CHOP SEMINAR in SALZBURG

"General Pediatrics"

September 9 – 15, 2018
Table of Contents

1. Faculty & Group Photo
2. Schedule
3. Faculty Biographies
4. Fellows Contact Information
5. Diaries
35 fellows from 26 different countries and regions
5 faculty members from the United States & Austria
20 lectures and 4 workshops given by faculty
35 interesting case presentations by fellows
6 excellent case presentations selected by faculty

Faculty Photo (L-R)
Reinhold Kerbl, MD; Philip Scribano, DO, MSCE;
Joanne Wood, MD; Jeanine Cooley Ronan, MD; Jessica Hart, MD
Group Photo of Faculty and Fellows
<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Sunday 9 September</th>
<th>Monday 10 September</th>
<th>Tuesday 11 September</th>
<th>Wednesday 12 September</th>
<th>Thursday 13 September</th>
<th>Friday 14 September</th>
<th>Saturday 15 September</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>07:00 – 08:00</td>
<td>BREAKFAST</td>
<td>BREAKFAST</td>
<td>BREAKFAST</td>
<td>BREAKFAST</td>
<td>BREAKFAST</td>
<td>DEPARTURES</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>08:00 – 09:00</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Introductions</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Pre-Seminar Test</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Joanne N. Wood, MD, MSHP</td>
<td>Reinhold Kerbl, MD</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>09:00 – 10:00</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Visual Dx-Dermatology</td>
<td>Jeanine Cooley Ronan, MD</td>
<td>SIDS/SUID</td>
<td>Lymphadenopathy</td>
<td>How to Teach Clinical Reasoning</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>Joanne N. Wood, MD, MSHP</td>
<td>Reinhold Kerbl, MD</td>
<td>Jeanine Cooley Ronan, MD</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>10:00 – 10:30</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>COFFEE BREAK</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>10:30 – 11:30</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Pathways/QI</td>
<td>Jessica Hart, MD</td>
<td>Child Sexual Abuse</td>
<td>Patient Safety</td>
<td>Kawasaki Syndrome</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>Philip Scribano, DO, MSCE</td>
<td>Jessica Hart, MD</td>
<td>Jeanine Cooley Ronan, MD</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>11:30 – 12:30</td>
<td></td>
<td>Neurodevelopment and Trauma</td>
<td>Bronchiolitis</td>
<td>Child Physical Abuse-Cutaneous</td>
<td></td>
<td>Approach to the Child with a Limp</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>Philip Scribano, DO, MSCE</td>
<td>Jessica Hart, MD</td>
<td>Joanne N. Wood, MD, MSHP</td>
<td></td>
<td>Jeanine Cooley Ronan, MD</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>12:30 – 14:00</td>
<td></td>
<td>LUNCH</td>
<td>LUNCH</td>
<td>LUNCH</td>
<td>LUNCH</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>14:00 – 15:00</td>
<td>How to Present a Case</td>
<td>Workshop Fellows’ Case Presentations</td>
<td>Free Afternoon</td>
<td>Workshop Fellows’ Case Presentations</td>
<td>Post-Seminar Test</td>
<td>Evaluation &amp; Discussion</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Reinhold Kerbl, MD</td>
<td>Reinhold Kerbl, MD</td>
<td></td>
<td>Jeanine Cooley Ronan, MD</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>15:00 – 16:00</td>
<td>Workshop Research Study Designs</td>
<td>Workshop Fellows’ Case Presentations</td>
<td>Free Afternoon</td>
<td>Workshop Fellows’ Case Presentations</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Philip Scribano, DO, MSCE</td>
<td>Reinhold Kerbl, MD</td>
<td></td>
<td>Jeanine Cooley Ronan, MD</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>16:00 – 17:00</td>
<td></td>
<td>Workshop Case Presentations by Faculty to Fellows</td>
<td>Free Afternoon</td>
<td>Workshop Fellows’ Case Presentations</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>Philip Scribano, DO, MSCE</td>
<td>Reinhold Kerbl, MD</td>
<td>Jeanine Cooley Ronan, MD</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>17:00 – 18:00</td>
<td></td>
<td>OMI/AAF Presentation</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>18:00 – 19:00</td>
<td>Faculty Only Meeting to Review the Week</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>19:00 – 20:00</td>
<td>Welcome RECEPTION</td>
<td>DINNER</td>
<td>Faculty Dinner in Private Home</td>
<td>DINNER</td>
<td>Graduation DINNER</td>
<td>Certificates Awarded</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>19:30 – 20:30</td>
<td>Welcome DINNER</td>
<td>DINNER</td>
<td></td>
<td>DINNER</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>20:00 – 21:00</td>
<td></td>
<td>DINNER</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>DINNER</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>20:30 – 21:30</td>
<td>Chamber Music CONCERT</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
CHOP SEMINAR
in
SALZBURG

