

 Akademie für öffentliche Gesundheit Bochum e. V.
Applied Epidemiology, Inc.

ICOE

Intensive Course in Occupational Epidemiology

Wermelskirchen, Germany
June 5 - 10, 1994

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THE CURRICULUM

The Intensive Course in Occupational Epidemiology (ICOE) is a five-day instructional course in the concepts, approaches, methods, analysis and interpretation of occupational health research. It is specifically designed to provide occupational physicians and other health professionals with the essential background for critically reading and interpreting published epidemiological research, designing basic epidemiological studies, as well as assembling and analyzing data pertaining to the health of working populations.

The course format will include lectures, seminars, informal discussion sessions, and consultation periods, during which participants may discuss with each other and with course faculty research challenges and interests.

The ICOE will feature a fully-equipped computer laboratory for instruction and workshops on biostatistical analysis of occupational health data. Actual data sets from published epidemiological studies will be incorporated.

Two leading books in the field, *Research Methods in Occupational Epidemiology* by Dr. Harvey Checkoway, and *Case Studies in Occupational Epidemiology* by Dr. Kyle Steenland will serve as the course textbooks. Numerous examples from the published literature and from the faculty's experience also will be used to illustrate key concepts.

The ICOE is presented by the Akademie für öffentliche Gesundheit, of Bochum, Germany, and Applied Epidemiology, Inc., of Amherst, Massachusetts, USA, and will feature a faculty of leading experts in the field of occupational epidemiology.

The course is fully residential requiring all participants to stay in the Bayer Training Center Große Ledder. Reservations for hotel accommodation will be made by the ICOE-organizers.

ENROLLMENT AND CREDIT

Physicians, industrial hygienists, research scientists, occupational safety and health specialists, students and any other health professionals interested in acquiring or sharpening epidemiological skills are invited to attend. No previous training in epidemiology is required. All participants who successfully complete the course will be awarded a certificate by the Akademie für öffentliche Gesundheit e. V.

LANGUAGE

The working language of the course will be English and participants will be expected to have a reasonable knowledge of spoken English.

APPLICATION

The number of participants is limited to 25.

Deadline for application with payment is May 15, 1994.

Please send your application (see the included form) as soon as possible to Walter Dieckmann, *Akademie für öffentliche Gesundheit e.V., Ruhr-Universität Bochum, D-44780 Bochum*

Upon receipt of the completed registration form with payment, and provided that space is still available, the ICOE Manager will send a letter of confirmation. In May, 1994, texts and course manuals will be mailed to all confirmed registrants. Cancellation requests received in writing by May 15, 1994, will be honored with refund, subject to a DM 200.- cancellation fee. A limited number of partial or full scholarships will be available for those with extreme financial need. Please contact the ICOE Manager for more information.

FEES

The cost of enrollment for the ICOE is DM 1200,-. Participants must regulate their registration fees before May 15, 1994, by remittance to the account *Akademie für öffentliche Gesundheit e. V.*, No 333 080 16, *Sparkasse Bochum*, BLZ 430 500 01, or by enclosing a cheque.

Participant's name and address must be marked on the transfer form.

ACCOMMODATION

ICOE participants will be accommodated at the *Bayer Training Center Große Ledder*, D-42929 *Wermelskirchen 2, Germany*. Breakfast, lunch and dinner will be served.

Classes will take place in the lecture halls of the *Bayer Training Center Große Ledder, Böttinger-Haus*.

Große Ledder, close to *Leverkusen* and *Cologne*, provides all modern amenities, is nicely situated in a parkland beside *Lake Dhünn*, and this environment offers many leisure time activities.

The price is DM 700,- per person, single room, including all meals, services and taxes for the entire course. All rooms are equipped with a shower. Accommodation fees are to be regulated directly with the *Bayer Training Center Große Ledder* upon arrival.

RECEPTION

A reception by the Director of the *Akademie für öffentliche Gesundheit e.V.* and the Program Director will be given on Sunday, June 5, 1994 at 6 p.m. at the *Bayer Training Center Große Ledder, Böttinger-Haus*. An opening banquet will follow.

