ANNOUNCEMENT

FIRST INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON FOOD, NUTRITION AND CHEMICAL TOXICITY

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There is increasing evidence that chemical toxicity is markedly affected by food and nutrition. Increasing public awareness of the need for adequate nutrition, and of the harmful effects of environmental pollutants, is resulting in many changes in dietary habits, often without appropriate scientific or medical justification. The objectives of this Conference are to examine and discuss evidence for the modulation effects of food and nutrition on drug and chemical toxicity.

Scientific Committee:

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Topics:

Food—the most important environmental factor for health; role of nutrients in detoxication of drugs and chemicals; parenteral and enteral nutrition of patients and drug toxicity; oxygen radical toxicity, lipid peroxidation, and the protective effects of food; the importance of diet in animal toxicity/carcinogenicity studies; food carcinogens and anti-carcinogens; effects of cooking and food processing on chemical toxicity; regulatory aspects—nutritional status and ADIs; diet, the gut microflora and chemical toxicity; protein/energy, lipid/lipotrope, and vitamin requirements for optimizing detoxication.

Poster communications are invited.

The registration fee for the Conference is £300, inclusive of Abstracts and Conference publication.

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