"General Pediatrics"

September 9 – 15, 2018

FACULTY
Wolfgang Aulitzky, MD is the Medical Director of the American Austrian Foundation. He is Associate Dean for International Medicine and Distance Learning, Adjunct Prof. of Clinical Urology and Adjunct Prof. of Clinical Reproductive Medicine at the Weill Medical College of Cornell University/New York Presbyterian Hospital. In 2016, he was appointed Adjunct Professor of Pediatrics in the Associated Faculty of the Perelman School of Medicine at the Children’s Hospital of Philadelphia. He is also Associate Prof. of Urology at the Medical University of Innsbruck and Visiting Professor at the Medical University of Vienna. Amongst others he is a member of the American, German and Austrian Societies of Urology and was awarded the Zuckerkandlpreis of the Austrian Society of Urology in 1989. In 1995 he received the Silver Medal, in 2007 the Golden Medal for Merits to the Republic of Austria and in 2014 the cross of honor of the Land Salzburg. As Director of the Medical Program of the American Austrian Foundation he has initiated the Open Medical Institute, a scientific and educational collaboration of Weill Cornell and the New York Presbyterian Hospital, the Children Hospital of Philadelphia, Duke University, Columbia University, the Cleveland Clinic and leading hospitals in Austria. Dr. Aulitzky earned his medical degree at the University of Innsbruck in 1977, was a research associate at the University of Uppsala, Sweden and the Rockefeller University, New York. He received his training as an urologist at the University of Innsbruck and the General Hospital of Salzburg. He is the author of more than 140 publications on Urology, Andrology and Health Care issues and is co-author of books on basic and clinical urology/andrology.

Wolfgang Aulitzky, MD
Director, Open Medical Institute
American Austrian Foundation

Associate Dean and Gerhard Andlinger Professor for International Medicine & Distance Learning
Adjunct Professor of Clinical Urology
Adjunct Professor of Clinical Reproductive Medicine
Weill Medical College of Cornell University

Adjunct Professor of Pediatrics
Perelman School of Medicine at the Children’s Hospital of Philadelphia

Associate Professor of Urology
Medical University of Innsbruck, Austria

Kärntner Straße 51/II/Top 4
1010 Vienna
Austria

Phone: +43-1-533-8658
Fax: +43-1-533-8658-10
Email: w.aulitzky@openmedicalinstitute.org
Philip Scribano, DO, MSCE (Course Director) is a pediatrician who specializes in child abuse pediatrics and is the Section Chief of Safe Place: Center for Child Protection and Health at The Children’s Hospital of Philadelphia (CHOP). He also serves as Physician Advisor for the Digital Health Information Services at CHOP. Dr. Scribano grew up in the northeastern United States in the state of New Jersey, and completed his undergraduate studies in biochemistry at Rutgers University, in New Brunswick, New Jersey. He graduated from the University of Medicine and Dentistry of New Jersey- School of Osteopathic Medicine, and completed his pediatrics residency at St. Christopher’s Hospital for Children in Philadelphia, PA and his pediatric emergency medicine fellowship at the Children’s Hospital of Philadelphia. During his fellowship, he also obtained a Master of Science degree in Clinical Epidemiology at the University of Pennsylvania. Dr. Scribano's research interests include the epidemiology and prevention of child maltreatment and intimate partner violence, technology use in healthcare, and health services to children in foster care. He has authored multiple journal articles and book chapters and provided lectures nationally and internationally in these areas of expertise. Dr. Scribano's research efforts have earned him grants from the Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, the Administration on Children and Families and the U.S. Department of Justice. Dr. Scribano is currently on the faculty of the Perelman School of Medicine at the University of Pennsylvania as Professor of Clinical Pediatrics. He lives in Philadelphia with his wife Jocelyn and they have four children (Elise, Timothy, Nathan and Julia) between the ages of 20-27 years old.

