



It gives us great pleasure to invite you to the 20th European Congress of Endocrinology (ECE 2018), on behalf of the European Society of Endocrinology (ESE), the Programme Organising Committee and the Local Organising Committee. ECE is designed to support scientific and professional interaction among all fields of endocrinology and metabolism, from bench to bedside, with the aim of advancing knowledge and improving patient care.

Continuing the excitement and momentum of ECE 2017 in Lisbon, Portugal, the Programme Organising Committee has created a scientific programme featuring the best international, European and local experts as speakers in a versatile scientific programme covering all 8 focus areas. This year's programme will include 11 prize and plenary lectures, 30 symposia on the most salient topics in endocrinology, 16 Meet the Expert – Clinician sessions, 3 Meet the Expert – Basic Scientist sessions, 6 New Scientific Approaches sessions and 6 debates. There will be a symposium dedicated to Late Breaking News and another organised by the European Young Endocrinologists Society (EYES). We are also catering for the nurses through the Endocrine Nurse' sessions and Meet the Nurse Expert sessions.

We look forward to welcoming you to Barcelona for ECE 2018.