Dear colleagues and friends,

Urology is a fascinating specialty and having the honour to organize the third biggest annual meeting in the western world, I would like to share our scientific achievements by offering a full-day academic program for two days in English language on the 27. and 28. Sept. 2012.

Reknown speakers of the European Society of Urology (EAU), the American Society (AUA), the International Society (SIU) and the International Continence Society (ICS) as well as from Eastern Europe countries will participate in the program of “Urology International” held for the first time in Leipzig, from 26 to 29 September 2012.

Leipzig is traditionally known as a centre for trade and exhibitions and played a key role during the “peaceful revolution” in autumn 1989, which was a decisive event for the reunification of Germany.

Besides “Urology International” there will be time enough to attend all other lectures and events in German language covering the wide spectrum of urology, such as andrology, urogynaecology, paediatric urology and renal transplantation.

With its modern and fascinating exhibition centre, Leipzig provides an ideal framework for our congress, while the pedestrian-friendly town centre invites people for a pleasant stroll through its traditional courtyards and arcades. The city represents the perfect mixture of intellectual, cultural and commercial life.

In addition for those who want to combine work and pleasure, very interesting cities like Dresden and Berlin are easily reachable by train and most of you know about our rich tradition and history there. I hope I could convince you to join us.

Welcome to Germany, welcome to Leipzig!

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The City of Leipzig

In 1497 Leipzig was granted the imperial trade fair privileges by Emperor Maximilian. Therefore Leipzig Fair is regarded the „mother of trade fairs“. Leipzig’s commercial development was given a boost in the 1990s due to the construction of the ultramodern Leipzig Fair Exhibition Centre with its fascinating architecture.

In the inner city, visitors can stroll through arcades and passageways reminiscent of former fair activities. Owing to its rich history in trade the city is still – or once again – an attractive location for investors like Porsche, BMW and DHL.

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