



Advances in Cell Based Screening 2017

ASTRAZENECA, GOTHENBURG, SWEDEN
10th - 11th May 2017



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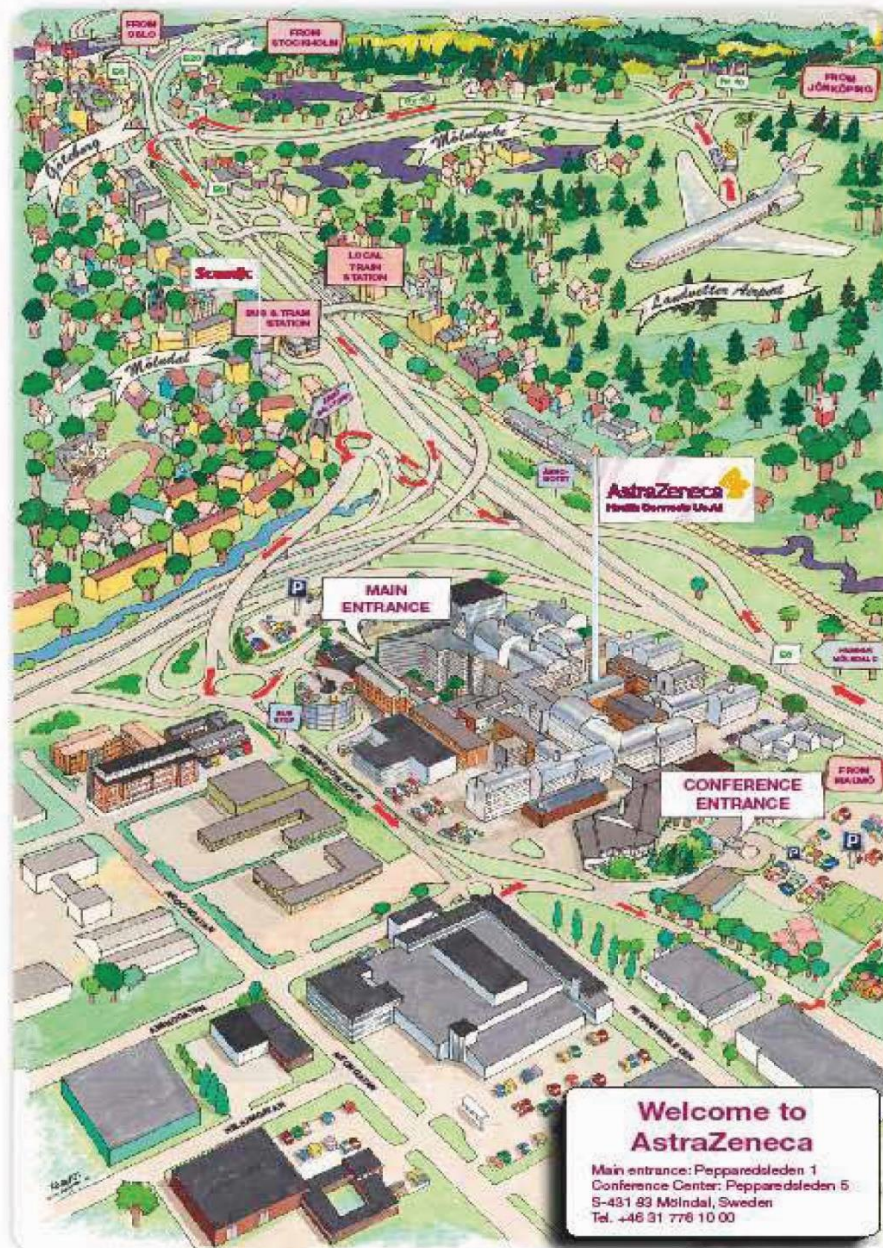
Exhibitor Information Advances in Cell Based Screening 2017

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Advance Information for Exhibitors:



Please note that it is **NOT** possible to enter via the AstraZeneca main reception

Venue: PGN Conference Centre, Astra Zeneca R&D, Gothenburg, Sweden

For shipping address

please see page 4 Contact

telephone number: +46 31

776 27 14

On-Site contact: Ingela Parling: Ingela.Parling@astrazeneca.com

Web: <http://www.astrazeneca.se>



Set Up:

Tuesday 9th May 2017 14:00 until 17:00
Wednesday 10th May 2017 08:00 until 08:45

Goods shipped in from vendors in advance, will be brought up from Dispatch Centre to PGN Centre, but not delivered to each individual table. These must be collected by vendors at the dispatch point. A barrow and pallet lifter will be available for use if required.

Loading Access:

PLEASE NOTE: the exhibition area is on the FIRST FLOOR. There is a broad staircase and a LIFT with a maximum width of 90 cm (door) x height of 230 cm and depth of 200cm. There is a maximum load of 650Kg. Please do not bring anything you may not be able to get to the first floor or to your stand on your own.

Exhibit hours:

Wednesday 10th May 2017: 08:45 to 17:00 + Networking Reception 17:00-18:30
Thursday 11th May 2017: 08:45 to 13:50

Registration desk opens at 08:45 on 10th and 11th of May.

