



**The 7th Congress of the Society of Neurologists
of the Republic of Moldova with International Participation
Chisinau, September 16-18, 2021
Virtual**

Program of the Congress

Thursday, September 16, 2021

European Academy of Neurology Day

09⁰⁰-09¹⁵ Registration of the participants

09¹⁵-09³⁰ Welcome Messages

- Prof. Dr. **Vitalie Lisnic** (Moldova)
- Prof. Dr. **Dafin Muresanu** (Romania)
- Prof. Dr. **Stanislav Groppa** (Moldova)
- Prof. Dr. **Ludwig Kappos** (Switzerland)
- Prof. Dr. **Alexandre Bisdorff** (Luxemburg)
- Prof. Dr. **Mihail Gavriiliuc** (Moldova)

09³⁰-10¹⁵ – Dafin Muresanu (Romania) Challenges and opportunities in stroke recovery

10¹⁵-11⁰⁰ – Ludwig Kappos (Switzerland) Updates on diagnosis of multiple sclerosis

11⁰⁰-11¹⁵ Coffee break

11¹⁵-12⁰⁰ – Alexandre Bisdorff (Luxemburg) Update on vestibular disorders and how to approach them

12⁰⁰-12³⁰ – Resident and Research Fellow Section speaker Info on Grants/News for Neurologists in Training

12³⁰-13³⁰ Lunch

13³⁰-16⁴⁰ – Interactive workshops

Dafin Muresanu (Romania) Rare cases of stroke

Ludwig Kappos (Switzerland) Switching of therapies in multiple sclerosis

Alexandre Bisdorff (Luxemburg) Targeted clinical vestibular examination on positional vertigo and head impulse testing

16⁴⁰-17⁰⁰ – Closing remarks

Friday, September 17, 2021

08⁰⁰-08³⁰ Registration

08³⁰-09⁰⁰ Opening ceremony

Moderator – **Vitalie Lisnic** (Moldova)

- Prof. Dr. **Vitalie Lisnic**, President of the Society of Neurologists of the Republic of Moldova
- **Delegate** of the Ministry of Health
- Prof. Dr. **Emil Ceban**, Rector of *Nicolae Testemitanu* State University of Medicine and Pharmacy of the Republic of Moldova
- Prof. Dr. **Stanislav Groppa**, Deputy Rector of *Nicolae Testemitanu* State University of Medicine and Pharmacy of the Republic of Moldova
- Prof. Dr. **Grigore Zapuhliu**, Director of *Diomid Gherman* Institute of Neurology and Neurosurgery

Cerebrovascular Diseases Session

Panel Moderator – **Stanislav Groppa** (Moldova)

09⁰⁰-09⁴⁰ – Stanislav Groppa (Moldova) The platform of excellence in stroke research

09⁴⁰-10¹⁵ – Natan Bornstein (Israel) Updates in the management of acute ischemic stroke based on current guidelines of the European Stroke Organization (ESO)

10¹⁵-10³⁰ – Elena Manole (Moldova) The Republic of Moldova's experience in participating in the international registry RES-Q

10³⁰-10⁴⁵ Coffee break

10⁴⁵-11⁰⁰ – Pavel Leahu (Moldova) The impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on the management of stroke in the Republic of Moldova

11⁰⁰-11¹⁵ – Alexandru Gasnas (Moldova) Stroke mimics in patients with symptoms of stroke

11¹⁵-11³⁰ – Eremei Zota (Moldova) Stepwise management of stroke patients: pre-hospital and hospital steps

11³⁰-11⁴⁵ – Daniela Efremova (Moldova) Obesity as a risk factor for stroke in the population of the Republic of Moldova

11⁴⁵-12⁰⁰ – Pavel Gavriiliuc (Moldova) Management of non-traumatic and non-aneurysmal intracerebral hemorrhages

