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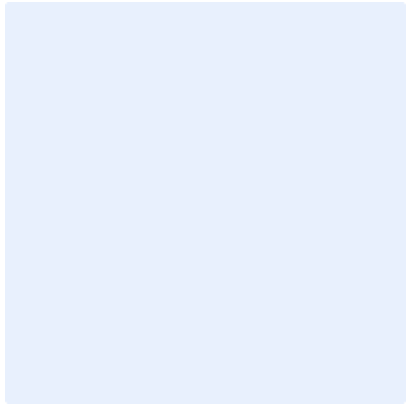
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<p>*Attach Photo here</p> 	<p>Prof/Dr/Mr/Mrs/Ms: Prof. Dr. Burkhard Tönshoff,</p>
	<p>Name as it should appear in the biography: Prof. Dr. Burkhard Tönshoff,</p>
<p>Key qualification(s) that will be of interest to attendees at this conference: Burkhard Tönshoff, MD, PhD, is professor of pediatrics and pediatric nephrology at the University Children's Hospital Heidelberg, Germany. He currently holds the position of a Vice Chairman of the Department of Pediatrics I (General Pediatrics, Neuropediatrics, Metabolism, Gastroenterology, and Nephrology) and is Medical Director of the pediatric kidney transplantation program. He graduated from the Freiburg University School of Medicine, and completed a pediatric residency and fellowship at the University Children's Hospital in Heidelberg, Germany. From 1992 to 1994, he served as a postdoctoral research fellow at the Division of Pediatric Nephrology and Department of Physiology, State University of New York at Stony Brook, USA. His current clinical research focuses on various issues in chronic renal failure and renal transplantation, such as studies on the pharmacokinetics, efficacy and safety of novel immunosuppressive drugs in pediatric renal transplant recipients, optimization of immunosuppressive therapy by therapeutic drug monitoring and immune monitoring, prevention of infectious and other complications after renal transplantation, and biomarker-guided minimization of immunosuppressive therapy.</p>	
<p>Special awards or recognition:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1978 Scholarship from the German Government for talented students, 1979 Scholarship from the Deutsche Akademische Austauschdienst for studies at the Medical School in Glasgow, Great Britain 1992 Feodor-Lynen Research Grant from the Alexander von Humboldt-Stiftung 1995 Adalbert-Czerny-Prize (Scientific Award from the German Society for Pediatrics for the best Ph.D.-thesis in Pediatrics) 1999 Kröner-Fresenius Prize, Pediatric Nephrology Working Group, Germany 2000 Jürgen-Bierich Prize, Pediatric Endocrinology Working Group, Germany 2002 Medida-Prix, German Society for Media in the Sciences 2013 Johannes Brodehl Prize, German Society for Pediatric Nephrology 2015 Helmut Werner-Prize for achievements in paediatric kidney transplantation 	

Field or specialization; include number of years' experience:

Since 2006, he serves as the pediatric advisor in the Eurotransplant Kidney Advisory Committee. In the year 2009 he founded the Cooperative European Paediatric Renal Transplant Initiative (CERTAIN; www.certain-registry.eu) as a multicenter research network and platform built on a novel, web-based registry. He has authored or co-authored 265 original and review articles, 78 book chapters and 6 books. He is member of the editorial boards of Pediatric Nephrology and Therapeutic Drug Monitoring. Dr. Tönshoff has served until 2017 as the President of the International Pediatric Transplant Association (IPTA). Since the year 2018 he acts as Editor-in-Chief of the journal Pediatric Transplantation, the official journal of IPTA.

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