



# Bergen 2020

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2020

THURSDAY 11<sup>TH</sup> – SATURDAY 13<sup>TH</sup> JUNE 2020. BERGEN, NORWAY

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# Welcome to the 32<sup>nd</sup> Euroson Congress in Bergen

Dear colleagues,

We cordially invite you to Euroson 2020 taking place in **Bergen, the gateway to the fjords and mountains** of Norway. Bergen is a historic city beautifully located along the western coastline with a pulsating harbor surrounded by 7 mountains. The venue of the congress is Grieghallen, named after Norway's famous composer Edvard Grieg, who was born and lived in Bergen. The congress is organized by the National Centre for Ultrasound in Gastroenterology and Norwegian Society for Diagnostic Ultrasound (NFUD), and this event will be NFUD's 44th conference. Euroson 2020 is arranged in collaboration with the Danish (DUDS) and Swedish (SFMU) ultrasound societies, and SonoScandinavia.

## **Euroson 2020-The gateway to ultrasound**

In accordance with the EFSUMB's motto "Building a European Ultrasound Community", the congress will create a vibrant, interdisciplinary meeting place for students, doctors, engineers, professors, sonographers, industry and all stakeholders of ultrasound. The congress will focus on new developments in science and promote educational activities. Renowned

speakers from all over the world will provide state-of-the-art lectures and live demonstrations. There will be hands-on training facilities where students and young doctors can experience supervision and guidance by experts of various fields. A dedicated student program will enhance the training outcome for young students, enabling a good start of their future careers.

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Ultrasonography is important for correct diagnosis and treatment of many patients, and the doctors base much of their clinical decisions on information provided by scans. Interventions and ultrasound-directed therapies are also increasingly employed to promote personalized therapy. EFSUMB is a major contributor of new clinical guidelines and recommendations, and many of these will be presented at the congress.

We envision that this congress will be important for your personal education and professional development. We look forward to welcoming you to the 32nd Euroson Congress in Bergen.

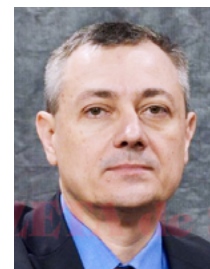
Sincerely yours,



**Prof. Odd Helge Gilja**  
Congress President



**Assoc. Prof. Roald F. Havre**  
Chair Scientific Committee



**Prof. Adrian Saftoiu**  
EFSUMB Congress President

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## Euroson 2020-The gateway to ultrasound

### Topics and highlights:

- Point of care ultrasound (POCUS): Euroson meets SonoScandinavia at the grand stage in Grieghallen. For the first time SonoScandinavia takes place as an integrated educational activity in the Euroson congress
- Elastography – A post-graduate course in liver elastography will take place and new guidelines presented.
- Contrast-Enhanced US – are you up to date with the US contrast agents and how they may benefit your practice? Presentation of new guidelines.
- Extensive programme in US in Obstetrics and gynecology
- US in examinations of joints, muscle and tendons
- New clinical guidelines in gastrointestinal ultrasound (GIUS)
- Technical development of US – how US is used in therapeutics (sonoporation, nanotechnology)
- Student programme – how to use US during the clinical examination in the acute admitted patient
- Speed poster presentations. Get 3 min of fame presenting selected abstracts
- And many other topics, e.g. Interventional ultrasound, small parts, etc.

### Scientific committee:

Roald Flesland Havre (Chair), Stein Magnus Aukland, Sigrid Berg, Andreas Diamantopolous, Cathrine Ebbing, Torbjørn Moe Eggebø, Caroline Ewertsen, Odd Helge Gilja, Hilde Berner Hammer, Spiros Kotopoulis, Thomas Langø, Lasse Løvstakken, Anesa Mulabecirovic, Michael Bachmann Nielsen, Anders Nilsson, Kim Nylund, Nils Petter Oveland, Vikas Kumar Sarna, Sara Selstedt, Fredrik Bjorvatn Sævik, Eva Tegnander, Ruth Stocklund Thomsen, Kari Utne, Mette Nåmdal Vesterhus

### Local organizing committee:

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### Venue:

Grieghallen Convention Center and Concert Hall

### Free welcome reception:

June 11<sup>th</sup>

### Congress dinner:

Fløien Folkerestaurant, June 12<sup>th</sup>

### Key dates:

- Opening for abstract submission: 1 November 2019
- Registration opens: 2 January 2020
- Deadline for abstract submission: 15 February 2020
- Early bird registration ends: 1 March 2020
- Notification of abstract acceptance and presentation type (oral/poster): 1 April 2020

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Registration	Early bird registration from 2 January 2020 to 1 March 2020	Regular registration from 2 March 2020	Registration with abstract submission from 2 January 2020
EFSUMB member	5000 NOK (500 Euro)	6000 NOK (600 Euro)	4000 NOK (400 Euro)
Non member	6000 NOK (600 Euro)	7000 NOK (700 Euro)	4000 NOK (400 Euro)
Trainees	4000 NOK (400 Euro)	4500 NOK (450 Euro)	4000 NOK (400 Euro)
Student	1000 NOK (100 Euro)	1000 NOK (100 Euro)	

## Bergen - the gateway to the fjords

Surrounded by seven mountains, Bergen is ideal for enjoying the beauties of nature.

A few minutes' ride on the Fløibanen funicular will take you from the city centre to the top of Mt. Fløyen, while a cable car takes you to the summit of our highest mountain, Mt. Ulriken. Enjoy the views and the peace and quiet while gazing down at the city. Sample the delicacies on offer at the Fish Market, or spend hours among

the fish, penguins and seals at Bergen Aquarium.

Bergen has variety of activities to suit every interest. As the first capital of Norway, a historic trading harbour and the home to some of the great Viking kings of Norway, Bergen has a rich history which manifests itself in the many museums and cultural activities offered. Further, we are known as the 'gateway to the fjords', and can boast breathtaking scenery

and nature experiences from the leisurely to the extreme.

Bergen has given a warm welcome to its visitors for more than 900 years. Bryggen has become a symbol of our cultural heritage and has gained a place on UNESCO's World Heritage List. The old Hanseatic wharf is architecturally unique and is perhaps one of the most familiar images in all of Norway.



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