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Dessau, R. B., 1. Oct 1989, In: Journal of Hospital Infection. 14, 3, p. 269-271

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Activities

More bacteremia in older males and frequently Escherichia coli! Bacteremia in Denmark from 2010-2022: A population based nationwide cohort study

Dessau, R. B. C. (Guest lecturer)
28. Apr 2024

34th ECCMID

Dessau, R. B. C. (Participant)
27. Apr 2024 → 30. Apr 2024

Measuring Borrelia specific antibodies in the cerebrospinal fluid using LiaisonXL

Dessau, R. B. C. (Guest lecturer)
18. Apr 2024

NordTick

Dessau, R. B. C. (Participant)
16. Apr 2024 → 18. Apr 2024

DSKM Årsmøde

Dessau, R. B. C. (Participant)
15. Mar 2024

Differences among patients with positive intrathecal antibody index test compared with patients with positive PCR in herpes simplex virus or varicella-zoster virus CNS infections

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15. Apr 2023

Detecting changes in Borrelia burgdorferi antibody reactivity in follow-up samples.

Dessau, R. B. C. (Guest lecturer), Ocias, L. F. (Co-author) & Krogfelt, K. A. (Co-author)
15. Jun 2022

3rd Nordtick

Dessau, R. B. C. (Participant)
13. Jun 2022 → 15. Jun 2022

32nd ECCMID, the European Congress of Clinical Microbiology and Infectious Diseases

Dessau, R. B. C. (Participant)
23. Apr 2022 → 26. Apr 2022

DSKM Årsmøde 2022

Dessau, R. B. C. (Participant)
18. Mar 2022

NorthTick-ESGBOR international webinar on ticks and tick-borne diseases

Dessau, R. (Participant)
17. Nov 2021

The 2021 virtual ICLB/ESGBOR symposium on Lyme borreliosis: from ecology to prevention

Dessau, R. (Participant)
6. Sept 2021

31st European Congress of Clinical Microbiology and Infectious Diseases

Dessau, R. (Participant)
9. Jul 2021 → 12. Jul 2021

Censor Bachelor projekt

Dessau, R. (Examiner)
8. Dec 2020

ECCVID

Dessau, R. (Participant)
23. Sept 2020 → 25. Sept 2020

: Bayesian Statistical Modeling: A First Course Instructor: Dr. Roy Levy, Arizona State University

Dessau, R. (Participant)
8. Jul 2020 → 10. Jul 2020

Censor Kandidat speciale

Dessau, R. (Examiner)
18. May 2020

Censor Kandidat Speciale

Dessau, R. (Examiner)
14. May 2020

Statens Serum Institut (External organisation)

Dessau, R. (Member)
Apr 2020 → Dec 2020

Censor Bachelor Projekt

Dessau, R. (Examiner)
6. Jan 2020

CNS infektioner (External organisation)

Dessau, R. (Member)
2020 → ...

Diagnostic Microbiology and Infectious Disease (Journal)

Dessau, R. (Peer reviewer)
2020

European Journal of Clinical Microbiology & Infectious Diseases (Journal)

Dessau, R. (Peer reviewer)
2020

Frontiers in Cellular and Infection Microbiology (Journal)

Dessau, R. (Peer reviewer)
2020

Journal of Clinical Medicine (Journal)

Dessau, R. (Peer reviewer)
2020

Journal of Clinical Microbiology (Journal)

Dessau, R. (Peer reviewer)
2020

Members of the ESCMID Study Group for Lyme Borreliosis (ESGBOR (External organisation))

Dessau, R. (Member)

2020 → ...

MiBa /HAIBA databestyrelse (Event)

Dessau, R. (Member)

2020 → ...

Syddansk Bakteriæmi Database (External organisation)

Dessau, R. (Member)

2020

Ugeskrift for Læger (Journal)

Dessau, R. (Peer reviewer)

2020

Vector Borne and Zoonotic Diseases (Journal)

Dessau, R. (Peer reviewer)

2020

Medlem af bedømmelses udvalg

Dessau, R. (Examiner)

13. Dec 2019

International Symposium on Tick-Borne Pathogens and DiseaseITPD 2019

Dessau, R. (Participant)

8. Sept 2019 → 11. Sept 2019

Escherichia coli og inflammatorisk tarmsygdom.

Dessau, R. (Examiner)

6. Jun 2019

29th ECCMID, Amsterdam 2019

Dessau, R. (Participant)

15. Apr 2019 → 16. Apr 2019

Årsmøde Dansk selskab for klinisk Mikrobiologi (DSKM) 2019

Dessau, R. (Participant)

15. Mar 2019 → 16. Mar 2019

ESGBOR Steering Committee

Dessau, R. (Participant)

8. Feb 2019 → 9. Feb 2019

EU parliament resolution – points for research and clarification

Dessau, R. (Guest lecturer)

8. Feb 2019

Censor Bachelor projekt medicin. Det sundhedsvidenskabelige fakultet, Københavns universitet

Dessau, R. (Censor)

10. Jan 2019

Dansk Selskab for Klinisk Mikrobiologi (External organisation)

Dessau, R. (Member)

2019 → ...