Philip Scribano, DO, MSCE  
Professor, Clinical Pediatrics  
Perelman School of Medicine  
University of Pennsylvania  
The Children’s Hospital of Philadelphia  
34 and Civic Center Blvd.  
Philadelphia, PA 19104  
USA  

Phone: +1-215-590-5357/ +1-267-426-3111  
Fax: +1-215-590-2180  
Email: scribanop@email.chop.edu
Reinhold Kerbl, MD (Co-Course Director) is head of the Department of Pediatrics and Adolescent Medicine in Leoben (Austria), a teaching hospital of the Medical University of Graz. The hospital has 70 patient beds and covers all fields of Pediatrics. Until December 2006, Reinhold Kerbl was Associate Professor in Graz at the Division of General Pediatrics. He acquired specialization in Neonatology and Pediatric Intensive Medicine as well as Pediatric Hematology and Oncology. Additionally, he established a Research Unit for Pediatric Sleep Medicine. Dr. Kerbl’s research fields are in pediatric haematology/oncology, sleep medicine, preventive pediatrics, sudden infant death syndrome (SIDS) and others. His research has resulted in over 120 original papers published in SCI listed journals. Undergraduate and postgraduate education has always been an important issue for Dr. Kerbl, and he was actively involved in the development of the new curriculum at Graz University. Since 2006, he is chairperson of the Austrian working group for postgraduate training in Pediatrics. From 2003-2011, he was Secretary General of the Austrian Society of Pediatrics and Adolescent Medicine. In 2017, he was again granted this position. From 2012-2014 Dr. Kerbl was President of the Austrian Society of Pediatrics and Adolescent Medicine, and Vice President from 2015-2016. From 2010-2012, Dr. Kerbl was also President of the interdisciplinary Austrian Sleep Research Association (ASRA), and since then he has become the Vice President. Furthermore, he is Vice Chairman of the Austrian Working Group “Children Advocacy”. Dr. Kerbl is editor and author of a textbook of Pediatrics, editor and author of several other books, and editor of two pediatric journals. In his private life, he is married and has two adult children. His favorite hobbies are sports (skiing, tennis, soccer) and music.

Reinhold Kerbl, MD
Department of Pediatrics and Adolescent Medicine
Landeskrankenhaus Hochsteiermark/ Leoben
Vordernbergerstraße 42
8700 Leoben
Austria

Email: Reinhold.kerbl@kages.at
Jessica Hart, MD is a pediatric hospitalist with an interest in quality improvement and patient safety. Dr. Hart grew up in New York City and graduated from Brandeis University with a BA in Psychology. She received her medical degree from The University of Pennsylvania Perelman School of Medicine and completed her pediatric residency at The Children's Hospital of Philadelphia. Dr. Hart is an Assistant Professor of Clinical Pediatrics at the Perelman School of Medicine at the University of Pennsylvania and an attending physician in the Division of General Pediatrics at The Children's Hospital of Philadelphia. She is the Director of Quality Improvement for the Division of General Pediatrics at The Children's Hospital of Philadelphia. She is also a co-director of the residency program's Advanced Skills in Quality Improvement and Patient Safety program, is one of the core teaching faculty for the residency program's quality improvement curriculum, and is a course facilitator for the CHOP Improvement Leadership Course. She lives outside of Philadelphia with her husband and three children.

Jessica Hart, MD  
Assistant Professor of Clinical Pediatrics  
Perelman School of Medicine at the University of Pennsylvania  
The Children's Hospital of Philadelphia  
Division of General Pediatrics, 12NW65  
34 Civic Center Blvd.  
Philadelphia, PA 19104  
USA  
Phone: +1-215-913-9226/ +1-215-280-0517  
Email: hartjs@email.chop.edu
Jeanine Cooley Ronan, MD is a pediatrician who works as a pediatric hospitalist at The Children's Hospital of Philadelphia. Dr. Ronan grew up in the Northeastern region of the U.S., in Western New York. She completed her undergraduate and master's studies at the State University of New York at Buffalo. She continued her medical education at this university's medical school, where she graduated magna cum laude and a member of the AOA honor society. She completed her pediatric residency at The Children's Hospital of Philadelphia, where she was chief resident. After completing residency she worked in a private pediatric office in Center City Philadelphia. She has since returned to CHOP and is now a member of the Division of General Pediatrics. Dr. Ronan's research interests are in various aspects of medical education. She is currently the Co-Director of the Pediatric Clerkship for the medical students at the Perelman School of Medicine at the University of Pennsylvania. In this capacity, she has incorporated and evaluated the benefits of simulation in undergraduate medical education. She is involved in developing curriculum for evidence-based medicine and patient safety in the pediatric clerkship. She is also the Associate Section Chief for Hospital Medicine in the Division of General Pediatrics. She is very involved in aspects of patient safety and capacity management. This upcoming year she will joining the leadership of the pediatric residency program at CHOP. Dr. Ronan is also very involved with her family and the local community. She lives in Cherry Hill, New Jersey, with her husband Timothy, a structural engineer, and three children, Madelyn, Natalie, and Timothy.

