GENERAL INFORMATION

CONGRESS VENUE
Technische Universität, Klinikum rechts der Isar Neurologische Klinik und Poliklinik Auditorium Ismaninger Straße 22, 81675 München, Germany

LANGUAGE
The official language of the Congress is English. Tutorials will be held in English and German.

The Congress immediately precedes the XX. European Stroke Conference Hamburg, Germany 24 - 27 May 2011

ABSTRACTS
All accepted abstracts will be published in Cerebrovascular Diseases.

CALL FOR ABSTRACTS
Deadline for abstract submission: January 16th 2011

EXHIBITION
An industrial exhibition will take place along with the conference. Please contact the exhibition management for further information.

CONGRESS-WEBSITE
For registration and further information please visit the congress website: www.congrex.de/ESNCH2011 www.neurosonology2011.de

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Many of you will remember the first meeting of the ESNCH Society, which took place here in Munich in 1996, and which became the cornerstone for further successful cooperation in developing new ultrasonographic diagnostics and even for new therapeutic techniques in neurology. The subsequent annual European meetings have become a popular platform for scientific exchange for all who are interested in neurosonology—not only in Europe, but also worldwide. We are very pleased to again have the opportunity to continue this successful tradition in Munich in 2011.

This meeting will provide updated information about research findings on normal and pathological cerebral hemodynamics as well as in all medical fields related to neurosonology, highlighting their relevance to the clinician. Additionally, basic and advanced tutorials on Doppler- and duplex ultrasonography of cerebral vessels will be held. For those who would like to test their sonographic knowledge, the examination for the “International Certification for Neurosonology” will be offered during the meeting.

Finally, we hope that in addition to participating in the conference you will also take some time off to enjoy the atmosphere of the beautiful city of Munich. You can explore the historic center and discover the famous beer gardens, fairy-tale castles, and other cultural and historical sights. The month of May is often the most pleasant time of year for visiting Bavaria.

We are looking forward to meeting you in Munich.

Eva Bartels                                     Holger Poppert

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TOPICS

I. Educational Topics
Basic tutorials
Advanced tutorials
Tutorials for medical technicians
Exam (optional)
“International Certification for Neurosonology”

II. Scientific Topics
Contrast enhanced ultrasound
New diagnostic and therapeutic approaches
Atherosclerotic plaque
Noninvasive plaque imaging for risk evaluation
Ultrasound in the follow up of stent placement
Extra- and intracranial arteries
PFO diagnostics and clinical impact
Status quo 2011
Diagnostics in acute stroke management
Prehospital sonography, mismatch concept
Therapies in acute stroke
Intraarterial procedures, sonothrombolysis
Pitfalls in neurosonography (CNS/ PNS)
Case reports, anatomical / pathological variants
Acoustic targeted drug delivery to the brain
Ultrasound & blood-brain barrier
Update sessions
Embolidetection • ultrasonography in dementia • stroke prevention • carotid surgery / angioplasty • intraoperative ultrasound in brain surgery • functional TCD • vasomotor reactivity • 3D/4D-sonography • intravascular ultrasound • intima media thickness (IMT) • neurodegenerative disease • sonography in intensive care • cerebral monitoring • novel technologies