SNÄFF - Svensk Netværk for Fästning Forskning 2019

Dessau, R. (Participant)
2019

Statens Serum Institut (External organisation)

Dessau, R. (Chairman)
2019 → ...

PhD thesis: Clinical aspects of RAS and RAF mutations in colon cancer

Dessau, R. (Examiner)
14. Dec 2018

Advisory Board Meeting

Dessau, R. (Consultant)
6. Dec 2018

29th ECCMID, Amsterdam 2019 (Event)

Dessau, R. (Peer reviewer)
Dec 2018

Censor Master projekt medicin. Sundhedsvidenskabelige fakultet, Københavns Universitet

Dessau, R. (Censor)
10. Oct 2018

Evaluation of serological diagnostics for Lyme borreliosis in twelve clinical laboratories in Northern Europe.

Dessau, R. (Guest lecturer)
12. Sept 2018

Laboratory diagnosis of Lyme borreliosis A European recommendation Ram B. Dessau ESGBOR – ESCMID study group for Lyme borreliosis

Dessau, R. (Guest lecturer)
12. Sept 2018

15th International Conference on Lyme Borreliosis and Other Tick-Borne Diseases

Dessau, R. (Participant)
11. Sept 2018 → 14. Sept 2018

Censor Bachelor projekt medicin, Det sundhedsvidenskabelige fakultet, Københavns Universitet

Dessau, R. (Censor)
14. Jun 2018

Censor Kandidat speciale, medicin, Sundhedsvidenskabelige fakultet, Københavns Universitet

Dessau, R. (Censor)
16. May 2018

Current issues in Lyme borreliosis: Role of serology, culture and PCR

Dessau, R. (Guest lecturer)
21. Apr 2018

Repeated samples for Lyme serology - do seroconversions happen?

Dessau, R. (Guest lecturer)
12. Apr 2018

Nordtick 2018

Dessau, R. (Participant)
10. Apr 2018 → 12. Apr 2018

Biomedical engineering and informatics

Dessau, R. (Censor)
30. Jan 2018

European Society of Clinical Microbiology and Infectious Diseases (External organisation)

Dessau, R. (Chairman)
1. Jan 2018 → 31. Dec 2018

Advances in Medical Sciences (Journal)

Dessau, R. (Peer reviewer)
2018

Clinical Microbiology and Infection (Journal)

Dessau, R. (Peer reviewer)
2018

Diagnostic Microbiology and Infectious Disease (Journal)

Dessau, R. (Peer reviewer)
2018 → ...

European Journal of Clinical Microbiology & Infectious Diseases (Journal)

Dessau, R. (Peer reviewer)
2018

Eurosurveillance (Journal)

Dessau, R. (Peer reviewer)
2018

Ticks and Tick-borne Diseases (Journal)

Dessau, R. (Peer reviewer)
2018

Expert meeting on Lyme Neuroborreliosis Surveillance

Dessau, R. B. (Consultant)
19. Oct 2017 → 20. Oct 2017

When to order laboratory testing for the diagnosis of Lyme borreliosis and which test to use?

Dessau, R. B. (Guest lecturer)
26. Sept 2017

International Symposium on Tick-Borne Pathogens and DiseaseITPD 2017

Dessau, R. B. (Participant)
24. Sept 2017 → 26. Sept 2017

Tick-borne infections in Sogn og Fjordane,western Norway.

Dessau, R. B. (Examiner)
14. Sept 2017 → 16. Sept 2017

Censor bachelor projekt medicin studiet KU

Dessau, R. B. (Examiner)
25. Aug 2017

Censor medicinstudiet

Dessau, R. B. (Examiner)
Jun 2017

SNÅFF - Svensk netværk for fästningforskning

Dessau, R. B. (Participant)
3. May 2017 → 5. May 2017

NorTick 2017

Dessau, R. B. (Participant)
7. Feb 2017 → 8. Feb 2017

27th European Congress of Clinical Microbiology and Infectious Diseases

Dessau, R. B. (Participant)
2017

DSKM Årsmøde 2017

Dessau, R. B. (Participant)
2017

Scandtickstyrelse møde. EU projekt

Dessau, R. B. (Participant)
2017 → ...

fagligt ekspertmøde om borrelia og neuroborreliose

Dessau, R. B. (Advisor)
12. Sept 2016

Aalborg Universitet (External organisation)