Breakdown:

Thursday 11th May 2017 from 14:00 till 16:00.

Stands:

This is a TABLE TOP exhibition. As part of the both package, exhibitors will be supplied with: A table 140 x 70 cm which can bear a load of approx. 60kg
2 chairs

Please bring your own table-cloth.

There is enough space around the tables for pop-up banners, or even a small display stand. If in doubt, please call ELRIG +44(0) 1904 405177.



Electrical Power:

You will be provided with access to one power outlet. PLEASE NOTE - if travelling from outside Sweden you will need adaptors for Swedish power points as they can be difficult to get hold of in Sweden.

Shipping & Storage:

Please use the address below for shipping: AstraZeneca R& D Molndal
Lastbryggan MA1
Att: ELRIG
Pepperadsleden 3
431 83 Molndal Sweden
+46 8 57 88 34 48

Please mark ALL your boxes clearly with YOUR COMPANY NAME and YOUR STAND NUMBER

The AZ dispatch centre will collect and then deliver everything to PGN conference centre before 2pm on Tuesday 9th May 2017. They will also collect return goods for shipping out on the morning of Friday 12th May.

AstraZeneca will accept deliveries from Friday 5th May 2017.

IF YOU ARE SHIPPING ANYTHING LARGE PLEASE LET THE VENUE KNOW SO THEY CAN ARRANGE FOR STORAGE AND HANDLING.

There will be a small storage room for crates etc. during the show. Pre-ordered collection of goods after the event should be no later than Friday 12th May 2017. Please note: AstraZeneca is not responsible for goods not picked up within two weeks after the event.

Once packaged for collection, goods to be returned must be properly addressed and collection information written on the dispatch sheet. The dispatch sheet will be circulated during the meeting and each vendor must have to hand the following information:

Sender
Time & date of pick-up
Courier who will collect it.

It is each exhibitor's responsibility to pack, wrap, and close everything ready to be shipped off including relevant documents and to and bring it to the store room.

Please ensure that all return shipping paperwork is clearly attached.



Site Instructions

Smoking:

Please note that AstraZeneca operate as a no smoking site; however there are permitted smoking locations. We ask that you please do not smoke in any other areas; your cooperation is greatly appreciated.

Photography and Recording:

AstraZeneca do not allow photograph on its site.

Health and Safety:

Please read the document: "ELRIG Equipment Demonstration Safety Regulations v1.3.pdf"

if you have not already done so, a copy of this attached within the same email you received this document.

You are responsible for the Health and Safety of your booth, all the equipment and staff within it and for the safety of any delegates who visit it.

If ELRIG or Venue staff identify anything that causes them concern on Health and Safety grounds, you may be required to remedy it, including, if necessary, removal.

Please do NOT block free access along the aisles past your booth or any fire exits: these are set to legal requirements for fire safety and evacuation.

There will be a Health & Safety walk-round / inspection before the exhibition begins at 8.45am May 10th. The whole exhibition must be declared safe and signed-off before we can open to the hall to the delegates. If you think there's anything on your stand that may give rise to concern, please speak to a member of the ELRIG team as early as possible, & we'll try to help sort it out for you.

Insurance:

It is the exhibitor's responsibility to arrange public liability insurance for their stand area and any products they bring into the venue. It is the organiser's responsibility to arrange public liability insurance for the public areas within the exhibition.

Fire and Emergency Procedures:

Fire exits will be clearly signed. In the event of an emergency, follow the direction of the venue security staff and ELRIG stewards.

Security:

The PGN Conference Centre, will be locked at night. It is advisable though to remove small / easy to pick-up valuables such as laptops etc.



Badges:

Please ensure that you are registered as an exhibitor before May 10th. On show days, you can collect your badge from the ELRIG registration desk before the show commences.

Delegate List:

A full list of attendees will be e-mailed to participating exhibitors as soon as possible after the event. Use is subject to ELRIG's "Fair Usage" policy; details on request. This list is not available before the event.

Hotels:

Scandic Hotel
Barnhemsgatan 23
431 31 Mölndal
Göteborg
Sverige
Tel: +46 31 751 52 00

<http://www.scandichotels.se/Hotels/Sverige/Goteborg/Scandic-Molndal/#.VTjMJdJVhBc>

Hotel Mölndals Bro
Nämndemansgatan 5,
431 33
Mölndal,
Tel: +46 31 87 01 20

<http://www.hotelmolndalsbro.se/>

Help / Further Information:

If you have questions about the exhibition which are not covered in this document, please contact our organisers:

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The ELRIG team will be available on-site during setup, exhibition and breakdown. If you can't find us, please ask the registration desk to give us a call.



Advances in Cell Based Screening 2017 #ELRIGCBS17

Conference Overview

It is our pleasure to welcome you to the 2nd ELRIG bi-annual conference on Advances in Cell Based Screening in Drug Discovery to be held on the 10th and 11th of May 2017 at AstraZeneca in Gothenburg. This interactive 2-day event will host leading scientists from academia and industry, coming together to discuss the latest developments in cell based screening in drug discovery.