Jeanine Cooley Ronan, MD  
Associate Professor of Clinical Pediatrics  
Perelman School of Medicine at the University of Pennsylvania  
Attending Physician  
The Children’s Hospital of Philadelphia  
34 and Civic Center Blvd.  
Philadelphia, PA 19104  
USA  

Phone: +1-267-443-0424  
Fax: +1-215-590-3050  
Email: ronan@email.chop.edu
Joanne N. Wood, MD, MSHP is a faculty member at PolicyLab at The Children’s Hospital of Philadelphia (CHOP), an Assistant Professor of Pediatrics at the University of Pennsylvania Perelman School of Medicine, and an attending physician in the Division of General Pediatrics. She is also the Director of Research of Safe Place: Center for Child Protection and Health at CHOP and the Director of Child Abuse Pediatrics Fellowship at Safe Place. Dr. Wood attended the University of Pennsylvania School of Medicine, where she earned her MD in 2002. She was an intern and resident in pediatrics at CHOP, where she subsequently served as chief resident. In 2006, she participated in the Child Abuse Pediatrics Fellowship at CHOP. From 2007 to 2010, Dr. Wood was a Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Clinical Scholar at the University of Pennsylvania and earned her Master in Health Policy Research (MSHP). Dr. Wood is committed to improving outcomes for vulnerable children, especially abused and neglected children. One of the primary focuses of Dr. Wood’s research is on improving the early detection of child abuse among children presenting for medical care. Dr. Wood’s research in the field of child maltreatment extends beyond hospital-based care to the child welfare, behavioral health, and primary care systems. She is also interested more broadly in interventions designed to support caregivers of young children and strengthen families.

Joanne N. Wood, MD, MSHP  
Assistant Professor of Pediatrics  
Children’s Hospital of Philadelphia  
Roberts Center for Pediatric Research  
2716 South Street, 10 Floor  
Philadelphia, PA 19146  
USA  

Phone: +1-267-426-3107  
Email: woodjo@email.chop.edu
CHOP SEMINAR
in
SALZBURG

"General Pediatrics"

September 9 – 15, 2018

FELLOWS
Unaganshagai Adiya, MD, MSc
Mongolian Health Initiative NGO
Official Subcontractor for Harvard T.H. Chan School of Public Health
Usnii gudamj-1
976 Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia

E-Mail: shagai.md13@yahoo.com
Phone: +35389948541

Learta Aljili Ademi, MD
University Clinic for Pediatric Diseases
Vodnjanska 17
1000 Skopje, Republic of Macedonia

E-Mail: dr.learta.alili@gmail.com
Phone: +38-9-71547866

Virginia M. Antoci, MD
„Gigore Alexandrescu“
Emergency Hospital for Children
Bulevardul Iancu de Hunedoara nr 30-32
011743 Bucharest, Romania

E-Mail: virginia.sobek@yahoo.com
Phone: +40-0721402722

Eliza Arakelyan, MD
Arabkir MC
Mamicyanc 30
0014 Yerevan, Armenia

E-Mail: arakelyaneliza@gmail.com
Phone: +37-4-98403096

Edgar Barajas, MD
Hospital Infantil de Mexico Federico Gomez
Dr. Marquez 162, Chuhutemoc
06720 Mexico City, Mexico

E-Mail: pedia_ebc@hotmail.com
Phone: +52-1-5559091613
Mia Becker, MD

Zdravstveni dom Dr. Adolfa Drolca Maribor
Ulica Talcev 9
2000 Maribor, Slovenia

E-Mail: mia.becker101@gmail.com
Phone: +38-6-40741496

Tina Bregant, MD, PhD

University Rehabilitation
Institute Republic of Slovenia SOCA
Linhartova 51
1000 Ljubljana, Slovenia

E-Mail: tina.bregantdrmed@gmail.com
Phone: +38-6-041749061

Diana Coropceanu, MD

Medical Center
Strada Armeneasca 108
2001 Chisinau, Republic of Moldova

E-Mail: dianacoropceanu@yahoo.com
Phone: +37-3-60088600

Rozsa Csohany, PhD

Semmelweis University
Bokay J. 53.
1083 Budapest, Hungary

E-Mail: csohany.rozsa@gmail.com
Phone: +36-3-03289127

Jovana Dimic, MD, MSc

University Children's Hospital
Tirsova 10
11000 Belgrade, Serbia

E-Mail: jovana.dmic87@gmail.com
Phone: +381-65-2951081
Yordan Hristov Georgiev, MD

