



**PhD and postgraduate course
'Disorders of Sex Development (DSD)- the roles of
genes and the environment'**

April 26-27 2015

Copenhagen, Denmark

in conjunction with
The 8th Copenhagen Workshop on Endocrine Disruptors
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Venue: Auditorium 1, Rigshospitalet, Copenhagen

Organising committee:

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Sunday April 26th 2015

From 8 a.m. Registration and Coffee

9.15-9.30 Welcome and Introduction to the course
Katharina M Main, Denmark

First Session 'Disorders of steroidogenesis'

9.30-10 Steroid profiling
Tuelay Guran, UK

10-10.30 Adrenarche and its disorders
Jarmo Jääskeläinen, Finland

10.30-11 Panel Discussion

11-11.30 COFFEE

Second session 'Sex determination and differentiation'

11.30-12 Sex determination and differentiation in the rodent
Humphrey Yao, USA

12-12.30 Sex determination and differentiation in the human
Faisal Ahmed, UK

12.30-13 Panel Discussion

13-14 LUNCH

Third session 'Disorders of Sex Development in the human'

14-14.30 Classification and diagnostics of DSD
Faisal Ahmed, UK

14.30-15 Genital operations in DSD
Daniela Brindusa Gorduza, France

15-15.30 Panel Discussion

15.30-16 COFFEE

Fourth session: 'Gender identity'

16-16.30 Gender identity in DSD
Melissa Hines, UK

16.30-17 Transgender children and teenagers
Olle Söder, Sweden

17-17.30 Panel Discussion

18-21 DINNER for all participants

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Fifth Session: 'Testicular Dysgenesis syndrome'

9-9.30 The Testicular Dysgenesis syndrome
Niels E. Skakkebæk, Denmark

9.30-10 Use of an animal model to validate the TDS concept and to identify potential
causal agents
Richard M Sharpe, UK

10-10.30 Panel Discussion

10.30-11 COFFEE

Sixth session: 'Environmental factors relevant to reproductive disorders'

11-11.30 Anogenital distance as a read-out of androgen action *in utero*
Shanna H Swan, USA

11.30-12 Cryptorchidism- the environmental connection
Jorma Toppari, Finland

12-12.30 Panel Discussion

12.30-13.30 LUNCH

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