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STARÉ SPLAVY, MAY 14-17, 2009

Scientific Programme

Thursday, May 14, 2009 - Epilepsy

Morning lectures

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| 1. Kristl Vonck, Gent | Diagnosis of epilepsy, clinical and history |
| 2. Paul Boon, Gent | Diagnosis of epilepsy, EEG and imaging |
| 3. Hermann Stefan, Erlangen | Practical treatment of epilepsy |

Afternoon workshops

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| 1. Hermann Stefan | Presurgical evaluation of epileptic patients |
| 2. Paul Boon | Epilepsy surgery, techniques and outcomes |
| 3. Kristl Vonck | Neuromodulation |

Friday, May 15, 2009 – Neuromuscular disorders

Morning lectures

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| 1. Jean-Marc Legér, Paris | Update on the diagnosis and treatment of dysimmune neuropathies |
| 2. Peter Dioszeghy, Nyiregyhaza | Myasthenia gravis |
| 3. Jean Pouget, Marseilles | Muscular dystrophies |

Afternoon workshops

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| 1. Jean-Marc Legér | Management of multiple mononeuropathy |
| 2. Peter Diószeghy | Electromyography in neurological practice |
| 3. Jean Pouget | Cases of differential diagnosis in muscular dystrophy |

Saturday, May 16, 2009 - Degenerative disorders

Morning lectures

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| 1. Pavel Kalvach, Prague | Historical points to understanding dementia |
| 2. Kurt Jellinger, Vienna | Is there a gold standard for the neuropathological diagnosis of dementias ? |
| 3. Stavros Baloyannis, Thessaloniki | Differential diagnosis of dementias: clinical phenomena, histological and ultrastructural findings |
| 4. Thomas Bak, Cambridge | How to assess cognitive functions in dementia? |

Afternoon workshops

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| 1. Kurt Jellinger | The enigma of mixed dementia (degenerative and vascular dementia) |
| 2. Stavros Baloyannis | Clinico-pathological correlations in dementias |
| 3. Thomas Bak | Dementias and movement disorders: two ends of the same spectrum? |

Participants: 105 / 20 countries

Albania 1, Belarus 3, Bulgaria 1, Croatia 2, Czech Rep. 12, Denmark 4, Egypt 2, Georgia 3, Italy 1, Moldova 6, Poland 7, Romania 20, Russia 14, Serbia 2, Slovakia 4, Syria 3, Tunisia 2, Turkey 2, Ukraine 14, Uzbekistan 2



List of participants:

Struga Genc	Albania	Tirana
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EFNS Academy for Young Neurologists – final report

10th course, May 14-17, 2009, Hotel Bezděz, Staré Splavy, Czech Republic

The run of the Academy 2009 closed the first decade of these, already traditional, educational events. We are proud to say, that in total already more than 900 colleagues participated within these 10 years. In the faculty altogether almost 100 lecturers from European countries and 1 from USA delivered their presentations and discussed details in the afternoon workshops.

This year Academy had 3 main topics in consecutive days: Epilepsy, Neuromuscular disorders and Neurodegenerative disorders. In the additional morning session on Sunday the audience was informed on organizational topics of neurosciences: present stay and perspectives. A lecture on WHO care and intentions in neurological and psychiatric branches was delivered by a WHO representative Dr Steflöva, a review of Neurological Services around the world and on Neurological education was given by Prof. Kalvach and Educational systems of hierarchic seminars were presented by Ing Pospisil.

Participants came from 20 countries, including 3 from Africa. The following number of attendees applied from the particular countries: Albania 1, Belarus 3, Bulgaria 1, Croatia 2, Czech Republic 12, Denmark 4, Egypt 3, Georgia 3, Hungary, 1, Italy 1, Lithuania 1, Moldova 6, Poland 8, Romania 20, Russia 18, Serbia 2, Slovakia 5, Syria 2, Tunisia 2, Turkey 2, Ukraine 18, Uzbekistan 2.

The main topics were covered by 10 speakers, from Austria, Belgium, Czech Republic, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary and United Kingdom. In the Epilepsy day diagnostic topics, imaging, neuromodulation, EEG, practical treatment, presurgical evaluation and surgical techniques were presented by professors Paul Boon, Hermann Stefan and Kristl Vonck. Neuromuscular disorders - dysimmune neuropathies, myasthenia gravis, muscular dystrophies, EMG and management of multiple mononeuropathy - were covered by Jean-Marc Legér, Peter Dioszeghy and Jean Pouget. The approach to Degenerative disorders was presented in several aspects: Historical points to understanding dementia, deliberations on goldstandard for neuropathological diagnosis of dementias, differential diagnosis, cognitive functions assessment, mixed dementias and relation of dementias to movement disorders. Topics were elaborated by professors Thomas Bak, Stavros Baloyannis, Kurt Jellinger and Pavel Kalvach.

In the words of lecturers attendees were perfectly concentrated to the topics and their discussions in the workshops were outstanding. After dilligent scientific sessions two evenings were devoted to cultural programme: In the church of the nearby Doxy a choir of blind singers "Vokál klub SONS" provided concert of medieval and religious songs. On Saturday evening participants enjoyed visit to the Loučeň castle and a dinner in its banqueting hall. The last afternoon of Sunday was devoted to the traditional trip to Prague. Perfect organization by Mrs Magda Dohnalová and her husband harvested appreciation by both the participants and the faculty.

Similarly as in the previous courses, a great asset of the meeting was its wonderful collegeal atmosphere.

Some words of evaluation after the course:

The Academy for Young Neurologists was so excellently organized that you merit many congratulations.

Prof. Stavros Baloyannis

We enjoyed the atmosphere and the organisation of the Academy very much. Congratulations with such a positive initiative with all these enthusiastic and smart young people.

Prof. Paul Boon

Thanks for your phantastic hospitality in Stare Splavy! It was a pleasure to come and to discuss with you and the many young neurologists current problems.

Prof. Kurt Jellinger

Thank a lot for the great opportunity to attend the EFNS Academy for Young Neurologists. It was an excellently organized teaching course and acquired knowledge improved our professional qualification.

Dr. Olga Schiopu and Dr. Alexandru Grumeza, Moldova

Let me say many-many thank you again for this year EFNS Academy - there was interesting and useful program, and I will not forget the choir in the Doksy church, so amazing and heartfelt.

Dr Alexandra Botsina, Russia

Prof. Pavel Kalvach
Magda Dohnalova