National Cardiac Hospital
Koniovitza str. 65
1309 Sofia, Bulgaria

E-Mail: georgiev@abv.bg
Phone: 00359883430814

Inva Gjeta, MD, MSc

Qendra Spitalore Universitare „Nene Tereza”
Rruga e Dibres
1000 Tirana, Albania

E-Mail: invagjeta@hotmail.com
Phone: +35-5-672036818

Nigar Hajiyeva, MD, PhD

Azerbaijan State Advanced Training Institute for Physicians
Tbilisi Avenue 79, Passage 3165
1012 Baku, Azerbaijan

E-Mail: nigarhajiyeva@yahoo.com
Phone: +99-4-505167748

Potikhenska Khrystyna, MD

Kharkiv National Medical University
Nauky av.4
61022 Kharkiv, Ukraine

E-Mail: potikhenska@gmail.com
Phone: +38-0-996405852

Katarina Krivosikova, MD

The National Institute of Children Diseases
Limbova 1
83340 Bratislava, Slovakia

E-Mail: katarina.krivosikova@gmail.com
Phone: +42-1-944344593
Viyaleta Uladzimirauna Larychava, MD
Gomel City Child Health Center
Kosareva 11
246012 Gomel, Belarus

E-Mail: lavitae85@gmail.com
Phone: +37-5-232436020

Teele Meren, MD
Tallinn Children's Hospital
Tervise tn 28
13419 Tallinn, Estonia

E-Mail: teelemeren@hotmail.com
Phone: +37-2-5056153

Syuzanna Zhora Mkhitaryan, MD
„Arabkir“ Medical Center
Institute of Child & Adolescent Health
30 Mamikonants St.
0014 Yerevan, Armenia

E-Mail: syuzannamkhitaryan@gmail.com
Phone: +37-4-91533828

Elizabeth Morett, MD
Hospital Regional de Alta Especialidad del Bajio
Blvd. Milenio No. 130
37660 Leon, Mexico

E-Mail: ewh_10_04@hotmail.com
Phone: +52-4-737374465

Restituta Muro, MD
Bugando Medical Centre
Wurzburg Road
255 Mwanza, United Republic of Tanzania

E-Mail: restitutamuro@gmail.com
Phone: +255-787663501
Jan Ohem, MD
Oblastni Nemocnice Mlada Boleslav
Trida Vaclava Klementa 147
29301 Mlada Boleslav, Czech Republic
E-Mail: j.ohem@seznam.cz
Phone: +42-0-721136302

Sanja Pek, MD
Health Centre Zagreb
Prilaz Baruna Filipovica 11
10000 Zagreb, Croatia
E-Mail: pek.sanja@gmail.com
Phone: +385-98856996

Tamar Pirtskhaliaishvili, MD
Medical Center „Mrcheveli”
Mtatsminda Lane 7a
0177 Tbilisi, Georgia
E-Mail: tamofirckhaliaishvili@gmail.com
Phone: +99-5-89966003

Maja Raicevic, MD
Institute for Children Diseases
Ljubljanska bb
81000 Podgorica, Montenegro
E-Mail: majaraiacvevic89@gmail.com
Phone: +38269305229

Jelena Rusakova, MD
Children’s Clinical University Hospital
Vienibas gatve 45
LV 1004 Riga, Latvia
E-Mail: rusakova.jelena@gmail.com
Phone: +37129634144
Altynay Sadykova, MD
Scientific Center of Pediatrics & Pediatric Surgery
Al-farabi Street, 146
050000 Almaty, Kazakhstan

E-Mail: saltynay2015@mail.ru
Phone: +77-0-17316693

Noiba Djamalidinovna Shakhavutdinova, MSc
The Republic Specialized Scientific Practical Medical Centre of Pediatrics
3, Proezd Talant, 2 Chimbay Street
100179 Tashkent, Uzbekistan

E-Mail: noiba.shakhova@gmail.com
Phone: +99-8-974803680

Taulant Shala, MD
University Clinical Center of Kosovo
10000 Pristina, Kosovo

E-Mail: taulant.shala@hotmail.com
Phone: +38-3-44140982

Nadia Soleman, MD
SSR Vienna
Wipplinger Strasse 28
1010 Vienna, Austria

E-Mail: nk_soleman@yahoo.com
Phone: 00436504001637

Eva Sterecova, MD
University Hospital Motol
V Uvalu 84
15006 Prague 5, Czech Republic

E-Mail: estere@centrum.cz
Phone: +42-0-737869589
Seda Topcu, MD
Ankara University School of Medicine
Tip Fakultesi cad.
06590 Ankara, Turkey
E-Mail: drsedatopcu@gmail.com
Phone: +90-312-5957292

Liudmila Vladimirovna Vorontsova, MD
Saint Petersburg State Pediatric Medical University
Litovskaja Street 2
194100 Saint-Petersburg, Russian Federation
E-Mail: dr.vorontsovalv@gmail.com
Phone: +7912217603

