IMS.Medicine.Camp.

12 - 15th OCTOBER 2017
BRIXEN (ITALY)

CONFERENCE
ACCLIMATIZATION AND HIGH ALTITUDE ILLNESS. FACTS VS MYTHS

EXPERIENCE.HIKES
DISCOVER SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGICAL POLES IN SOUTH TYROL
HIGH QUOTE CONFERENCES

The **International Mountain Summit** is known as one of the most important mountain festivals in Europe. Since 9 years Brixen becomes during the IMS week a place to meet the mountain and its protagonists, famous and also unknown, being a laboratory in which the mountain is discussed in different aspects. Emotional evenings, great films, intense talks, impulses and energies, and the unique experience of the IMS walks open to visitors coming from all over the world new perspectives to live the mountain.

Since years, under the impulse of **Dr. Luigi Fiorenzo Festi**, the Medicine.Camp plays an important role during the IMS. 2017 for the first time, the most important mountain medicine experts of the world will meet at the International Mountain Summit to discuss on facts and myths about the acclimatization. The 3 days long program is a unique occasion to meet, discuss and live themes and issues inherent on the mountain medicine sphere.

Enjoy the hikes in the **Dolomites** with high quote conferences and meetings in company of world known scientists and alpinists. Get a privileged access to the IMS world: evenings with speakers and guests coming from all over the world, great music and mood of the festival and the possibility to taste also the Tyrolean flavours experiencing **Törggelen** and other typical specialties. In these days **Brixen** will be the place where mountain, medicine and technology will meet to move towards the future.

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THE PROGRAM

Thursday 12th October

16:30 **Welcome aperitif**
Luigi Festi introduces the IMS.Medicine.Camp

18:00 Dinner at IMS.Alm by Pircher

20:00 **IMS Night****

Peter.Habeler (AUT)
Mountaineer

Florian.Langenscheidt (GER)
Happiness researcher & author

22:00 Abklettern with Live Music

Friday 13th October

8:30 **Mountain Medicine Societies** presentation

9:00 **Mountain Medicine:**
practice across the Alps

10:30 Coffe Break

10:45 **Research Perspectives in High Altitude, Mountain Medicine and Mountain Emergency Medicine across the Alps**

12:00 Final remarks by Presidents of Societies

12:15 **Erik.Swenson** (USA) - Lectio Magistralis***
Physiological aspects of high altitude illness

12:45 Short Lunch at IMS.Alm by Pircher

13:30 **Conference** at Forum Brixen**
Acclimatization and High Altitude Illness: Facts versus Myths

18:30 Buffet at IMS.Alm by Pircher

20:00 **IMS NIGHT****

Samuel.Koch (GER)
Actor

Michael.Martin (GER)
Photographer and Adventurer

22:00 Abklettern with Live Music

Saturday 14th October

8:15 **Meeting in Forum Brixen**
Experience Walk to Plose Hütte / CAI

12:00 Lunch at Plose Hütte

13:00 **High quote talk*****
with Günther Cologna & Luigi Festi
A unique event with all the majors in the field of high altitude illness as well as the speakers of the conference

17:30 **Törggelen at Hubenbauer**
typical south-tyrolean dinner with wine and seasonal dishes

20:00 **IMS Photo Night****

Award Ceremony
of the IMS Photo Contest

Alex.Honnold (USA)
free solo climber

22:00 Abklettern with Live Music

Sunday 15th October

Individual Departures

* Translation German, Italian
** Translation English, German, Italian
*** Talk Language English

ACCLIMATIZATION AND HIGH ALTITUDE ILLNESS: FACTS VERSUS MYTHS**

13:40 **Greetings by the Authorities and Presentation of the Conference**
Luigi Festi, Peter Hackett

In memory of Bruno Durrer
Hermann Brugger (ITA)

14:00 **Pre-acclimatization myths and realities**
Peter Bärtsch (GER)

14:15 **Screening for risky travellers to altitude**
Andrew Luks (USA)

14:30 **Predicting altitude illness**
Jean Paul Richalet (FRA)

14:45 **Maximizing performance at altitude**
Carsten Lundby (SUI)

15:00 **Acute Mountain Sickness**
Giacomo Strapazzon (ITA)

15:15 **High altitude pulmonary edema – no deaths allowed!**
Marco Maggiorini (SUI)

15:30 **High altitude cerebral edema**
Peter Hackett (USA)

15:45 **Medications in the mountains prevention versus performance enhancing**
Paul Robach (FRA)

16.00 Coffee Break

16:30 **Round table and Audience discussion with alpinists and experts outside the faculty**

Peter Habeler (AUT)
Silvio Mondinelli (ITA)
Annaluisa Cogo (ITA)
Erik Swenson (USA)
Guido Giardini (ITA)
Günther Suman (AUT)

18:00 Closing of the conference

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SPEAKERS

Luigi Fiorenzo Festi (ITA)
Director Mountain Emergency Master & President of the Medical Commission of CAI

Peter Hackett (USA)
Director Institute for Altitude Medicine Colorado

Andrew M. Luks (USA)
Professor Pulmonary Medicine

Peter Habeler (AUT)
Mountaineer

Michael Martin (GER)
Photographer & adventurer

Marco Maggiorini (SUI)
Medical Intesive Care Unit
University Hospital of Zurich

Jean Paul Richalet (FRA)
Cardiology, Sports Medicine, Internal Medicine – Université Paris 13 Nord

Carsten Lundby (SUI)
Clinical Professor, University of Zurich

Hermann Brugger (ITA)
Director Institute of Mountain Emergency Medicine - EURAC Italy

Florian Langenscheidt (GER)
Happiness researcher & author

Giacomo Strapazzon (ITA)
Institute of Mountain Emergency Medicine - EURAC Italy

Paul Robach (FRA)
Physiologist, Ecole Nationale des Sports de Montagne, France

Peter Bärtsch (GER)
Specialist for Internal Medicine and Sports Medicine
Heidelberg University

Samuel Koch (GER)
Actor

Alex Honnold (USA)
Free Solo climber

Place. Brixen (Bz - Italy)
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Entry fee. **249 €** all entries are included
(Without accommodation)

The conferences of Friday, October 13th are **free of charge**

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