12.20–12.45 p.m.
Risk Assessment & Regulation of Tattoo Inks in the EU
Paul J. Janssen, Ph.D., National Institute for Public Health and the Environment (RIVM), Bilthoven, The Netherlands

12.45–2.00 p.m. Lunch break

VI Stakeholder Positions

2.00–3.20 p.m.
Chaired by Lars Krutak, Ph.D.
2.00–2.10 p.m.
The Ecological and Toxicological Association of Dyes and Organic Pigment Manufacturers (ETAD), Basel, Switzerland
Dr. Pierfrancesco Fois
2.10–2.20 p.m.
Pro Tattoo e.V., Essen, Germany
Dr. Iris Eschenbacher
2.20–2.30 p.m.
Deutsche Organisierte Tätowierer e.V., Siegen, Germany
Andreas Schmidt
2.30–2.40 p.m.
Information Network of Departments of Dermatology (IVDK), Göttingen, Germany
Prof. Dr. Axel Schnuch
2.40–2.50 p.m.
Haema AG, Berlin, Germany
Bernhard Fuchs
2.50–3.00 p.m.
MT.DERM GmbH, Berlin, Germany
Dr. Henrik Petersen
3.00–3.10 p.m.
TIME – Tattoo Ink Manufacturer of Europe, Neuburg, Germany
Ralf Michel
3.10–3.20 p.m.
Chemical and Veterinary Inspection Office Karlsruhe, Germany
Dr. Gerd Mildau
3.20–3.50 p.m. Coffee Break

VII Podium Discussion

3.50–4.50 p.m.
Chaired by Lars Krutak, Ph.D.

VIII Farewell

4.50–5.00 p.m.
Professor Dr. Dr. Andreas Hensel, President of BfR

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Opening
9.00–9.10 a.m.
Federal Institute for Risk Assessment (BfR)
Prof. Dr. Dr. Andreas Hensel
President of BfR
9.10–9.20 a.m.
The Free University of Berlin (FU-Berlin)
Prof. Dr. Monika Schäfer-Korting, Vice President of FU-Berlin
9.20–9.30 a.m.
Federal Ministry of Food, Agriculture and Consumer Protection (BMELV)
Martin Köhler, Department of Consumer Policy
9.30–9.45 a.m.
Introduction & Objective of the Conference
Prof. Dr. Dr. Andreas Luch, Head Department of Product Safety, BfR
9.45–10.45 a.m.
Written in Skin: The Symbol, Significance and Practice of Indigenous Tattooing
Lars Krutak, Ph.D., Smithsonian Institution, National Museum of Natural History, Washington D.C., USA
10.45–11.15 a.m. Coffee break

I Analytics & Exposure
11.15–11.30 a.m.
Introduction by Session Chair
Dr. Jutta Tentschert, BfR
11.30–11.55 a.m.
The Fate of Tattoo Pigments in the Skin
Prof. Dr. Wolfgang Baumler, University of Regensburg, Germany
11.55–12.20 p.m.
Heavy Metals in Tattoo Inks
Dr. Beatrice Bocca, National Institute for Health, Roma, Italy
12.20–12.45 p.m.
Pigments, Preservatives & Impurities in Tattoo Inks
Dr. Urs Hauti, Kantonales Laboratorium Basel, Switzerland
12.45–2.00 p.m. Lunch break

II Toxicology
2.00–2.15 p.m.
Introduction by Session Chair
Prof. Dr. Thomas Plattek, BfR
2.15–2.40 p.m.
Allergies and Tattooing
Prof. Dr. Jørgen Serup, Bispebjerg Hospital, Department of Dermatology, Copenhagen, Denmark
2.40–3.05 p.m.
Tattoos, Inks and Cancer
Nicholas Kluger, M.D., University of Helsinki, Finland
3.05–3.30 p.m.
Toxicity & Phototoxicity of Tattoo Inks and Associated Materials
Paul Howard, Ph.D., National Center for Toxicological Research (NCTR) U.S. Food & Drug Administration (FDA)
Jefferson, AR, USA
3.30–3.55 p.m.
General Hazard Profile of Pigments
Dr. Wera Teubner, BASF – The Chemical Company
3.55–4.25 p.m. Coffee break

III Hygiene & Microbiology
4.25–4.40 p.m.
Introduction by Session Chair
PD Dr. Sascha Al-Dahouk, BfR
4.40–5.05 p.m.
Microbial Infections through Tattoos
Dr. Christa De Cuyper, AZ Sint-Jan AV Hospital, Brugge, Belgium
5.05–5.30 p.m.
Risks of Tattooing: Mycobacter Infections
Victoria Scott-Lang, M.D., Royal Infirmary of Edinburgh, UK

End of First Day
Guided Sightseeing of Berlin (6.30–10.30 p.m.)
Walking Dinner (for speakers only)

Friday, June 7, 2013

IV Technology
9.15–9.30 a.m.
Introduction by Session Chair
Dr. Peter Laux, BfR
9.30–9.55 a.m.
Microencapsulation of Dyes & Pigments
PD Dr. Lars Dähne, Surfay GmbH, Berlin, Germany
9.55–10.20 a.m.
Development of Permanent but Removable Tattoos
Bruce Kitzman, Ph.D., Duke University Medical Center, Durham, NC, USA
10.20–10.45 a.m.
Perspective of the Dermatologist
Eric Bernstein, M.D., Ph.D., Main Line Center for Laser Surgery Ardmore, PA, USA
10.45–11.15 a.m. Coffee break

V Risk Assessment & Regulation
11.15–11.30 a.m.
Introduction by Session Chair
Dr. Annegret Blume, BfR
11.30–11.55 a.m.
Risk Assessment & Regulation of Tattoo Inks in the US
Linda M. Katz, M.D., Office of Cosmetics and Colors (CFSAN) U.S. Food & Drug Administration (FDA)
College Park, MD, USA
11.55–12.20 p.m.
Risk Assessment & Regulation of Tattoo Inks in New Zealand
Helen Colebrook, New Zealand Ministry of Health Wellington, New Zealand