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DERMFEST 2018 – Friday 26th & Saturday 27th October

Dear friends,

It is my pleasure to invite you, on behalf of my colleagues, to attend DERMFEST 2018, the annual academic activity of the Maltese Association of Dermatology and Venereology, to be held at The Palace Hotel, Sliema on Friday 26th and Saturday 27th October.

The academic programme will focus on the young and the elderly and has been compiled with the Maltese Paediatric Association and the Geriatric Medicine Society of Malta. We will also have, for the first time, a Patients' Symposium on Saturday afternoon in collaboration with the Malta Eczema Society and the Psoriasis Association of Malta.

We are fortunate this year to have two eminent visiting speakers – Christos Zouboulis (Germany) and our own Michael Camilleri (Mayo Clinic, US) and local colleagues who will give a variety of lectures. Topics include hidradenitis suppurativa, acne, blistering disorders, STIs, prescribing in children and the elderly, infantile haemangiomas, dry skin, skin infections, skin malignancies, skin histology, skin ageing, refugee dermatology, paediatric and geriatric dermatology in general practice, quality of life issues and advances in eczema and psoriasis. Our aim is to provide attendees with useful information that can be applied to daily practice.

We are sure you will find Dermfest 2018 informative and useful and look forward to seeing you!

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