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Dear Colleague,

This circular letter provides information for the European Winter Conference on Brain Research Year 2012 meeting which will take place in **VILLARS SUR OLLON - SWITZERLAND**.

Accommodation : **EUROTEL VICTORIA\*\*\*\***, located near the city centre, with all conference facilities, swimming-pool, sauna and fitness.

<http://www.eurotel-victoria.ch>

**The following sessions will be presented :**

- J. Badaut & A. Obenaus : Understanding drug delivery to the brain: The Blood-Brain Barrier and diseases
- A.K. Bouzier-Sore & Luc Pellerin: Looking at neuron astrocyte metabolic interactions with something else than ski goggles
- S. Dager : Multi-modal Imaging Techniques Targeted at Specific Brain Mechanisms
- S. Leibowitz : Mechanisms mediating the overconsumption of food and drugs
- D. Linden & R. Galuske : Brain imaging across species: Towards translation and mechanistic understanding of human neuroimaging findings
- G. Lucas : Refractory depressed patients and delayed action of antidepressants: new developments and perspectives
- S.McMahon & G.Ianetti : Nociceptive processing in humans
- I. Nagy & J. Palecek : Modulation of nociceptive signaling. Looking for new targets the development of novel analgesics
- J. Nargeot :
- R. Pumain & C. Wasterlain : The sacred disease: maybe Hippocrates was right...
- M. Schmidt : Neurobiological consequences of stress: Adaptive or Maladaptive?
- W. Sommer : Translational Neuroimaging in Alcoholism
- K. Starowicz : The role of TRPV1 and other TRPs in pain and nociception
- S.Thornton & J. Saavedra : The Renin-Angiotensin System: from Bench to Bedside
- F. Viana : Cellular and molecular mechanisms of pain

## INSTRUCTIONS FOR PREPARING ABSTRACTS AND POSTERS

All communications (poster or oral) require an abstract.

1) **abstract** : will appear in the Abstract Volume exactly as typed.

Size : **width 15 cm, height 24 cm** max. Letter size : 12 pt (normal typewriter size)

Spacing : 1 1/2

Title : capital letters bold

Name of author(s) (presenting author's name underlined) and institution/place.

2) **poster** : free communications will be presented as posters. At least one poster session will be scheduled. Size of poster : 1,00 m x 1,00 m.

Please add title of session and name(s) of organiser(s). Further, please indicate **"ORAL"** or **"POSTER"** presentation.

Please send **the abstract BY E-MAIL to the following address : [hetzel@mpipsykl.mpg.de](mailto:hetzel@mpipsykl.mpg.de)**

**NAME OF THE ATTACHMENT SHOULD BE IDENTICAL WITH NAME OF FIRST AUTHOR OF THE ABSTRACT**

**No attachment named "EWCBR.doc" please.**

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**DEADLINE FOR ABSTRACTS : DECEMBER 15, 2011**

### MEMBERSHIP DUES

The membership dues to our association "PROMOTION DES NEUROSCIENCES" are:

|   |                      |
|---|----------------------|
| <i>Research Institutions and Universities</i> | <i>190 € (euros)</i> |
| <i>After November 30, 2011</i>                | <i>220 € (euros)</i> |
| <i>Junior Scientist invited in a session</i>  | <i>50 € (euros)</i>  |
| <i>Others (pharmaceutical companies,....)</i> | <i>350 € (euros)</i> |
| <i>After November 30, 2011</i>                | <i>400 € (euros)</i> |
| <i>Accompanying persons</i>                   | <i>30 € (euros)</i>  |

We would like to point out that **"accompanying persons"** are **family or friends, who will not attend the sessions or present a poster.** **All researchers and students attending the sessions and/or presenting a poster must pay the regular membership dues.**

### INSTRUCTIONS FOR REGISTRATION

The membership dues should be sent to : EWCBR, PROMOTION DES NEUROSCIENCES EUROPEENNES, 34 rue Victor Carmignac , 94110 ARCUEIL, France.

\* **Euro Zone participants:** by check made out to "Promotion des Neurosciences Européennes"

\* **Other participants:** as a bank transfer in **€ (euros)** made out to the following French bank account: Promotion des Neurosciences Européennes, BANQUE NATIONALE DE PARIS, 3 place Saint-Andre des Arts - 75006 PARIS - no. 30004-01841-05317896-83. **All bank info for bank transfer on web site.**

A copy of your bank transfer together with the registration bulletin should be sent to: **E.WC.B.R** (address above).

**If your total payment is less than the required amount (i.e. bank expenses), you will be charged for the difference upon arrival.**

**CANCELLATION** of membership dues received in writing prior to **January 5, 2012** are subject to a 16 € cancellation fee. Cancellations received **after January 5, 2012** are subject to a 30% cancellation fee. **After February 5, 2012** no refunds will be made. However, a substitute may be sent in your place if you are unable to attend.

**FINANCIAL SUPPORT** : Official letters of invitation can be sent on request to the Secretariat of the Congress but no financial support can be provided by the conference.

