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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 :

- 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 : Transaltional 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**

NAME OF THE ATTACHMENT SHOULD BE IDENTICAL WITH NAME OF FIRST AUTHOR OF THE ABSTACT
No attachement 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:

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

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/

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).

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

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94110 ARCUEIL
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- Accompanying members	€	30 (euros)

TOTAL A.....€

B) ACCOMMODATION :

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