

ECCI 9-11 OCTOBER 2024

European Congenital Cytomegalovirus Initiative



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WELCOME

We are thrilled to extend a warm invitation to join us at the European Congenital Cytomegalovirus Initiative (ECCI) Meeting. This highly anticipated meeting will take place on October 9–11 2024 in Leiden, in the inspiring Naturalis Biodiversity Center.

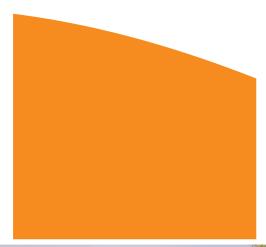
European Congenital CMV Initiative

In 2007, one of the first ever ECCI meetings took place in Maastricht, The Netherlands. It is striking how many topics from the agenda of that meeting will be discussed again this year: for example, the burden of disease, the screening of mothers and newborns, and vaccines. And yet, so much has changed. Today, ECCI stands as an official association, embodying a diverse, multidisciplinary, and international network of experts dedicated to combatting congenital cytomegalovirus (CMV) infection. With a clear mission statement and defined objectives, ECCI endeavors to promote excellence in both the diagnosis and treatment of this challenging condition. This meeting serves as a pivotal platform where members convene to discuss and refine strategies, aligning with ECCI's overarching goals. Through collaborative efforts, ECCI aims to drive innovation, improve patient outcomes, and ultimately mitigate the impact of congenital CMV infection on both maternal and child health.

Why sponsor ECCI?

ECCI 2024 invites you to Leiden, the Netherlands, for a dynamic meeting of congenital CMV experts from diverse backgrounds and countries. This meeting will attract clinicians of multiple disciplines such as pediatricians, obstetricians, ENT-surgeons, microbiologists and radiologists, as well as scientists in these fields. Young doctors and PhD students are also invited to interact with the experts and present their work. From distinguished researchers to frontline clinicians, this group of delegates will be shaping the future of congenital CMV care. This is the place to engage with key stakeholders, showcase your innovations, support early career researchers and shape global policies.

We eagerly await your arrival in Leiden for the **ECCI 2024** meeting, where knowledge and collaboration, will converge to create an unforgettable experience.





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Data:

9-11 October, 2024

Location:

Darwinweg 2, 2333 CR Leiden, the Netherlands

Venue name:

Naturalis Biodiversity Center

Congress website:

www.ecci.group

Conference venue website:

www.naturalis.nl

ECCI's mission is to promote excellence in the diagnosis and management of congenital CMV infection.



Goals:

- Promoting the multidisciplinary exchange of knowledge and ideas
- » Teaching young PhD students and doctors about the state of the art in the field of clinical diagnostics and care
- Demonstrate what is known in the field of congenital CMV and what the knowledge gaps are that require attention in the future
- » To meet and talk to experts from all over the world
- » Present more basic or translational research that may influence our clinical policy
- » Discussing the advantages and disadvantages of implementing national intervention policy

How we achieve these goals:

- » A separate symposium (Wednesday afternoon) on State of the Art in clinical diagnosis and care for congenital CMV. This symposium is open to clinicians (in training), but is also included in the registration of the ECCI meeting
- » Inviting experts to the symposium and for keynote lectures
- » Facilitating oral and poster presentations for young researchers and clinicians
- » Sufficient time within and outside the program to discuss and enter into collaborations

Main topics

- 1 Pathogenesis and prognostic markers
 Pathogenesis at the maternal-fetal interface,
 prognosis of long-term outcome by imaging
 (ultrasound, MRI), prenatal and postnatal prognostic
 markers, (neuro)pathogenesis, inner ear pathogenesis,
 results from European Registries
- 2 Vaccines and Primary Prevention Prevention, awareness, hygienic measures, immunoglobulins, vaccines, vaccine modelling.
- 3 Screening -prenatal and (targeted) neonatal screening
 Disease burden, long-term outcome, prenatal screening, (targeted/universal) neonatal screening, saliva, DBS, cost-effectiveness, national policy, ethics
- 4 Prenatal and postnatal treatment
 Secondary prevention, fetal therapy, postnatal
 antiviral therapy, (inter)national guidelines