Dessau, R. B. (Member)
10. Jun 2016

NordTick 2016

Dessau, R. B. (Participant)
1. Feb 2016 → 2. Feb 2016

26th European Congress of Clinical Microbiology and Infectious Diseases

Dessau, R. B. (Participant)
2016

Experience from Denmark regarding surveillance of Lyme neuroborreliosis

Dessau, R. B. (Lecturer)
2016

Network consultation on Lyme borreliosis surveillance in the EU

Dessau, R. B. (Participant)
2016

Nordtick 2016

Dessau, R. B. (Organizer)
2016

PLOS ONE (Journal)

Dessau, R. B. (Peer reviewer)
2016 → ...

Ram B. Dessau, Region Sjælland, Denmark: I. Study of a cohort of 1,886 persons to determine changes in antibody reactivity to *Borrelia burgdorferi* 3 months after a tick bite – O19. II. Persistence of *Borrelia burgdorferi* and the concept of immune evasion. Understanding and misunderstandings in Lyme borreliosis? – O20

Dessau, R. B. (Lecturer)
2016

Scandtick Innovation (External organisation)

Dessau, R. B. (Member)
2016 → 2019

Nordisk samarbeid om flåttbårne sykdommer

Dessau, R. B. (Participant)
5. Oct 2015

Multiplex assays for *Borrelia* IgG and IgM antibodies: how to interpret multiple results?.

Dessau, R. B. (Lecturer)
29. Sept 2015

14th International conference on Lyme borreliosis and other tick-borne diseases

Dessau, R. B. (Participant)
27. Sept 2015 → 30. Sept 2015

Multiplex assay (Mikrogen recomBead) for detection of serum IgG and IgM antibodies to 13 recombinant antigens of *Borrelia burgdorferi* sensu lato in patients with neuroborreliosis: the more the better?

Dessau, R. B. (Lecturer)
12. May 2015

Forsknings afdelingen Region Sjælland: RUC - RS styregruppe (External organisation)

Dessau, R. B. (Member)
2014 → 2016

ESGBOR - Steering Comitee

Dessau, R. B. (Organizer)
23. Nov 2012

Systematic Review on laboratory diagnosis of Lyme Borreliosis: Review of diagnostic accuracy

Dessau, R. B. (Consultant)
Nov 2012 → Sept 2013

Evaluation of recomBead *Borrelia*. Quantitative analysis using 13 antigens for IgM and IgG.: Do *Borrelia* IgM antibodies have diagnostic use in Northern Scandinavia? - A comparison of sero-reactivity of samples from Åland and Denmark

Dessau, R. B. (Lecturer)
23. May 2012 → 25. May 2012

Laboratoriediagnostik af *Borrelia* infektioner.: Skal to assays vise det samme resultat?

Dessau, R. B. (Lecturer)
9. Mar 2012

Expert meeting on Lyme Neuroborreliosis Surveillance, 19-20 October 2017, Stockholm

Dessau, R. B. (Consultant)

2012 → Oct 2100

Forskningsråd (External organisation)

Dessau, R. B. (Member)
2012 → 2016

Lyme Borreliose i Danmark

Dessau, R. B. (Participant)
26. Oct 2011

ESGBOR STEERING COMMITTEE

Dessau, R. (Participant)
2010 → ...

European Society of Clinical Microbiology and Infectious Diseases (External organisation)

Dessau, R. B. (Chairman)
2010 → ...

European Society of Clinical Microbiology and Infectious Diseases (External organisation)

Dessau, R. B. (Member)
2010 → ...

MIBA - Den danske mikrobiologi database (External organisation)

Dessau, R. B. (Member)
2010 → 2017

Censor ved Sundhedsteknologi Aalborg Universitet

Dessau, R. B. (Censor)
2002 → 2014

Dansk Selskab for Klinisk Mikrobiologi (External organisation)

Dessau, R. (Member)
1990 → ...

Press / Media

Borrelia debat

Dessau, R. B.
29/09/2016
1 Media contribution

Borreliose-patienter klarer sig godt efter infektion i nervesystemet

Obel, N., Lebech, A.-M. & Dessau, R.
01/06/2018
1 item of Media coverage

Danskere snydes af dårlige borrelia-test i udlandet

Dessau, R. B.
05/04/2016
1 Media contribution

Good outlook for patients with confirmed Lyme neuroborreliosis

Dessau, R.
30/05/2018
1 item of Media coverage

The EU parliament has adopted a resolution on Lyme borreliosis

Dessau, R.

04/12/2018

1 Media contribution

Udbreder Europa-Parlamentet fake news om Lyme borreliese?

Dessau, R.

07/01/2019

1 Media contribution

No title