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Topics & General information

Main Topics

Current Therapy in Alzheimer's Disease and perspectives for the future

Current Therapy Multiple Sclerosis and perspectives for the future

Parkinson's disease and Plus Syndromes'

New perspectives in Epilepsy treatment

Prion Disease

General Information

Congress Venue

Athens- Greece Hotel King George Palace

Congress Important Dates

7 January Abstract Submission deadline

27-30 January 2011 Congress

Abstract Submission

Abstracts for oral and poster presentations should be submitted

to the Congress Secretariat no later than 7 January 2011

An abstract of no more than 250 words is required, containing as clearly separated paragraphs the aims of the study, problems addressed or hypotheses tested, methods used, results and conclusions.

Abstracts accepted will be published in an Abstract Book.

You can submit abstract as attachment by e-mail to the Congress Secretariat or by post in a floppy as word document.

Registration Fee:

Physicians & Scientists 450 € PLUS VAT 23% (Gala Dinner included)

Nurses Students 60 € PLUS VAT 23%

Hotel Accommodation

Hotel King George Palace SGL or DBL 180 € /night

Classical Athens Imperial Hotel SGL or DBL 120 € /night

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Preliminary Program

THURSDAY 27th of January 2011

Opening Ceremony
Addresses

Opening Lecture
Democracy, Philosophy and Medicine

Recital for traditional musical instruments and Chorus

Welcome Reception

FRIDAY 28th of January 2011

9.00-9.30 Lecture
Chairpersons: K.Jellinger, S.Baloyannis

The offline brain, is there such a think?
Apallic and locked in syndrome
F. Gerstenbrand, H.Binder, S. Golasszewski, G.Menditti

9:30-10:00 Lecture
Chairpersons: F. Gerstenbrand, D.Vassilopoulos

Heterogenous mechanisms of mild cognitive impairment in Parkinson's
disease
K. Jellinger

10.00-10.30 Coffee break and poster viewing

10:30-13:00 Lectures
Chairpersons: Th. Wisniewski, A. Papademetriou

10:30-11.00 Immunomodulation as a therapeutic a Therapeutic approach for
Alzheimer's disease and prion diseases
Th. Wisniewski

11:00-11.30 Screening the metabolic causes of dementia: bedside Alzheimer's
disease
A.Federico

11:30-12:00 Alzheimer's disease-New approach to pathogenesis and therapy.
J. Lezsek

12:00-12:30 The cerebellum in Alzheimer's disease
S.J.Baloyannis

12:30- 15:00 Break

15:00 -16:00 Poster Viewing
Chairepersons: V.Costa, J.Lezsek

16:00 -17:30 Lectures
Chairpersons: K von Wield, P. Papathanasopoulos

16:00-16:30 Cognitive dysfunction in Multiple Sclerosis.
P. Papathanasopoulos

16:30-17:00 Is there a need to redefine Parkinson's disease
A. Korczyn

17:00-17:00 The limits of evidence based medicine in neurorehabilitation
D. Muresanu

17:00-17:30 Coffee Break

17:30 -19:30 Medical Ethics
Round Table Medico-Ethical Aspects concerning Quality of Life
Following Severest
Damage of the Central Nervous System (CNS)

Chairperson: F. Gerstenbrand
Speakers:

K. Jellinger
K. Von Wild
A. Korczyn
L. Vecsei
S. Baloyannis

21:00-23:00 Gala Dinner

SATURDAY 29th of January 2011

10:00-10:30 Lecture
Chairpersons: F Gerstenbrand, S. Baloyannis

Neurological disorders in US Presidents- their effect on world events
J.Toole

10.30-11.00 Coffee break

11.00-13:00 Chairpersons: J.Toole. L.Versei

11.00-11.30 From the diagnostics to therapy
K.Maurer

11.30-12.00 Cerebral and retinal vasoreactivity in patients with vascular dementia
K Betterman

12.00-12.30 Endogenous neuroprotection and neurodegenerative disorders
L. Vecsei

12.30-13.00 Leukoareosis and the Haemodynamic causes
Kalvach P,Peisker T.Keller J,Bartos A

13.00-16.00 Lunch

16.00-17.00 Oral presentations
Chairpersons Betterman Kerstin. Vasiliki Costa

The influence of internal secretion in Multiple Sclerosis
E Koutsouraki

Dementia in Cerebrovascular diseases
Th.Tegos

The role of cerebellum in the pathophysiology of dystonia
M. Arnaoutoglou

Carotid plaque echostructure: does it play any role in the clinical
decision making?
Ath. Giannoukas

Scientific Research- A Review
Fereshteh Sedaghat, Aliasghar Rakhshani, Stavros J. Baloyannis

17.00-17.30 Coffee break

17.30- 18.30 Lectures Chairpersons: von Wild Klaus, N.Tascos

17.30-18.00 Can Magnetic Stimulation Can Modulate Seizures in
Epileptic Patients?
Ph Anninos

18.00-18.30 Nanostructured Li-batteries in Deep Brain stimulation
Ai. Aifantis

18.30-19.00 Evolution of brain pathology in aging
C.Bouras

19.00-19.30 Social participation of the mentally and physically severe disabled-a
contradictoriness of
terms
K von Wild

Posters

1.Functional Status of Brain Hemispheres in Amnesic Mild Cognitive
Impairment (aMCI)

Fereshteh Sedaghat², Amin Rakhshani, Thomas Tegos, Stavros J
Baloyannis

2 HLA associations with multiple sclerosis in Greece

Ioanna Kouri, Stylianos Papakonstantinou , Vaios Mpempes , Haris S.
Vasiliadis

, Athanasios P. Kyritsis, 2 Sygkliti-Henrietta Pelidou

3 Therapeutic rehabilitation of s patient with NMO-positive relapsing
longitudinal Myelitis: A case report

Ploumis¹ S-E. Pelidou² D. Varvarousis¹ A. Kyritsis² A. Beri

4 AN IMMUNOHISTOCHEMICAL STUDY OF NMDA RECEPTORS IN
HUMAN CEREBELLUM AND HIPPOCAMPUS

Euphrosyni S. Koutsouraki, John J. Anastasiades, Vassiliki G. Costa,
Stavros J. Baloyannis

5 Increase of IL-6 levels is related with depressive phenomena in the acute
phase of multiple sclerosis

KOUTSOURAKI Euphrosyni, HATZIFILIPPOU Eleni, MICHMIZOS
Dimitrios, COTSAVASILOGLOU Christos, COSTA Vassiliki, BALOYANNIS Stavros

6 Antibodies against GM1, GD1b and GQ1b in multiple sclerosis patients

E.S. Koutsouraki , E. Hatzifilippou , T. Banaki , V.G. Costa , S.J.
Baloyannis