**CONGRESS SITE AND ACCOMMODATION** (In the Swiss Alps)

**EUROTEL VICTORIA** in VILLARS SUR OLLON

**YOU CAN GET MORE INFORMATION ON OUR WEB SITE :**

[www.ewcbr.risc.cnrs.fr/](http://www.ewcbr.risc.cnrs.fr/)

PLANE : Geneva airport (110 km), Zurich airport (210 km)

TRAIN : Paris – Lausanne (TGV = 3h 50), then connection Lausanne-Aigle or Bex by train .  
Aigle-Villars sur Ollon by coach or Bex-Gryon-Villars sur Ollon by train.

CAR : Geneva = 110km, Paris = 650 km, Lyon = 240 km, Brussels = 690 km, Amsterdam  
= 850 km

Motorway A 9, way-out "AIGLE", 30 minutes from the motorway.

**ACCOMMODATION :**

Will be in the **EUROTEL VICTORIA**, from Saturday March 10th (dinner) to Saturday March 17th (breakfast), a total of 7 nights:

*The package includes the following services :*

- Complete hotel services
- Free access to indoor swimming-pool, sauna & fitness
- Half pension: breakfast and dinner in the EUROTEL VICTORIA, including **2 dl of wine per person**, water and coffee at dinner. **Extra wine will be charged individually at dinner directly by the hotel.**

**DEADLINE FOR HOTEL RESERVATION : DECEMBER 15, 2011**

Each participant must register for the conference and the hotel with the Secretariat.

**Reservations will not be accepted without full payment**

**No refund will be made for early departure or late arrival.**

In case of cancellation, please advise by fax or e.mail. The date of advice will be used to calculate the cancellation fees (see below).

**32<sup>nd</sup> E.W.C.B.R. / REGISTRATION AND ACCOMMODATION FORM**

To be faxed to **33.1.49.69.96.57**. or sent by e.mail to [ewcbr@asso.univ-paris5.fr](mailto:ewcbr@asso.univ-paris5.fr) before **November 30, 2011** :

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NAME ..... FIRST NAME .....

ADDRESS .....

CITY ..... COUNTRY .....

TELEPHONE ..... FAX ..... E.MAIL .....

**A) REGISTRATION FEES**

|   |   |             |
|---|---|-------------|
| - Payment from Institutions or Universities | € | 190 (euros) |
| <b>After November 30, 2011</b>              | € | 220 (euros) |
| <br>  |   |             |
| - Others (pharmaceutical companies...)      | € | 350 (euros) |
| <b>After November 30, 2011</b>              | € | 400 (euros) |
| <br>  |   |             |
| - Junior scientist invited in a session     | € | 50 (euros)  |
| <br>  |   |             |
| - Accompanying members                      | € | 30 (euros)  |

**TOTAL A.....€**

**B) ACCOMMODATION :**

- I wish to have a private room
- I wish to share a double room with another participant
- I wish to share a double room with :

**EUROTEL VICTORIA:** as indicated, for 7 nights from Saturday March 10th at dinner to Saturday March 17th at breakfast (Half pension breakfast and dinner + access to the swimming-pool, sauna-fitness facilities).

*Please circle choice*

SINGLE ROOM :                    **945 € (euros) after Nov 30, 2011 : 980 € (euros)**

DOUBLE ROOM (per person) :                    **735 € (euros) after Nov 30, 2011: 770 € (euros)**

**Children** : if sharing their parents' rooms).

- 9 to 15 years old : - 30 %                    • under 9 years old : free                    **TOTAL B.....€**

**TOTAL A + B = .....€**

**C) SKI PASS (adult, young born between 1988-1995, senior) = same price**

- 6 DAYS (March 11 to March 16, including the Glacier3000, Les Diablerets, Villars, Leysin) : Group Tariff : 215 € (euros)

**TOTAL C.....€**

**TOTAL A + B + C .....**

- **PAYMENT BY CHECK** : (French participants and from Euro Zone countries) made out to **PROMOTION DES NEUROSCIENCES EUROPEENNES**
- **PAYMENT BY BANK TRANSFER (others)** : following bank account : **B.N.P.(BANQUE NATIONALE DE PARIS) St Andre des Arts, 3 Place St André des Arts, 75006 PARIS .Account no. 30004-01841-05317896-83. (EUROCHECKS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED) . All bank info for bank transfer on web site**

Please use a typewriter (block letters) to complete this order form and return together with a copy of your bank transfer to the above address .

**IMPORTANT : MAKE SURE YOUR NAME APPEARS ON THE BANK TRANSFER**

If I cancel my booking, I allow **PROMOTION DES NEUROSCIENCES** to keep the following amounts as cancellation fees :

- up to 180 days before arrival : 155 € (euros)
- between 179 & 90 days before arrival : 20 € (euros)/person & per night.
- between 89 & 60 days before arrival : 25% of the total amount
- between 59 & 30 days before arrival : 50 % of the total amount
- between 29 & 3 days before arrival : 75 % of the total amount
- less than 3 days before arrival or in case of no show : 100 % of the total amount
- for partial cancellation, an amount of 5 % will be charged.

DATE:

SIGNATURE