CONGRESS ORGANISATION

B.H. Walpoth, MD

President and organiser, XXVII Congress of the European Society for Artificial Organs-ESAO, *Lausanne*, Switzerland, August 31 - September 2, 2000

Organiser, 2nd Swiss Experimental Surgery Symposium, Geneva, January 12-13, 2006

Organiser, ESAO Winter School, Gstaad, Switzerland, 1-3 February, 2007

Co-organiser of the 1st International Symposium on Accidental Hypothermia, *Cortina d'Ampezzo*, December 14, 2007

Organiser, 4th Swiss Experimental Surgery Symposium, *Geneva*, January 10 –11, 2008

Organiser, ESAO Winter School, Cortina d'Ampezzo, Italy, 6-8 March 2008

President and organiser, XXXV Congress of the European Society for Artificial Organs-ESAO *Geneva*, 3 – 6 September 2008

Organiser, 2nd International Symposium on Accidental Hypothermia, *Zermatt*, September 25, 2009

Co-organiser, Symposium romand pour médecins practiciens confrontés à des patients atteints de pathologie valvulaire, Chateau de Coppet, October 2009

Organiser, 6th Swiss Experimental Surgery Symposium, *Geneva*, January 2010

Co-Organiser of the ESAO Winter School, with Cornell University, New York, *Semering*, Austria, March, 2010

Honorary President of the 45th ESSR Annual Congress, *Geneva*, 9-12 June 2010

Organiser of the 8th Swiss Experimental Surgery Symposium, *Geneva*, January, 2012

Co-Organiser, ESAO Winter School/Verona University, Catania, Sicily, February, 2012

Co-Organiser, 1st Swiss Accidental Hypothermia Day, *Bern*, 27 November 2013

Co-Organiser, Cardiovascular Research Days, Cortina, Italy, 16-18 January 2014

Co-Organiser, ISMM/4TH Int'l Symposium on Hypothermia, *Bozen*, Italy, 25-31 May 2014

Co-organizer, 24th Congress World Society of Cardiothoracic Surgeons, *Geneva*, 6-10 September 2014

Co-Organiser, Swiss Hypothermia Day, Expert Meeting, Bern, 7 November 2015

Jury Member, Neode Prize 2015, (medical technologies) Neuchatel, December 2015

Co-Organiser, Swiss Experimental Surgery Symposium, Geneva, January, 2016

Co-Organiser, 5th International Symposium on Accidental Hypothermia, *Interlaken*, 2016 Honorary President, 3rd ISVTE Symposium, on Vascular Tissue Engineering: "Quo Vadis"?, Colombus, USA, June 2017

Organiser: Challenges in vascular implants Symposium at the 44th ESAO meeting, Vienna, Austria, 6-9 September 2017