Abstracts and Proceedings from the V Scandinavian COPD Research Symposium

On November 16–17, 2012, the Fifth Scandinavian COPD Research Symposium was held at Holmenkollen Park Hotel Rica, Oslo. Like the previous four meetings, 2004 [1], 2006 [2], 2008 [3] and 2010 [4] the purpose was to let young scientists from Denmark, Finland, Norway and Sweden come together and present their current COPD-related research. The meeting should also facilitate collaboration and stimulate further research in the field of COPD. Eleven young scientists from our countries presented their latest data and five State-of-the-Art lecturers covered two sessions: “Inflammation and structural changes in COPD” and “COPD phenotypes”. The meeting was generously supported by grants from Boehringer Ingelheim, which also made publication of this supplement to Respiratory Medicine possible.

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