How to find the congress venue

Public transport:
At 7 mn on foot from Bern main station

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- or the parking of Bern main station (www.bahnhofparking.ch) at 7 mn on foot from the hotel

ANNUAL MEETING 2018
HOT TOPICS IN NEONATOLOGY

TUESDAY, JANUARY 16, 2018
BEST WESTERN HOTEL BERN

Credits from
Swiss Society of Neonatology (SSN) 5 credits
Swiss Society of Paediatrics (SSP) 5 credits
Hot Topics in Neonatology

Dear Colleagues and Friends,

On behalf of the Organizing Committee, we are pleased to welcome you to the 2018 Annual Conference of the Swiss Society of Neonatology in Berne. Inspired by the success of the past events, we have strived to organize the upcoming conference entitled Hot Topics in Neonatology intending to update all professionals taking care of newborn infants.

We will focus on two main topics:
1) Pros and cons of new, less invasive respiratory support strategies such as high flow nasal canula and less invasive surfactant administration
2) Use of stem cell therapy in perinatology

The purpose of this conference is to launch the discussion between clinicians, key experts and internationally reknown speakers.

The organizing committee welcomes young pediatricians and neonologists as well as nurses, midwives and obstetricians to actively participate by presenting their research. This conference is a great opportunity to create or extend your network among colleagues of the Swiss community and to get involved in scientific discussions and projects.

In this spirit, we invite you to participate and make this annual meeting – once again – a successful, fruitful and stimulating experience in a friendly setting.

Please be sure to submit your abstract prior to October 31, 2017 and indicate your preferred mode of presentation (oral or poster).

On behalf of the Organizing Committee
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Program

09:00-09:30 Welcome coffee – exhibition and poster area
09:30-10:30 Welcome words – Matthias Roth-Kleiner, Mathias Nelle
Short reports
10:30-11:00 Controversies in use of nCPAP and High Flow Therapy (HFNC) – Mario Rüdiger, Dresden (DE)
11:00-11:30 Coffee break – exhibition & poster area
11:30-12:20 LISA – Less Invasive Surfactant Administration –
Pro – Angela Kribs, Köln (DE)
Contra – Sven Schulzke, Basel
12:20-13:10 Business-Meeting of the SSN – Matthias Roth-Kleiner
13:10-14:30 Lunch break and poster walk – exhibition and poster area
14:30-15:30 Stem cell therapy in Perinatology
Stem cells and birth – Martin Müller, Bern
Stem cells and BPD – Mario Rüdiger, Dresden (DE)
Stem cells and white matter disease – Raphael Guzman, Basel
15:30-16:00 Coffee break – exhibition and poster area
16:00-16:15 Bamatter Award – Lecture
16:15-16:25 Awards: Case of the Year, Best Poster Presentation, Best Oral Short Presentation
Thomas M. Berger, Matthias Roth-Kleiner, Romaine Arlettaz Mieth
16:30 Closing words