The programme will be published at regular intervals on www.ecci.group



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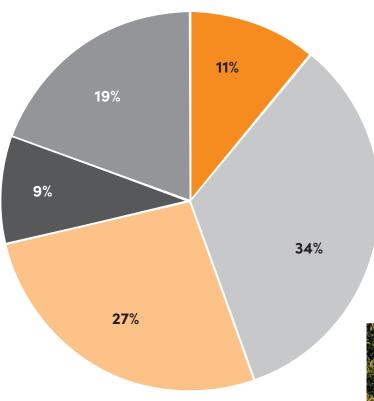
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The most recent edition of the bi-annual conference was in Athens, Greece in October 2022. The demographics of the participants were as follows:



- Medical Doctors / Scientists ESPID/ESCV MEMBERS
- Medical Doctors / Scientists non ESPID/ESCV MEMBERS
- Residents Nurses PhD Students
- VIRTUAL ATTENDANCE ESPID/ESCV MEMBERS
- VIRTUAL ATTENDANCE NON ESPID/ESCV / Residents



Huigpark-Singelpark



leiden The city where history and innovation unite

Leiden is a city with a rich history and academic excellence. Recognized for its picturesque canals, historic architecture, and vibrant atmosphere, Leiden captivates visitors with its unique blend of tradition and modernity. In addition to its historical and cultural charm, Leiden is recognized for its commitment to innovation and research. The city's Bio Science Park, one of the largest in Europe, is a testament to its dedication to advancements in the life sciences.

ACCESSIBILITY OF eiden

Situated in the heart of the Netherlands, Leiden boasts excellent accessibility for both national as international visitors. Whether arriving by plane, train, or car, the city provides seamless transportation options.



BY PLANE:

Leiden is well-connected to major international airports, making air travel a convenient option. Amsterdam Airport Schiphol is approximately 20 minutes away by train. From Schiphol, visitors can easily reach Leiden via frequent train services, ensuring a swift and straightforward connection.



BY TRAIN:

Leiden's strategic central location positions it as an easily accessible hub for travellers, particularly by train. The efficient Dutch railway system allows you to reach prominent cities swiftly. Within just over 30 minutes, the train can transport you to bustling metropolises like Amsterdam or Rotterdam. Moreover, Leiden's connectivity extends beyond the Dutch borders. With less than 3.5 hours of train travel, you can venture to the enchanting city of Paris.



BY CAR:

For those traveling by car, Leiden is situated near major highways, allowing for convenient access from various directions. The city provides well–maintained roadways and ample parking facilities, facilitating a comfortable journey for visitors by car.



NATURALIS BIODIVERSITY CENTER

Experience an exciting blend of cutting-edge research and the wonders of nature at Naturalis, the chosen venue for the European Congenital Cytomegalovirus Initiative (ECCI) Conference in Leiden. As a national museum of natural history, Naturalis offers a unique setting that elevates academic discussions while immersing participants in the beauty of the natural world.

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Floor space - 2×2 = 4 sqm.	
Additional space at: € 600,00 per sqm. (if available)	
Included in price – high table, 2 bar stools and electrical outlet	
Sponsor's logo on the website and programme booklet	€ 2.750,00
Logo on lanyards for name badges (LIMITED TO ONE SPONSOR)	
Please note the ECCI 2024 logo will be printed on the lanyard together with the sponsor logo.	MITED
Sponsor's logo on the website and programme booklet	
Some companies might be excluded from this option due to compliance	€ 5.000,00
Full colour advertisement in the final programme	
booklet	€ 1.500,00
Promotional Newsletter	
Listing in congress newsletters – and possibility for promotional news of sponsor	
Sponsor's logo on the website and programme booklet	€ 2.500,00
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Sponsor's logo on the website and programme booklet	€ 2.500,00
Coffee breaks (MAXIMUM 1 SPONSOR PER DAY)	MITED
■ Branding possibilities during break	IMITED
(branding to be provided by the Sponsor and is subject to approval by ECCI);	
Sponsor's logo on the website and programme booklet	€ 1.500,00
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Banner placement on home page of conference	
web page	€ 1.500,00
Satellite educational symposium Wednesday	IMITED
Sponsor has the opportunity to support an entire symposium and	€ 8.000,00
use corporate branding	
THE LOC IS OPEN TO SUGGESTIONS FOR	

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SPONSORING FROM THE INDUSTRY



Satellite educational lecture during lunch Thursday

Sponsor has the opportunity to support a lecture

■ Max 25 persons (informal style)

■ There will be a possibility to place a banner/roll-up at the lunch area.