12⁰⁰-12¹⁵ – Elena Costru-Tasnic (Moldova) Clinical and laboratory biomarkers for predicting the hemorrhagic transformation of cerebral infarction: preliminary results of a prospective study

12¹⁵-12³⁰ – Sorin Barat (Moldova) IMSP IMU experience in the endovascular treatment of acute ischemic stroke

12³⁰-12⁴⁵ – Ion Preguza (Moldova) Extension of the therapeutic window to 24 hours for mechanical thrombectomy. The impact for the Republic of Moldova

12⁴⁵-13⁰⁰ – Horia Berceanu (Moldova) The beginnings of neurosurgery in Moldova

13⁰⁰-14⁰⁰ Lunch (Poster session No 1. Moderator – Oxana Grosu, Moldova)

Neuromuscular Diseases and Multiple Sclerosis Session

Panel moderators – **Vitalie Lisnic** (Moldova), **Mihail Gavriliuc** (Moldova)

- 14⁰⁰-14²⁰** – **Vitalie Lisnic** (Moldova) Epidemiological data on Myasthenia Gravis related to the SARS-CoV-2 pandemic in the Republic of Moldova
- 14²⁰-14⁴⁰** – **Gabriela Radulian** (Bucharest, Romania) Updates on diabetic neuropathy
- 14⁴⁰-15⁰⁰** – **Bogdan Florea** (Cluj-Napoca, Romania) The impact of diabetic neuropathy and other peripheral nerve diseases on the background of diabetes mellitus
- 15⁰⁰-15²⁰** – **Alin Stirban** (Düsseldorf, Germany) Therapeutic approaches in diabetic neuropathy
- 15²⁰-15³⁰** – **Aliona Cucovici** (Moldova) The impact of lifetime alcohol and cigarette smoking loads on Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis progression: a cross-sectional study
- 15³⁰-16⁰⁰** – **Leone Maurizio** (Rotondo, Italy) Risk Factors for Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis
- 16⁰⁰-16³⁰** – **Guy Rouleau** (Montreal, Canada) Genetics of Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis
- 16³⁰-17⁰⁰** – **Ziemssen Tjalf** (Dresda, Germany) Updates in the diagnosis and treatment of diseases accompanied by optic neuromyelitis
- 17⁰⁰-17¹⁵** – **Ana Belenciuc** (Moldova) The prevalence and clinical profile of patients with multiple sclerosis in the Republic of Moldova
- 17¹⁵-17³⁰** – **Marina Sangheli** (Moldova) Vestibular manifestations in multiple sclerosis
- 17³⁰-18⁰⁰** – **Questions and answers. Discussion**
- 18⁰⁰-19⁰⁰** – **The executive report of the President and of the Treasurer of the Society. Election of the President of the Society and the Administrative Council**

Saturday, September 18, 2021

Headache and Pain Session

Panel Moderators – **Ion Moldovanu** (Moldova), **Stela Odobescu** (Moldova)

- 09⁰⁰-09¹⁵** – **Ion Moldovanu** (Moldova) The role of post-traumatic stress disorder in migraine chronification
- 09¹⁵-09⁴⁵** – **Vera Osipova** (Moscow, Russia) Subtleties in the diagnosis and treatment of chronic migraine
- 09⁴⁵-10⁰⁰** – **Adina Roceanu** (Bucharest, Romania) New aspects in the Classification of Headache Disorders, 3rd edition
- 10⁰⁰-10¹⁰** – **Tatiana Lozan** (Moldova) Primary headaches in children and adolescents: diagnosis and treatment aspects
- 10¹⁰-10²⁰** – **Oxana Grosu** (Moldova) Post-COVID headache
- 10²⁰-10³⁰** – **Pavel Leahu** (Moldova) The long-term therapeutic outcome of multifocal rTMS in migraine prevention
- 10³⁰-10⁴⁵** – **Pedro Morgado** (Braga, Portugal) The treatment of anxiety in the 21st century
- 10⁴⁵-11⁰⁰** – **Questions and answers. Discussion**

