



# IRIST

7-10 April 2010, Groningen, The Netherlands

We hope to meet you in Groningen at the occasion of the 20th bi-annual Congress of **IRIST** (the **I**nternational **R**esearch group in **I**mmuno-**S**cintigraphy and **T**herapy). **IRIST** is a non-profit association of scientists of all disciplines in the area of diagnosis and therapy by means of radiopharmaceuticals and related topics. The aim of IRIST is to promote research in this field, to offer opportunities to young researchers, to resolve controversial issues and to exchange findings worldwide.

**Topics:** Peptide receptor imaging, Radionuclide therapy and Immunotherapy, Immunoscintigraphy of inflammatory and autoimmune diseases, Therapy planning in Thyroid cancer, ImmunoPET (preclinical), -receptor radionuclide scintigraphy and therapy

**Speakers:** a.o. Alicja Hubalewska-Dydejczyk, Cracow – PL; Marjon de Jong, Rotterdam – NL; Christophe van der Wiele, Ghent - B; Otto Boerman, Nijmegen – NL; Peter Bernardt, Göteborg – S; John Buscombe, London, UK; Martin Gotthardt, Nijmegen- NL; Alberto Signore, Rome – I; Liesbeth de Vries, Groningen – NL; Mike Sathekge, Pretoria – ZA; Thera Links, Groningen – NL; Guus van Dongen, Amsterdam – NL; Vladimir Tolmachev, Uppsala – S; Stanley Goldsmith, New York – USA; Richard Baum, Bad Berka – D; Michael Zalutsky, Durham - USA.

**Who should attend?** The meeting has special relevance for nuclear medicine physicians, pharmacists, pharmacologists, and pharmaceutical industry representatives in particular, but it is useful for all who are working with radiopharmaceuticals in clinic and research.

**Abstracts** for oral presentations or posters can be submitted via [www.irst.umcg.nl](http://www.irst.umcg.nl) before February 15, 2010. Abstracts will be published in the Quarterly Journal of Nuclear Medicine.

**Venue:** the city of Groningen is situated in the northern part of the Netherlands. The actual location of the meeting is the **University Medical Center Groningen**, which is located at walking distance from the city center. Groningen can easily be accessed via the airports of Amsterdam, Bremen or Eindhoven, and subsequently by train, bus or car.

**Registration** can be done via [www.irst.umcg.nl](http://www.irst.umcg.nl) (preferred) or on site (both credit cards and cash are accepted).

**Accommodation:** A number of hotels are available in Groningen and its immediate surroundings. Bookings can be done via [www.hotels.nl](http://www.hotels.nl) or [www.bookings.nl](http://www.bookings.nl).

**Accreditation** has been applied for.

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