

The Swedish Society for Medical Statistics (FMS) and the Danish Society for Biopharmaceutical Statistics (DSBS):

Statistical Issues in Medical Statistics 4th joint workshop 27 April 2010, 10¹⁵–16³⁰

Following the three previous workshops in 2004, 2006 and 2008, this upcoming meeting will feature talks on scientific areas that have the potential to be of great future importance for statistics in the pharmaceutical industry and health care sector: Bayesian statistics, new influenzas, stochastic differential equations, patient-reported outcomes, and outsourcing. A talk about the Medicon Valley will also be given.

Programme with confirmed speakers and provisional titles:

09.30-10.15 COFFEE AVAILABLE

10.15–11.15 Professor Deborah Asbhy, Imperial College: *Bayesian Statistics: are theoretical advances changing practice in the pharmaceutical industry and regulation of medicines?*

11.15–12.00 Dr. Mikael Andersson, Stockholm University and the Swedish Institute for Infectious Disease Control: *Swedish experience of the pandemic influenza* 2009-10

12.00-13.00 LUNCH

13.00–13.45 Professor Henrik Madsen, Technical University of Denmark: *PK/PD modelling using* stochastic differential equations

13.45–14.30 Dr. Anna Rydén, AstraZeneca R&D: Patient Reported Outcomes (PROs) — an industry perspective

14.30-15.00 COFFEE BREAK

15.00–16.00 Theme: Outsourcing, future job prospects, job contents and pharmaceutical statistics in Medicon Valley

Executive Director Silvana Cappi, Ferring: *Running a virtual department through outsourcing* Dr. Gary Jansson, Manager Biostatistics, Quintiles: *The Uppsala biostatistics landscape in the* 2000's — an outsourcing perspective

Dr. Peter Nordström, Medicon Valley Academy: *Future prospects for Medicon Valley* 16.00–16.30 Discussion: Outsourcing, job prospects and job contents



Venue: Hotel Hilton, Kastrup (<u>http://www.hilton.dk</u>)

Registration: Register by sending an email to Judith L. Jacobsen (jlj@statcon.dk). Following, an invoice will be sent to the participants for the registration fee of 1000 DKK. The fee includes lunch and breaks with beverages and snacks. *Last day for registration is Tuesday April 13*.

Conference language: English

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