Anja Widmann, MD
Pediatric Practice „Oasis del Pacifico“
Los Mangales SN
70934 Santa Maria Colotepec, Mexico
E-Mail: dra.anja@oasisdelpacifico.com
Phone: +5219541287661

Selamawit Habte Wolde, MD
Wachemo University College of Medicine & Health Sciences
22 Hossana, Ethiopia
E-Mail: ethshallom@yahoo.com
Phone: +25-1-936636355

Kateryna Yanovska, PhD
Kharkov National Medical University
Nauky Avenue, 4
61022 Kharkov, Ukraine
E-Mail: Ekaterinapediator@gmail.com
Phone: +38-0-951259856
09 September Sunday: It was very good morning. My husband was with me. We discussed future amazing trip to Salzburg to the Open Medical Institute for education and new emotions of beautiful city. We were sure that it will become an incredible journey, because we knew about it one day before our wedding. It was really the best gift from the universe. So I came to Dnepropetrovsk, but my first plane was late for 5 hours and I was late for the second plane from Vienna to Salzburg. But the Austrian airlines proposed me a night in the center of Vienna. Anyway I started to enjoy my trip with all my adventures.

10 September Monday: I woke up at 7 o’clock. After the breakfast I went to airport with a cool black Mercedes from Austrian airlines. And at 10 o’clock I went to Salzburg by plane. So, thanks God at 11 o’clock I was in Salzburg. I chose a taxi to Schloss Arenberg, because I was nervous that I missed important topics from the best lecturers of the world. I was amazed, because from the plane and from the window of the taxi I saw beautiful city. It was so wonderful and inspiring. I was so happy to see very beautiful nature with mountains, forests, bright green grass, beautiful buildings, and cathedrals. When I came to Schloss Arenberg I was warmly welcomed. And I was really glad to be here and to start my education.

First of all I did my pre-seminar test. And after the lunch I started to study. We listened to a very interesting report from Reinhold Kerbl (The chief of the Department of Pediatrics and Adolescent Medicine in Leoben) about “How to present a Case”. It was very useful and I found out how to avoid mistakes in my future presentations. Also I liked the Case Presentation Workshop from Professor Philip Scribano of Clinical Pediatrics from the Medical University of Pennsylvania. That cases were very interesting.

11 September Tuesday: It was a very scientific and useful day. I received a lot of medical knowledge. First two topics were from Joanne N. Wood (assistant Professor of pediatrics from Children’s hospital of Philadelphia). She gave us very interesting information about pathology in newborns. Professor Philip Scribano gave us very good information about Child Sexual Abuse. We need to remember it. The most important topic for me during this day was from Jessica Hart (Assistant Professor of Clinical Pediatrics from Pennsylvania). This report was about bronchiolitis and I am pulmonologist. I will try to change approaches to therapy in my city.

That day was very important for me. Because after the lunch we had workshop Fellows Case Presentations and the half of our students had short speeches about their very interesting clinical cases. I was the last one. It was my first experience to present a clinical case in english. I liked it very much. I am sure that next time, it will be much better but I hope that my clinical case of tuberculosis in infant with obstructive syndrome was interesting for my colleagues. I was a very friendly atmosphere and very interesting cases with photos and videos. I will remember this information for my medical practice.

Later I was visiting the City with my new friends. I think it is best pastime for doctors (an unknown beautiful place plus new knowledge plus good and smart colleagues). When I went to bed, I was very happy.
12 September Wednesday: This day we had very good medical lectures. I liked them very much, really. Reinhold Kerbl gave us very useful information about Fevers of Unknown Origin. After this lecture we received very important recommendations and clear diagnostic design for children with high temperature. Also I liked topic Lymphadenopathy. We see it very often during our practical medical life. This topic was very memorable with clinical cases. After the tasty dinner we went to the city to enjoy a little bit more from Salzburg’s atmosphere. I was delighted with numerous greenery within the town. I was happy to be in the historical center of Salzburg. Mozart is everywhere... It was very interesting for me to get to know the culture of Austria and its traditions.

13 September Thursday: After the tasty breakfast I was full of energy to attend new interesting and useful lectures for me. It was very good lecture from Jeanine Cooley Ronan (Children’s hospital in Philadelphia) about Kawasaki Syndrome. After the dinner there were a lot of practical cases from the colleagues. The experience of colleagues from different countries helped me to face many new perspectives in my future work. It is an extraordinary important experience for me. We didn’t notice how the day passed. After the dinner there was a chamber music concert in Schloss Arenberg. It was very relaxing. We enjoyed it.