Dementia Section

Panel moderator – **Lilia Rotaru** (Moldova)

- 11⁰⁰-11²⁰** – **Alexander Kurz** (Munich, Germany) Overview of dementia issues. The INDEED project
- 11²⁰-11⁴⁰** – **Saule Turuspekova** (Almaty, Kazakhstan) Neurodegenerative dementias
- 11⁴⁰-11⁵⁵** – **Dan Cuciureanu** (Iasi, Romania) Dementia. Diagnostic and treatment aspects
- 11⁵⁵-12¹⁰** – **Lilia Rotaru** (Moldova) Parkinson's Disease Dementia. Preliminary results of a cohort study in Moldova
- 12¹⁰-12²⁵** – **Mihail Gavriiliuc** (Moldova) Novel aspects of vascular dementia
- 12²⁵-12³⁵** – **Olga Gavriiliuc** (Moldova) Cognitive impairment induced by low doses of trihexyphenidyl in patients with Parkinson's disease
- 12³⁵-12⁴⁵** – **Alexandru Andrusca** (Moldova) The role of microelectrodes in deep brain stimulation of the subthalamic nucleus in patients with Parkinson's disease
- 12⁴⁵-13⁰⁰** – **Questions and answers. Discussion**
- 13⁰⁰-14⁰⁰** **Lunch** (Poster Session No 2, Moderator – **Oxana Grosu**, Moldova)

Epilepsy Session

Panel moderators – **Stanislav Groppa** (Moldova), **Vitalie Chiosa** (Moldova)

- 14⁰⁰-14⁴⁰** – **Cecille Landmark** (Oslo, Norway) Treatment approaches in refractory epilepsy focusing on recently approved anticonvulsant remedies
- 14⁴⁰-14⁵⁰** – **Daniela Gasnas** (Moldova) Familial epilepsy – clinical-epidemiological characteristics and next-generation sequencing in the population of the Republic of Moldova
- 14⁵⁰-15⁰⁰** – **Anatolie Vataman** (Moldova) Anatomico-electro-clinical correlations in myoclonic epilepsy
- 15⁰⁰-15¹⁰** – **Cristina Munteanu** (Moldova) Nonconvulsive status epilepticus: diagnostic and treatment aspects
- 15¹⁰-15³⁰** – **Dumitru Ciolac** (Moldova) Cerebral integrity and connectivity in multiple sclerosis associated with epilepsy
- 15³⁰-16⁰⁰** – **Questions and answers. Discussion**

Pediatric Neurology Session

Panel Moderator – **Svetlana Hadjiu** (Moldova)

16⁰⁰-16¹⁵ – **Svetlana Hadjiu** (Moldova) Neurological problems in children after the COVID-19 infection

16¹⁵-16³⁰ – **Cornelia Calcii** (Moldova) Particularities of status epilepticus in children

16³⁰-16⁴⁰ – **Mariana Sprancean** (Moldova) Immunoenzymatic changes in ischemic stroke in children

16⁴⁰-16⁵⁰ – **Ludmila Feghiu** (Moldova) Drug-resistant epilepsies in children: clinical cases

16⁵⁰-17⁰⁰ – **Corina Griu** (Moldova) Cerebellar tumors in children: neurological manifestations in the late postoperative period

17⁰⁰-17¹⁰ – **Nadejda Lupusor** (Moldova) Sleep disorders in children after stroke

17¹⁰-17²⁰ – **Ludmila Cuznet** (Moldova) Imaging aspects in spastic cerebral palsy in children

17²⁰-17³⁰ – **Stela Racovita** (Moldova) Neurogenetic aspects in Klinefelter's syndrome in men

17³⁰-17⁴⁵ – **Questions and answers. Discussion**

18⁰⁰-19⁰⁰ – **Congress Closing Remarks (virtual cocktail, awards, acknowledgments)**

