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# **LYME BORRELIOSIS AND OTHER TICK-BORNE DISEASES**

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## Official Language

English

## Main Topics

*concerning Lyme borreliosis, tick-borne encephalitis and other emerging tick-borne diseases such as anaplasmosis, babesiosis, rickettsioses, etc...*

Biology, Clinical presentation, Diagnostic procedures, Epidemiology, Genetics, Immunology, Infectious cycles, Laboratory aspects, Pathogenesis, Prevention, Treatment

## Submission of Abstracts

Abstracts should be submitted online via the website [www.iclb2010.com](http://www.iclb2010.com)

**Please construct your abstract as follows:** Title, Authors (first- and surnames; underline the presenting author), Department, Institution, City, State, Country. Text with a minimum of 250 and a maximum of 300 words.

**Indicate the relevant field for your abstract from the main topics.**

Include full address, fax and phone numbers, e-mail address.

**Deadline for abstract submission 31 May 2010**

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# Welcome to Ljubljana

Dear Colleagues and Friends,

It gives us great pleasure to invite you to the 12<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Lyme Borreliosis and other Tick-Borne Diseases (ICLB 2010), which will be held in Ljubljana, 26–29 September 2010.

The programme of the ICLB 2010 will reflect the interconnections between human beings, vectors, and microbes and the progress that has been made in the basic understanding of these interactions. The programme will cover the key topics and latest findings in basic research, laboratory and clinical aspects of the diseases, prevention and therapy, being addressed from a truly interdisciplinary perspective. We are looking forward to welcoming you in Ljubljana, and to experience a scientifically rewarding and personally enriching meeting.

On behalf of the Organising and Scientific Committees

Franc Strle and Gerold Stanek

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