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Dear MedViz Supporter

It is our pleasure to bring you breaking news about ultrasound based elastography, which can **discriminate between benign and malignant lesions** and can probably offer a more gentle treatment of rectal cancer, according to Jo Erling Riise Waage and Roald Flesland Havre. Another important topic for young MedViz scientists and students are the financial funding opportunities to work abroad for a period. We visited Stipenddagen 2013 at Studentsenteret and will give you some useful links in the present Newsletter. The historical first MedViz Walk & Talk is also given extra attention.

Late events

Thursday 31.01.2013

The historical first MedViz Walk & Talk was arranged in beautiful winter weather from Haukeland to Fløien. We started at 16:00 from the Northern exit in Sentralblokken (HUH) and reached the Fløien campus at 17:15, just in time to take a nice photo of the four participants and to get a free cup of hot chocolate and waffles with strawberry jam.



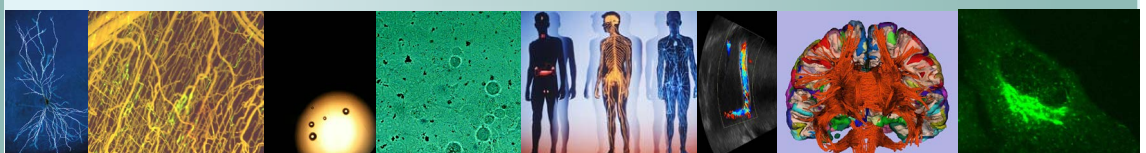
Historical photo from the 1st MedViz Walk & Talk. From the right: Odd Helge Gilja, Dag Magne Ulvang, Jose Gomez and Ragnar Nortvedt.

The mountain hikers solved several global problems during the route and we are looking forward to see more participants on the next **Walk & Talk** that takes place Thursday 21.02. We will be starting at 16:00 from the Northern exit in Sentralblokken (HUH) and heading for mount Ulriken. We will be back within 1-3 hours, depending on the weather.

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Wednesday 06.02.2013**Financial funding of young researchers, students and visiting researchers**

Stipenddagen 2013 was arranged at Studentsenteret by the University Administration and the Norwegian Research Council. It is a stated goal from UiB that minimum 30% of the students who take a degree at UiB should have a stay abroad during their studies. Several useful presentations were given: [Presentasjoner Stipenddagen 2013](#) (ZIP-24 864.6 KB)

Elin Kollerud presented EURAXESS online, where you will find funds and working opportunities:

<http://www.euraxess.no/servlet/Satellite?c=Page&pagename=euraxess/Hovedsidemal&cid=1224067050894>

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Thursday 07.02.2013**PET – Schrödingers katt**

Nrk has visited the Nuclear medicine / PET Centre at Haukeland University Hospital, tells Director Nina Kleven-Madsen. The activity at the PET Centre was shown in the TV program [Schrödingers katt this Thursday](#). The program was especially popular this Thursday and had more than 650 000 viewers (normally 500 000). We have also taken a closer look [inside the PET Centre](#).

Friday 08.02.2013

[MedViz seminar](#): Professor Lars Akslen presented the new SFF Centre for Cancer Biomarkers.

Upcoming events

Friday 08.03.2013

MedViz seminar: Both Professor Frits Thorsen and Associate Professor Tom Christian Adamsen will give presentations this time at Room 9.1 in the Laboratory building (behind Sentralblokken HUH). Professor Frits Thorsen from MIC, UiB will talk about multimodal imaging of blood-brain barrier disruption during brain metastatic progression in a relevant experimental mouse model. Assoc. Professor Tom Christian Holm Adamsen from PET-Centre HUH and Chemical Dept., UiB will talk about Radiochemistry for pre-clinical small animal imaging. See the [Seminar spring program](#).

News

MedIm Bridging Funds for newly graded Masters and Medical doctors

<http://www.ntnu.edu/medicalimaging/announcements>

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