



The 12th International Conference of the **ASIAN CONGRESS OF NEUROLOGICAL SURGEONS** 14-18 March 2018, Dubai, United Arab Emirates

THE ART OF PRACTICE IN NEUROSURGERY

Dear Friends & Colleagues,

On behalf of the organizing and scientific committee, it is my great pleasure and honor to invite you to attend the 12th Asian Congress of Neurological Surgeons Conference to be held in Dubai in 2018. This will inaugurate the first ACNS Conference to be held in this region of Asia. This comprehensive International academic endeavor will focus on teaching and education of young neurosurgeons toward excellence in patient care with the motto "inspiration & innovation". It will encompass special lectures by distinguished guest speakers, panel discussion, workshops, and video sessions among other scientific activities that will infuse the contributions of young neurosurgeons with a focus on multidisciplinary approaches and contemporary evidence-based clinical practice. A special session as part of our society's mission and vision will be dedicated to female & young neurosurgeons pertaining to the quality of training and education. I am proud of and honored by the global collaboration with leading societies and organizations. I would like to extend my sincere appreciation for their anticipated profound scientific contributions.



The conference will be complemented by a state-of-the art exhibition and sponsored by leading companies in the field of medical and surgical technology.

Dubai is a cosmopolitan, vibrant city and it was nominated to host "Expo 2020". It offers an excellent milieu for academic inspiration and an attractive social program for the families. The region offers a unique opportunity to appreciate the fusion of mystic history and modernization.

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President, ACNS Conference 2018

Collaboration



International Advisory Members & Potential Speakers

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| Abdullah, Jafri | Malaysia | He Dong, Van | Vietnam | Natori, Yoshihiro | Japan |
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| Al-Mefty, Ossama | USA | Hirakawa, Akihiko | Japan | Nouri, Mohsen | Iran |
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| Alshafai, Nabeel | Belgium | Hongo, Kazuhiro | Japan | Ortel, Joachim | Germany |
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| Arraez, Miguel | Spain | Kalangu, Kazadi | Zimbabwe | Pedachenko, Eugene | Ukraine |
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| Bao, Shengde | China | Kasper, Ekkehard | USA | Poon, Wai | Hong Kong |
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| Benes, Vladimir | Czech Republic | Kato, Yoko | Japan | Rajamani, Sharad | India |
| Bertalanffy, Helmut | Germany | Katsumi, Takizawa | Japan | Reilly, Peter | Australia |
| Bettag, Martin | Germany | Kawase, Takeshi | Japan | Rutka, Jim | Canada |
| Borba, Louis | Brazil | Kikuta, Ken-ichiro | Japan | Salahuddin, Tareq | Pakistan |
| Burazerovic, Eldin | BiH | Kim, Hyeun-Sung | Korea | Samés, Martin | Czech Republic |
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| Couldwell, William | USA | Landeiro, José | Brazil | Shroeder, Michael | USA |
| Dahlan, Rully | Indonesia | Lee, Kyu-sung | Korea | Shulev, Yuri | Russia |
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| DeMonte, Franco | USA | Makhambetov, Yerbol | Kazakhstan | Taira, Takaomi | Japan |
| Dempsey, Patrick | USA | Mastronardi, Luciano | Italy | Tashi, Tenzin | Bhutan |
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| Froelich, Sebastien | France | Meling, Torstein | Norway | Turel, Keki | India |
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| Ganapathy, Krishnan | India | Mokry, Michael | Austria | Voznyak, Oleksandr | Ukraine |
| Gentili, Fred | Canada | Morcos, Jacques | USA | Wahjoepramono, Eka | Indonesia |
| Germano, Isabelle | USA | Mutaqqin, Zainal | Indonesia | Wong, George | Hong Kong |
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| Guizzardi, Giancarlo | Italy | Nakamura, Takehiro | Japan | Zohdi, Ahmed | Egypt |
| Hasegawa, Mitsuhiro | Japan | Nanda, Anil | USA | Zverina, Eduard | Czech Republic |



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Conference Objectives:

The objectives of the ACNS conference are focused on education and promotion of neurosurgical practice. The plenary sessions will include keynote lectures by eminent masters who will share their vast experience with young neurosurgeons and cover the different aspects of neurosurgical specialty. The program is complemented by round-table discussions, how-I-do-it video sessions, and special pre-conference workshops or satellite sessions. The medical exhibition will host elite medical companies, showing their state of the art innovations and technologies. The venue will offer the right milieu for collegial interactions and networking.

Target Audience:

The 12th ACNS conference offers a unique opportunity for residents in-training, young fellows, and established neurosurgeons to update their academic knowledge and foster their clinical practice in the field of general and subspecialty neurosurgery, including trauma, skull-base and minimally invasive surgery, pediatric, functional, neurovascular, spine surgery and their related disciplines. The conference also provides comprehensive acquaintances with contemporary diagnostic methods and instrumentations for nurses and medical technologists.

Main Topics

- Neuroanatomy
- Neuro-oncology
- Cerebro-vascular
- Skull-Base & Pituitary
- Neuro-endoscopy
- Spine & Peripheral nerves
- Pediatric Neurosurgery
- Stereotactic & Functional Neurosurgery
- Neuro-trauma & Critical care
- Women in Neurosciences
- Young Neurosurgeons forum
- Research, Education and Socio economics

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