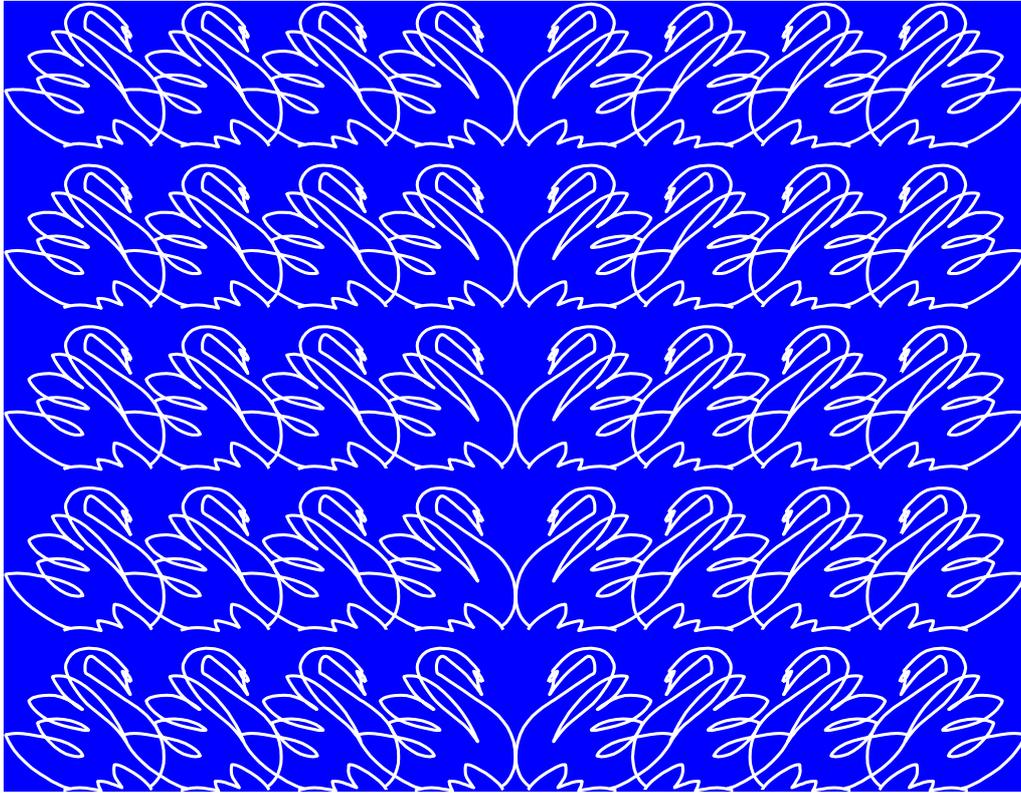




BENZON SYMPOSIUM
No. 66

AQUAPORINS IN HEALTH AND DISEASE

SEPTEMBER 14-17, 2020
COPENHAGEN, DENMARK



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COPENHAGEN

Copenhagen (Denmark's capital) was founded by Bishop Absalon in the 12th century. Its beautiful center is rich in 17th and 18th century architecture, museums and lively squares and pedestrian streets with plenty of restaurants, cafés, pubs, and shopping opportunities. The numerous recreational areas include the waterfront and the remains of the fortification surrounding the old city with a ring of lakes and parks including the Tivoli Gardens. For more information: <http://www.visitcopenhagen.dk>.

ARRIVAL IN COPENHAGEN

There are several direct trains from Kastrup Airport to Copenhagen city leaving about every 5 minutes. From the Kongens Nytorv stop there is about 10 minute's walk to the hotel.

A convenient connection can be found using <http://www.rejseplanen.dk/> (start by changing the language to English. From: "Kastrup Lufthavn, Udenrigs". To: "Toldbodgade 24-28, 1253 København K."). Tickets (approx. DKK 40,-/person) have to be purchased at the airport before entering the Metro.

The distance from the airport is about 15 km and a taxi will cost about 350 DKK - all taxies accept major credit cards. Taxies will be available outside all arrivals areas.

VENUE

All participants will be accommodated at Copenhagen Admiral Hotel, Toldbodgade 24-28, 1253 Copenhagen, <https://admiralhotel.dk/en/>, where also the scientific meeting will be held.

The four-star hotel is located in Copenhagen city center, surrounded by the leading theatres and major tourist attractions. From the hotel, there are superb views of the Opera House, The Royal Playhouse and the charming harbour. The Royal Palace, Amalienborg, and the Amaliehaven gardens are less than a minute away while the Little Mermaid and the impressive Gefion Fountain are both just a short walk along the waterfront.

HOSPITALITY DESK

Do not hesitate to contact the Symposium Registration and Hospitality Desk, which will be open at the hotel conference area on Sunday 10:00-22:00 and Monday from 08:00 and during symposium hours.

Mobile: +45 22978752, E-mail: mail@benzon-foundation.dk

POSTERS

All poster presenters are asked to mount their posters prior to the start of the scientific meeting. Poster boards are 145 cm x 90 cm (H x W). The poster area in the conference room will be ready for poster mounting from Sunday afternoon, September 13th. Posters are displayed during the symposium and must be removed by the end of the meeting.



**RECEPTION
MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 2020
(19:30-21:30)**

**PARTICIPANTS, INVITED SPEAKERS
AND ACCOMPANYING PERSONS**

The reception will be held at **Café Mazzolis** located in **Tivoli**, the old amusement park.

Situated in Tivoli Gardens in the city center, the building in which Café Mazzolis is located has – at times – been Tivoli's ball room, the hippodrome and confectioner's tea room – since it was built in 1883.

The elegant architecture of the facade has been preserved while inside the restaurant is characterized by modern Scandinavian design as a counterpoint to the period exterior. In the same vein, the modern, Italian inspired cuisine can be enjoyed against the traditional background of a wonderful view of the Tivoli Lake and Promenade.

Dress code: Smart casual.



*No transportation will be provided for this event.
A group will assemble in the lobby and walk from the hotel to
Café Mazzolis at 19:00*



BANQUET
WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 2020
(19:30-23:00)

PARTICIPANTS, INVITED SPEAKERS
AND ACCOMPANYING PERSONS

The banquet will take place at **The University of Copenhagen Ceremonial Hall** located at Vor Frue Plads, 1017 Copenhagen K.

The University is situated right across from the cathedral of Copenhagen, Vor Frue (Church of our Lady). The University was established more than 500 years ago, in 1479, but the present buildings are from the 19th century. With its more than 530 years, the University of Copenhagen is one of the oldest universities in Northern Europe. Being the largest institution of education and research in Denmark, the University has gone through numerous changes through the ages.



We are proud to hold the banquet in one of the city's most beautiful rooms, the University of Copenhagen Ceremonial Hall. The building was opened in 1836, but not until 60 years later was the decoration of the rooms finished. The Ceremonial Hall is decorated with paintings showing the University's history, an example is Wilhelm Marstrand's painting from 1871 showing the University's inauguration in 1479.

Dress code: Smart (Jacket, tie not required).



No transportation will be provided for this event.
A group will assemble in the lobby and walk from the hotel to the University at 19:00.

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