

First International Conference on Williams Syndrome in Paris

“Recent progress and future prospects”

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Dear colleagues,

October 27th, 2007

The association « Autour des Williams » organizes on **Friday April 4th 2008** the first international conference in Paris on Williams Syndrome entitled “Recent progress and future prospects”. Several specialists will present various facets of research about the syndrome.

This conference will cover the following topics:

- General description of the syndrome
- Genetics
- Cardiovascular system
- Neuropsychological aspects

Invited speakers:

- Dr. U. Bellugi, La Jolla, USA**
- Dr. G. Bricca, Lyon, France (to be confirmed)**
- Dr. E. Farran, Reading, UK**
- Dr. B. Gilbert-Dussardier, Poitiers, France**
- Dr. M. P. Jacob, Paris, France**
- Dr. A. Karmiloff-Smith, London, UK (to be confirmed)**
- Dr. L. Osborn, Ontario, Canada**
- Dr. L.A. Perez Jurado, Barcelona, Spain**
- Dr. A. Reymond, Lausanne, Switzerland**
- Dr. Tassabehji, Manchester, UK**



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Presentations:

In addition to the invited speakers, the occasion will be offered to several persons to give an oral presentation. A poster session will be also organized.

Deadlines:

- Abstract (1 page) submission 15 January 2008
- Notification of acceptance 1st February 2008
- Registration 15 February 2008

Registration:

Registration can be made by sending name, address and registration fees at the following email address:

autourdeswilliams@yahoo.fr

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Registration fees:

25 euros. It includes coffee breaks, a conference package, lunch meal and a booklet of the proceedings. Registration fees can be paid via bank transfer (or by cheque). See www.autourdeswilliams.org for details.

Accommodation:

The conference will be hosted at EuroDisney Paris. Please specify if an hotel reservation is requested.



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