II. Vertigo Academy International

22-23 May 2015
Moscow, Russia

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Welcome

Dear Colleague,

Following a very successful Vertigo Academy International Meeting in Antalya 2012, we thought that this should be continued on a regular basis.

Even though we witness new and considerable developments in vestibular medicine, there are still many aspects to be enlightened in terms of physiopathology, diagnostics and management of the diseases. As we mentioned while announcing the VAI-I, the theme of these meetings should be based on clinical vestibular medicine and research. In this regard, we aim to emphasize the new tools on diagnosis as well as the projections on treatment and rehabilitation. During the last couple of years the introduction of video head impulse test devices into clinical practice, as well as continuous efforts to develop fully compatible vestibular implants that should completely mimic the vestibular physiology beyond the new application strategies of currently used medications such as betahistine, seem to be striking events. So as time is running, the efforts on offering better therapeutic options to the disabled and suffering people, are also growing.

All these new developments need to be shared by leading scientists worldwide. This supports the idea of putting the Vertigo Academy International meetings into the scientific agenda. The format of the meeting will mainly be based on presentations of the experts on vestibular medicine especially on the hot topics of the current research and practices. But in addition, poster presentations will be allowed that will be submitted by the participants.

As it was the case for VAI-1, this workshop will also mainly be sponsored by ABBOTT Company Worldwide. But in addition, other companies, especially in the field of diagnostic and also rehabilitation of the disease will be welcome. With this instance, personal registrations will also be accepted as we have received too many requests during the first meeting. On behalf of the Scientific and Organization Committees, I highly appreciate ABBOTT’s sublime support for the development of knowledge on vertigo science and related disciplines.

In this occasion the meeting will take place in Moscow – Russia. The Holiday Inn Hotel with many facilities will be the venue. And of course the fascinating historical background of the city will remain as an attractive face of your visit to Moscow.

Let’s meet in Moscow next May.

Prof. Dr. O. Nuri Ozgirgin
Chairman
On behalf of Organization and Scientific Committees and MSOA
Vertigo Academy International

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**22 May 2015, Friday**

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<td>Plenary Lecture: From the ears to the eyes</td>
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<td>Plenary session: BPPV -- New insights. Have we reached to consensus?</td>
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<td>Panel: Pharmacotherapy of vertigo and nystagmus</td>
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<td>Plenary session: Managing the co-morbidities in Meniere’s disease</td>
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**21 May 2015, Thursday**
- Transfer from Vnukovo Airport to Holiday Inn Sokolniki (for Turkish participants)
- Transfer from Sheremetievo and Domodeovo Airports to Holiday Inn Sokolniki (for other participants)
- It takes 1 hour up to 2 hours approximately
- Hotel Check-in
- Dinner at the Hotel

**22 May 2015, Friday**
- Full day meeting at the Hotel
- Opening ceremony dinner

**23 May 2015, Saturday**
- Full day meeting at the Hotel

**24 May 2015, Sunday**
- Check-out from the Hotel
- Transfer from Holiday Inn Sokolniki to Vnukovo Airport (for Turkish participants)
- Transfer from Holiday Inn Sokolniki to Sheremetievo and Domodeovo Airports (for other participants)
- It takes 1 hour up to 2 hours approximately

**Registration Information**

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<th>Congress Registration Fees in Euro (€)</th>
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**The registration fee includes:**
- Participation to scientific sessions, certificate of attendance, 2 days buffet lunch with beverages, 2 days two coffee breaks, buffet dinner on 21 of May with beverages, opening ceremony dinner with beverages on 22 May, entertainment program for 22 May.

**Confirmation, Cancellations and Refunds**

- Please note that registrations can only be accepted and confirmed upon receipt of the completed registration form. (May be post-mailed or filled in via the website www.vainternational.org) and the full payment.
- All cancellation must be made by sending an e-mail to the address info@vainternational.org

**Accommodation Information**

**MEETING VENUE:** Holiday Inn Moscow Sokolniki Hotel 4*

*The Hotel concept is Bed & Breakfast*

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<th>3 nights’ accommodation and services package fee / per room (*)</th>
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<tr>
<td>Single Room</td>
<td>545 €</td>
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<td>Double Room in PER PERSON</td>
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**The given prices include 3 night’s (May 21,22 and 23, 2015) accommodation and services.**

**The package accommodation fee includes:**
- 3 nights accommodation at the standard room, per person.
- Breakfast each morning at the hotel restaurant.
- Roundtrip transfer Airport-Hotel-Airport.

**Confirmation, Cancellations and Refunds:**

- The full payment is required in order to confirm your hotel reservation.
- Payments can be conducted either by bank transfer or credit card.
- Cancellations should be made only in a written form and forwarded to info@vainternational.org
  - If received later than March 20, 2015, there will be no refund.

All rates are subject to amendments without prior notice.

Name change will be accepted up to 72 hours prior to the Meeting.
Poster Presentations

During the meeting a Poster Presentations will be allowed. The Abstracts for poster presentations should be submitted until 01 April 2015. This date will NOT be postponed.

The Scientific Committee will review the abstracts and the accepted presentations will be announced on 15 April 2015.

Please refer to the Meeting’s website for further details.

Abstract Submission System for Posters

Submission of abstracts will be done online at the “Abstract Module” system.

http://www.abstractmodule.com/VAI2

Detailed information is provided in the system. If assistance needed, please send an e-mail to support@abstractmodule.com

Please carefully read the instructions before submitting your abstract through the online submission module “Abstract Module”.

This is an automated system that will allow you to put the information online for the authors, affiliations, abstract text (if required with special characters etc.) and keywords in a series of different windows.

Once you sign up, you can also continue working on abstract until you finally decide to submit before the deadline.

You can track the whole submission and evaluation procedure either within the system or by e-mail notification.

In case of submitting more than one abstract you can use the same login and password for each abstract via online submission module.

Poster Presentation Guidelines

The posters will be 70 cm (width) and 90 cm (height) and will be mounted vertically. (Double-sided tape will be available for mounting the Posters)

Graphics and digital photos should be at least 100-150 dpi in their final printed size.

Important Notice for Workshops

The participation to the workshops is limited with 40 attendants. Please register in advance for the sessions you wish to attend.

About Moscow

The first recorded reference to Moscow as a town is in an early Russian historical chronicle under the year 1147. The grand Duke of Suzdal Yury Dolgorukiy is regarded as a founder of Moscow. Gradually the city became more and more powerful and flourished under the rule of Andrej Bogolubskij, Ivan Kalita (‘kalita’-means ‘a money bag’), Dmitriy Donskoy, Ivan III, Boris Godunov, Michael Romanov and many others.

Hotel Information

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The hotel is conveniently located 50 meters away from the metro station and 10 minutes walk from Sokolniki Exhibition Centre. It is an ideal starting point both for business and individual travellers.

AIRPORTS

► From Sheremetyevo (SVO) Airport
Distance : 33 KM South East to Hotel
Taxi : 1 hour approximately

► From Domodedovo (DME) Airport
Distance : 54 Km North East to Hotel
Taxi : 2.5 hours approximately

► From Vnukovo (VKO) Airport
Distance : 40 Km. North East to Hotel
Taxi : 2 hours approximately

► From train stations: Leningradsky, Kazansky, Yaroslavsky
Taxi : 15 Min approximately
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