Program of the Summer School on Chemoprevention

Wednesday, June 24, 2015

9:00 – 9:30 am  Welcome from organizers
9:30–10:15 am – Silvio de Flora (University of Genoa, Italy): Cancer chemoprevention over years: a bumpy road from epidemiological warnings to clinical applications.

10:15–11:15 am  Young Scientists’ short presentations
Robert Kleszcz et al. (Poznań University of Medical Science, Poland): Targeting aberrant cancer metabolism – the role of sirtuins.
Natalia Nowacka et al. (Medical University of Lublin, Poland): Edible mushrooms as a source of chemopreventive beta-glucans.
Izabela Koss-Mikołajczyk et al. (Gdańsk University of Technology, Poland): Relationship between the betalain composition in Opuncia ficus indica and Beta vulgaris varieties and biological activity of their extracts.
Brian Lang et al. (Eidgenössische Technische Hochschule Zürich, Switzerland): Cost-optimal screening timelines for colorectal cancer.

11:15–11:30 am  Coffee time
11:30–12:00 pm – Jędrzej Antosiewicz (Gdańsk Medical University, Poland): Link between exercise, iron metabolism and cancer chemoprevention.
12:00–12:30 pm – Agnieszka Bartoszek (Gdańsk University of Technology, Poland): Nutrition and Cancer: Do not blame us for poor dietary choices, give us better foods.

12:30 – 1:30 pm  Discussion and “chemopreventive lunch”
1:30–2:00 pm – Wanda Baer-Dubowska (Poznań University of Medical Science, Poland): Why your DNA isn’t your destiny? Phytochemicals and epigenome.
2:00–3:00 pm – Adriana Albini (IRCCS “Tecnologie Avanzate e Modelli Assistenziali in Oncologia”, Italy): Drink your prevention: Hop derived isoflavone xanthohumol, green tea catechins and triterpenoids from orange peel.