Participants should arrive on Sunday, June 5, before 6 p.m. and should plan to stay until Friday afternoon, June 10.

COURSE PROGRAM AND DAILY SCHEDULE

Sunday, June 5, 1994

15:00 - 18:00 *Registration*
 Walter Dieckmann, Manager, ICOE and Akademie

18:00 *Reception and Welcome*
 Ulrich Keil, Director, Akademie
 Kenneth A. Mundt, Director, ICOE

18:30 *Opening Banquet*

Monday, June 6, 1994 - Thursday, June 9, 1994

8:30 - 12:00 *Morning Session*

12:00 - 14:30 *Lunch*

14:40 - 17:00 *Afternoon Session*

17:30 - 19:00 *Seminar*

19:00 *Dinner*

Friday, June 10, 1994

8:00 - 10:00 *Exam*

10:00 - 12:00 *Review exam*
 Course evaluation

12:00 - 14:30 *Lunch*

14:30 *Departure*

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Registration

for ICOE

June 5 - 10 1994, Wermelskirchen

Name _____

Surname _____

Degree _____

Occupation _____

Responsibilities related to Epidemiology ☐ yes ☐ no

Company or Institution _____

Mailing Address _____

Phone Number _____

Fax Number _____

Date

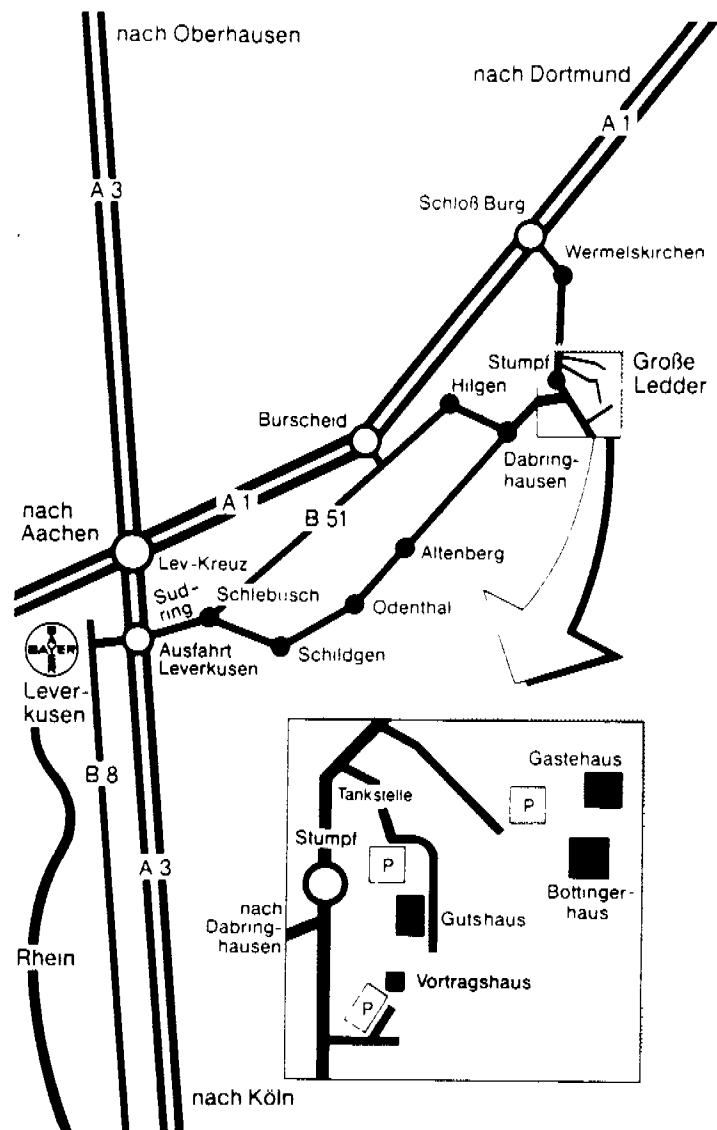
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