14 September Friday: The last day was full of interesting information. At the end of the lectures, we passed a Post-seminar test. During the Graduation Dinner, I was a little sad. After the final speeches of all lecturers and administrators of the program they congratulated us for the successful and fruitful training which was confirmed by the Post-seminar test results. Dr. Scribano handed out the certificates and we took photos with faculty.

15 September Saturday: Early morning I had the plane. I had a lot of beautiful pictures and perfect knowledge in my memory. I found many new friends. An exchange of knowledge and experience between participants and staff was very useful. I want to advise this program to all specialists from different countries to receive knowledge with pleasure in the amazing city in Austria.

Kateryna Yanovska, PhD (Ukraine)
9th of September, Sunday evening: This is the day of arrival to always charming Salzburg. Schloss Arenberg greets us with its calm and friendly atmosphere. The weather is perfect: warm and sunny. The welcome reception with many interesting young pediatricians and residents in pediatrics from all over the world mark the beginning of an internationally mixed, language diverse, intellectual, but also a very friendly week. I am looking forward to the topics: neurodevelopment and trauma, child abuse, research design, patient safety, and a potpourri of pediatric problems: how to solve them is still a challenge to me despite the years of practice.

10th of September, Monday: I woke up at 6 o’clock, because my running shoes want to try the hill Kapuzinerberg behind the Schloss. It is still dark, but when on the top of the hill, the sun is giving the Salzburg roofs a bright, shiny polish. I know that the morning dose of oxygen will help me to acquire new knowledge. With the warm welcome of organizers, we start the seminar. However – the start with a test is a challenge. I really do not like multiple choice questions: some answers are ambiguous, some illogical; I even have to guess some of the answers. And I feel that when guessing, my answers are all wrong. This is due to my brain intuitive system, which is described later in the day by Jessica Hart, but originates in Kahneman’s book of slow and fast thinking. Daniel Kahneman is the world’s most influential living psychologist who revolutionised cognitive and social psychology. His ideas can be applied to medical clinical thinking as he states that human reason left to its own devices is apt to engage in a number of fallacies and systematic errors, so if we want to make better decisions in our personal lives and as a society, we ought to be aware of these biases and seek workarounds. So I am really grateful that during the seminar I do not learn solely about the diseases but about the philosophy and diagnostic thinking behind the diagnosis. This can namely be thought personally only and not from the books. The day folds out in the wonderful presentation of neurodevelopment and trauma presented by excellent teacher Philip Scribano. I teach that topic in kindergartens and schools in our country, since I believe that only knowledge and understanding of mechanisms can lead to resolution of the problems we face today: the increasing burden of fear and anxiety, psychical problems, emotional and behavioural difficulties even in very small children. Intensively I work with teachers, parents, and children on developing resilience. I hope they will never need to use it. However, life never is easy – and it is not supposed to be easy, so resilience always comes handy. The talk given is so simple, and easy to understand, that it is a joy to listen to, despite I know the topics quite well.

A few cases are presented in the afternoon. We can see, what is expected from us the next day. Hopefully, my presentation will be well accepted, since I have decided to play a game. I love Sherlock Holmes and sometime in the clinics I feel like Dr. Watson: lost and misguided by the data. I need some help from a wiser colleague (someone like Sherlock Holmes is warmly greeted), to help me solve the case. At home I have picked the case which is not exotic but demonstrates exactly that clinical thinking process – or at least I hope it does.

After the dinner we as a group climbed the Kapuzinerberg. The view over Salzach and Salzburg was spectacular. After this
sportive trip we decided to go for a beer in a nearby beer garden. We talked and laughed over our learning experiences. Despite coming from different countries, we do the same mistakes all over the world and we also learn the good practices - but only, if we meet a good mentor. Teachers here are excellent, so we hope, they will become our mentors during the coming days.

11st of September, Tuesday: We start the day with a devastating condition that caught a lot of attention in the past years: sudden infant death - SIDS and sudden unexpected infant death – SUID, which is the death of an infant younger than 1 year of age that occurs suddenly and unexpectedly. The topic was presented professionally and empathic by Joanne Wood. I am very happy that in our country the campaigns of safe sleeping were introduced more than 20 years ago, so that SIDS was significantly reduced. Some infants still have transient events involving some combination of altered respiration, consciousness, muscle tone, and skin color that are alarming for caregivers which is why cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) for their parents is taught. These events have been referred to as an “apparent life-threatening event” (ALTE). Nowadays it is recommended by the American Academy of Pediatrics to use a new terminology of “brief, resolved, unexplained event” (BRUE). From now on, I am going to use this terminology. I will also be more confident in explaining the parents that routine hospital admission is not necessary. However, I will still rely on my clinical judgement and consider that infants may be hospitalized for cardiorespiratory monitoring if caregivers are extremely anxious or are unable to bring the infant for follow-up in 24 h.

