

Invitation

B-Cell: Promising target in autoimmune diseases

Lunchsymposium within the Joint Annual
Meeting of Immunology of the Austrian and
German Societies (ÖGAI, DGfI)

September 4th 2008, 12:15, Vienna, Austria

Symposium



Programme

Date: **September 4th 2008**
Time: **12:15 – 13:45**
Location: **General Hospital, Vienna**
Lecture Hall 1

Chairman: **Univ.-Prof. Dr. Josef Smolen**

12:15 Welcome and introduction

Univ.-Prof. Dr. Josef Smolen
(Medizinische Universität Wien, Krankenhaus der Stadt Wien-Hietzing)

12:20 The biology of the B cell in autoimmune diseases

Univ.-Prof. Dr. Andreas Radbruch
(Deutsches Rheuma-Forschungszentrum Berlin)

12:45 Clinical experiences with B cell therapies

Univ.-Prof. Dr. Thomas Dörner (Charité Berlin)

13:10 Safety: Experiences with Rituximab

Univ.-Prof. Dr. Hans Peter Brezinsek (Medizinische Universität Graz)

13:35 Discussion and closure