Cell based assays and screens are utilized in drug discovery to explore disease mechanisms and identify novel molecular therapeutics. Significant efforts have therefore been dedicated to developing cell-based assay platforms capable of providing a more accurate biological context and thus reduce the number of animal tests, improve translation to human physiology/pathophysiology and accelerate the drug discovery process.

Recent developments in assay and detection technologies have improved the sensitivity in drug screening and, together with the application of native cell systems, including primary and stem cell derived cellular models, in early hit and lead identification means that potential novel therapeutic molecules are being applied to human cellular systems earlier than ever.

The program for this ELRIG meeting has been developed to expand scientific horizons in key topic areas such as advanced cell models, applied omics, assays/methods exploring mode of action, phenotypic screening, target deconvolution, and much more. Speakers from leading laboratories, both academic and industrial, will present and discuss the latest updates and advances in cellular systems and drug discovery platforms. Throughout the course of the two day conference, you will get an exclusive opportunity to network and be involved in inspiring and interesting discussions with scientists and researchers from the pharmaceutical, academic and vendor communities.

There will be opportunities for scientists to network and discuss challenges and solutions relating to current and breakthrough assay technologies and provide a platform to assess the true value and impact of new and innovative approaches to cell based drug discovery.



Terms and Conditions:

1. Exhibitors are responsible for the Health and Safety of their own stand and the equipment there in. In the event that any item of equipment or part of the exhibition stand is identified as a potential H&S risk, the organisers retain the right to request removal of the item / booth.

1.1 Compliance with the ELRIG's safety regulations for demonstrations is mandatory. Detail of these regulations may be found in the attached document **"ELRIG Equipment Demonstration Safety Regulations v1.3"**

2. Any material damage to the Venue's structure or property will be billed directly to the company responsible.

3. Participation in the exhibition is undertaken entirely at the company's own risk, and at the discretion of the ELRIG Board.

4. The ELRIG and Venue reserve the right to refuse entry to / request removal of any exhibition materials, equipment or individual.

4.1 This may include exhibitors who have failed to pay in advance of the event, or who have outstanding debts with the ELRIG.

5. Cancellation Policy: the ELRIG will refund a percentage of the full booth cost depending on the time we have remaining before the event to try to re-sell the space:

4 months:	50%	Calculated in whole calendar months prior to the date of the show opening.
3 months:	40%	
2 months:	20%	
1 month:	0%	

6. Attendance at the exhibition implies acceptance of these Terms and Conditions.

7. Appeals on any of these Terms may be made in writing to the ELRIG Board of Directors.

8. Final decision on issues relating to any of these Terms rests with the ELRIG Board of Directors.



Future ELRIG Events

Drug Discovery 2017

3rd – 4th October
2017 ACC
Liverpool
Liverpool, UK



To make sure you are part of these events, register online now at: www.elrig.org
Tel: +44(0)1904 405177 E-mail: info@elrig.org

Advertising & Sponsorship:

We offer a number of advertising and sponsorship opportunities. If you are interested in advertising and sponsorship at future events, please contact the ELRIG team at info@elrig.org

Help ELRIG:

ELRIG is a “not for profit” organisation, run largely by volunteers drawn from both our vendor and scientific communities. We can always use help so if you would like to become involved at any level, please speak to one of the ELRIG team at an event, or e-mail our General Manager Sanj Kumar: sanj.kumar@elrig.org



Our Mission:

ELRIG's mission is to provide outstanding scientific content to the life science community that is:

- Freely accessible to all biopharmaceutical and academic researchers
- Focused on the newest research and state-of-the-art technology advancements
- Enabling for biopharmaceutical drug development programs across the UK and Europe

ELRIG was founded based on the use and broad applications of automation, robotics and instrumentation in life science laboratories. Today, we have grown and now cover a broad range of science and technology areas including drug discovery, assay development and screening, high throughput technologies, diagnostics and biomarkers, and bioinformatics.

More recently, we have responded to the needs of biopharma by developing scientific programs that focus on cutting-edge research areas like primary cell models and phenotypic screening that have the potential to revolutionize drug discovery.

We believe that meetings and conferences should be accessible to all. To meet our open access claims, we provide free-of-charge access to all delegates and aim to cover the cost of staging our events through the contributions of the exhibitors and sponsors. We also support an open policy of collaboration with other well-established and respected professional societies to add both breadth and depth to our offering.

The ELRIG community has now grown to more than 7,000 life science professionals across the UK and Europe. Members include scientists, researchers, engineers, developers and business- people within academia, industry, government organizations and private institutes.

ELRIG benefits members by providing high impact networking events in which experiences of automation are presented and at which relevant vendors exhibit their latest technology to enable the exchange of information within disciplines and across academic and biopharmaceutical organisations.

And finally THANK YOU to all the exhibitors participating in this event.

ELRIG has pioneered the model of delivering events that are free-of-charge to delegates, whilst keeping the cost to our exhibitors as low as possible.

Ultimately, we rely on your support, so thank you for choosing ELRIG.