Bronchiolitis, as our everyday bread, was presented by Jessica Hart. It was followed by Scribano’s lecture on sexual abuse. Child sexual abuse differs from the adults as children rarely disclose sexual abuse immediately after the event. The evaluation of children requires special skills and techniques in history taking, forensic interviewing and examination; the examiner may also need to address specific issues related to consent and reporting of child sexual abuse. As physical signs of genital trauma are seldom seen in cases of child sexual abuse, one must be well trained, empathic, moral, and highly professional. The topic was presented so practically that I can use a few tips when returning home.

In the afternoon we have presented our cases. It was amazing to see so many good presentations, the most modern diagnostics and therapies which are now used all over the world. Globalization is evident and it brings a better health care to the whole world, which is wonderful.

After a long day and many presentations we deserved a promenade after the dinner with our new friends through the historical center of Salzburg.

12nd of September, Wednesday: Today my legs ran alone up the hill. I was looking forward to the “lymphatics” day. It was interesting and very colorful, even with some photos through the microscope lens. I do not use microscope personally but I always like to discuss with my laboratory people what they have seen and discovered through the microscope lens. Reinhold Kerbl was full of enthusiasm so you could not but enjoy his presentations.

I listened to the patient safety lecture given by Jessica Hart very attentively. In my country we still have not developed a system of good patient safety. So it is up to me and my younger colleagues to build it. We need to learn from the best who have started that systems years ago and still work on its improvement. I realized what a long road is ahead of all of us. Hopefully, we are on the right track and our patients will be safer in future.

We had a free afternoon so everyone decided to please his ideas of free time: shopping, strolling around the city, climbing the hill. Salzburg offers so much that it is hard to select what to do. For me, the selection is never too hard: green hills, beautiful surroundings, walking – this is what I like to do.

13rd of September, Thursday: The day starts with a potpourri of pediatric problems, which is a very nice introduction to how to teach clinical reasoning. I was already aware of the Bloom’s taxonomy, but a really valuable addition of the talk given by Jeanine Cooley Ronan was a practical use of changing the format. From now on I am going to use SNAPPSS. The abbreviation stands for a six-step learner-centered model for outpatient education. I hope that my students will like it, too.

We browsed then through different presentations of Kawasaki syndrome and factitious disorders. I think that insurance company could be of some help in detecting those families who impose factitious disorder on their children by detecting unnecessary procedures and medications.

The afternoon was full of interesting case presentations. I enjoyed all of them since an overview of pediatrics was offered. There were topics I knew nothing about: especially tuberculosis is the condition I (luckily) do not know well. After dinner we were offered a wonderful treat: Mantas Gacevicius sang a few pieces with his young bariton, accompanied by
the pianist Tatjana Meyer. I took the pictures with him, since his interpretation of Papageno was so lovely, that my daughter will be envious. The evening was wonderful and relaxing.

14th of September, Friday: The last day was full of interesting lectures. Reinhold Kerbl showed us some cases about sleep problems in his entertaining and very didactive manner. Jessica Hart presented sedation and anesthesia in children. This is an important topic I am always a little bit afraid of. If I am in charge of this, I always prepare for the worse, including the reversible agents and intubation. Maybe I am too cautious, but I have witnessed cases, where sedation went totally out of control. So I am always prepared to call my friends from anesthesia to help me.

Valuable practical information on trauma in child abuse was given by Joanne Wood, followed by an entertaining talk on limping by Jeanine Cooley Ronan. If there is something that I advise to my younger colleagues is to observe the child walking. One gets so much valuable information on a child’s clinical condition and his general well-being that observing of walking should always be a part of a general clinical exam. This is valuable even in emergency department where observation of gait is sometimes seen as unnecessary and time-consuming.

At the end of lectures, we have taken the post-seminar test. As you know, I do not like multiple choice questions, even when I know the answers. So I finished the test as soon as possible. At Graduation Dinner we were awarded the certificates and despite the wonderful atmosphere we were a little bit sad. Despite the short period we have become attached to each other. Wolfgang Aulitzky held his final speech and he reminded us of the wonderful knowledge we have acquired and should be used in our own home countries.

I am so happy and honored that I was able to participate in such a high quality seminar. Difficult topics were explained in a comprehensive and didactic way which is not only due to knowledge and skills of the lecturers but also to the passion and love for the work they do. I am thankful to wonderful teachers of Faculty and also to the Administration of Schloss Arenberg for this wonderful week and I hope to return one day.

Tina Bregant (Slovenia)