear friends!

The International Human Papillomavirus Conference and Clinical Workshop will be held in Berlin, Germany, on September 17-22, 2011.

The meeting was designed to meet two challenges

- the definition of future directions of papillomavirus research and
- a transition of responsibility to young researchers – the next generation.

The meeting will be preceded on Friday September 16th by a pre-clinical workshop “Gynecologic Oncology” introducing state-of-the-art surgical methods and discussing best practice for patients with malignant disease.

Traditionally, the International Papillomavirus Conference consists of two parts emphasizing educational/clinical workshop presentations and debating basic and applied research in the Main Conference.

The Clinical Workshop will be combined with the Public Health Workshop on Saturday September 17th featuring general information on all essential topics and important aspects of papillomavirus research. On the second day Sunday 18th, you will have the opportunity to choose from concurrent sessions deepening your knowledge in clinical aspects or in public health related issues.

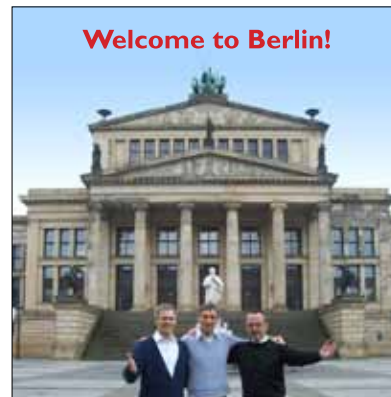
On this day also the Main Conference will commence emphasizing on basic research subjects. This will give you the opportunity to experience all levels of most recent papillomavirus research and up-to-date background knowledge.

From Monday 19th through Wednesday 21st there will be three parallel tracks devoted to cover topics of i) basic research, ii) applied-clinical science iii) epidemiology-public health. Special attention will be directed to poster presentations many of which will be in an oral format to foster contacts and discussions.

On Thursday 22nd there will be emphasis on Interdisciplinary Aspects and certainly will be a highlight of the conference.

Overall the Workshops and Main Conference should provide you with a unique opportunity for interdisciplinary overview, update on the most recent findings, and broadening of your scientific and personal contacts.

We are looking forward to your active participation and hope to see you in Berlin in September 2011.



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### Preliminary Programme

#### Friday September 16

##### *Preclinical Workshop “Gynecologic Oncology”*

Presenting state of the art surgical procedures for gynaecological malignancies and discussing best practice. It is intended for clinically active colleagues.

#### Saturday September 17

##### *Combined Clinical and Public Health Workshop*

- Basic Virology/Immunology
- Epidemiology
- Specific clinical trials

#### Sunday September 18

##### *Clinical workshop*

- Screening
- Work up
- Treatment

##### *Public Health Workshop*

- Surveillance, evaluation, and research
- Organization of cervical cancer screening
- Universal HPV vaccination

##### *Main Conference*

- Basic science
- Epidemiology
- Immunology

##### *Opening Ceremony and Welcome Reception at Konzerthaus*

#### Monday-Wednesday September 19-21

Three parallel tracks every day on:

##### *Basic Science*

##### *Applied/clinical science*

##### *Epidemiology/public health*

#### Thursday September 22

##### *Main Conference*

- Interdisciplinary
- Cutting Edge/Late submissions
- Summaries
- Gaps in knowledge/future directions of HPV research/controversies

### Keynote lectures

Cornelis Melief - *Hurdles and advances in tumor immunology*

Richard Schlegel - *Tumor stem cells*

Staffan Müller-Wille - *The gene in the postgenomic era*

Peter Lichter - *The cancer genome project: background, logistics and expectations*

Christopher P. Wild - *Infection and global cancer burden: an opportunity for prevention*

Special satellite workshops will be organized and announced on the website.

### Posters

All submitted abstracts will be anonymously peer reviewed. Accepted abstracts will be chosen for oral presentation, short poster presentation or as wall posters. Posters will be exhibited during the whole conference from Monday to Wednesday. A special poster presentation time will be assigned.

**New:** For the first time we will have poster sessions with short presentations. Selected posters will be presented in a casual format/setting where discussion of the presented poster is encouraged.

For information about registration, abstract submission and travel awards please see the website [www.hpv2011.org](http://www.hpv2011.org)

Deadline abstract submission	May 16
Deadline Low Registration Fee	May 16
Deadline Regular Registration Fee	July 17
Deadline Late Registration Fee	August 27

### Conference venue

International Congress Center – ICC Berlin (Clinical and Public Health Workshops and Main Conference)

Charité Mitte – (Preclinical Workshop “Gynecologic Oncology”)