Cutting Edge Data on Immunology

The latest information on progress in immunological research with particular relevance to allergy – that is what the audience can expect on September 26th at 3:30 p.m. at the EAACI/DGAKI Joint Symposium on Immunology of Allergic Inflammation: “Update on Novel Mechanisms and Therapeutic Strategies”.

On Wednesday afternoon, right at the beginning of the German Allergy Congress 2007 in Lübeck will there be an international kick-off symposium on the “Immunology of Allergic Inflammation”. The event is a joint effort of the Immunology Sections of the German Society of Allergy and Clinical Immunology (DGAKI) and the European Academy of Allergy and Clinical Immunology (EAACI) to bring together members of both societies.

Eminent national and international scientists will present and discuss novel concepts and cutting edge data of cellular and molecular mechanisms involved in allergic inflammation. Topics covered will be multiple functions of mast cells, the role of the microenvironment in contact allergy, regulation of T cell differentiation, mechanisms

Interaction of T cells (yellow) and dendritic cells (blue)

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of mucosal tolerance induction, and parasites as modulators of allergic inflammation. The symposium is of in-

Joint Symposium DGAKI/EAACI Immunology Section

Wednesday, September 26th 2007, 15:30–17:00

Chairs: T. Jakob und E. Hamelmann

- Mast cells – more than just allergic effector cells. *M. Maurer*
- The role of microenvironment in allergic contact dermatitis. *S. Martin*
- The basis of T cell differentiation: regulation of transcription factors. *C. Schmidt-Weber*
- Mechanisms of mucosal tolerance induction. *B. Böhle*
- Parasite immunomodulation – novel strategy for allergy treatment and prevention. *S. Hartmann*

terest for allergists of all disciplines, allergists in training, and graduate and postgraduate students involved in allergy research.

On behalf of the DGAKI and EAACI Immunology Sections we cordially invite you to participate in what is promising to be a very exciting event right at the beginning of the Allergy Congress 2007 in Lübeck.

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Zweiter Gemeinsamer Deutscher Allergiekongress 2007 auf einen Blick

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