



NSI Meeting Announcement

Date: Monday, September 18, 12:00 – 13:00

Venue: Rikshospitalet, Auditorium 1 (green)

Guest lecture

by

Professor Markku Mäki

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“Antibodies and genetic gluten intolerance”

Abstract

New diagnostic criteria of coeliac disease are warranted; the gluten-induced manifest mucosal lesion as gold standard has to be modified. The lecture will discuss the issue of early developing coeliac disease and the use of serology and antibody tissue deposits in the clinic. Some thoughts on the biological aspects of the autoantibodies will also be given.

About the speaker

Dr Mäki is a professor in paediatrics at the University of Tampere and Tampere University Hospital. Professor Mäki leads the Coeliac Disease Study Group, a multidisciplinary research group of clinicians from different disciplines and natural science researchers. The group is located at the Paediatric Research Centre, Tampere University. The group has published some 200 peer reviewed articles on different topics in coeliac disease and mucosal cell biology, resulting in 18 PhD degrees.

The talk should interest both clinicians and immunologists

Refreshments will be served

Welcome!



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