

FIRST IBS CHANNEL NETWORK MEETING

ROLDUC, THE NETHERLANDS

The first IBS Channel Network meeting will be held at the conference centre Rolduc (12th century former abbey, The Netherlands) May 8-11, 2007. The scientific programme committee has selected the following three broad themes as the invited programme:

High-dimensional data

Opening Keynote lecture: Ulrich Mansmann
Invited lectures: Age Smilde, Cajo Ter Braak

Methods in epidemiology

Invited lectures: Daniel Commenges, Miguel Hernan

Adaptive designs in clinical trials

Invited lectures: Chris Jennison, Fabian Tibaldi
Closing Keynote lecture: Marc Buyse

You are invited to submit an abstract for a contributed oral/poster presentation. Contributions may cover a wide range of topics, but contributions devoted to one of the topics of the invited sessions are particularly encouraged. Deadline for abstracts is: January 30, 2007. More information is available on the conference website:

www.bms-aned.nl/Rolduc2007

For your information, the Channel Network is a loose confederation of IBS Regions, founded at the end of 2005, comprising the Belgian Region, the British and Irish Region, the French Region and the Netherlands Region. It is managed by a Steering Group with members drawn from each of constituent regions, and currently coordinated by Andrew Mead from the British and Irish Region. The Channel Network Conference is intended to be the major activity of the Channel Network, and will be held every two years, with the venue rotated around the constituent regions.