€ 2.100,00

LIMITED

Poster gallery (2 GALLERIES)

Price per gallery

LIMITED

€ 4.000,00

Symposium recording

Sponsor may attach the name to the services of the recordings which are accessible to the ECCI members on their website

■ Some companies might be excluded from this option due to compliance

€ 4.000,00

Charging station for mobile devices

Sponsor may add their company logo to this charging station

€ 2.000,00

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SPONSOR PACKAGES

	GOLD	SILVER
	€ 15.000	€ 10.000
Floor space	4 m ² (2m x 2m)	4 m ² (2m x 2m)
Additional space € 600,00 per sqm (if available)	✓	✓
Included in price	As gold sponsor	As silver sponsor
High table	✓	✓
Bar stools	2	2
Electrical outlet	✓	✓
Listing in congress newsletters	✓	
Full colour advertisement page in programme booklet	✓	✓
Full conference registration	7	4

Please note: All sponsorship and exhibition costs are quoted exclusive 21% VAT

TERMS & CONDITIONS



The following terms and conditions apply to all sponsorship and exhibition stand packages:

- The Meeting Organisers will take the utmost care to fulfil all listed benefits. All marketing material and artwork must be provided by the sponsor at the sponsor's own cost.
- The sponsor is responsible for any display banners supplied and erected at the Meeting and must coordinate with the Meeting Secretariat prior to the event.
- Sponsors are responsible for the security of their own equipment and materials whilst at the Meeting.
- Exhibition Stand numbers will be allocated from the floor plan on a first come, first served basis.

Terms of Payment

100% upon receipt of agreement and invoice.

All payments must be received before the start of **ECCI 2024**. Should the Sponsor fail to complete payments prior the commencement of the Meeting, the organiser will be entitled to cancel the reservation while cancellation will be subject to cancellation fees as determined below.

Sponsoring and exhibiting arrangements will be confirmed in writing between the ECCI 2024 Secretariat and the sponsoring/exhibiting organisation using the standard ECCI 2024 contract text. An invoice with payment details will be sent together with the contract.

After receipt of the sponsorship agreement you will receive an invoice, payable within 30 days after receipt. If the invoice has not been fully paid prior to the Meeting, you will not have access to the Meeting.



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Cancellation/Modification Policy

Cancellation or modification of items must be sent via email to the ECCI 2024 Meeting Secretariat: ecci@congressbydesign.com.

The organisers shall retain:

- 50% of the agreed package amount if the cancellation/modification is made 3 months before the start of the meeting.
- 100% of the agreed package amount if the cancellation/modification is made less than 3 months before the start of the meeting

Any refunds of deposits paid will be made after the meeting but no later than 31 December 2024. The company will not be entitled to any interest that the organiser may have derived from deposits made by the company. All bank charges, including senders and receiver's charges, resulting from a refund related to cancellation of sponsorship/exhibition items will be passed on to the sponsor/exhibitor.

Liability

The organisers accept no responsibility for any damage if the sponsored event is not performed due to any obstacle or hindrance outside the control of the organisers, which they could not reasonably have foreseen when signing this contract and which the organisers could not have avoided at a reasonable effort of costs. Such obstacles and hindrances include, but are not limited, to the outbreak of war, civil riots, governmental or other obstacles for the freedom of travel, union actions, natural disasters, fire, flooding and any other circumstance that fall within the meaning of the above.

ECCI 2024 Meeting Secretariat

For further details on the opportunities available please contact:

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