Call for abstracts

Deadline for abstract submission—20 June 2011

Those who wish to present posters are requested to submit the abstract online.

A selected number of abstracts will be accommodated for platform presentations.

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Registration

Online registration will be available until 25 September 2011

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Registration fee for accompanying person: $150

Registration fee for Pre-congress workshops

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Asia Pacific Stroke Conference

29 September - 1 October 2011

Venue - Cinnamon Grand Hotel

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Sri Lanka is delighted to host the APSC, and on behalf of the organizing committee we warmly welcome all of you who are passionate about preventing and treating STROKE - to Colombo, Sri Lanka.

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### Programme of the Asia Pacific Stroke Conference

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**30.09.2011 (Friday)**

- **Fellows' Symposium**
  - Getting the evidence
  - Challenges of post-stroke care
  - Stroke in the community – How population surveys can help with getting the evidence
    - Sudha Seshadri, USA
  - Conducting stroke research: opportunities for collaboration between developed and developing world
    - Craig Anderson, Australia
  - New clinical evidence on thrombolysis and neuroprotective agents
    - Kazuo Minematsu, Japan
  - Clinical trials in Sri Lanka
    - Anura de Silva, Sri Lanka

- **Intra-cerebral haemorrhages: Byung-Woo Yoon, South Korea**

- **Special Symposium of the World Stroke Organization**
  - Cardiac principles of stroke management
  - The educational mission of the WSO
    - Bo Borrmann, Switzerland
  - The numbers and needs of stroke education in Asia
    - Lawrence Wong, Hong Kong
  - Early recognition and diagnosis of stroke
    - Stephen Davis, Australia
  - Medical treatment of stroke
    - Peter Sandrock, UK
  - Prevention of complications in stroke
    - Michael Bhtain, Australia
  - Early mobilization of stroke patients
    - Bo Borrmann, Switzerland

- **Care for stroke in the Asia Pacific region**
  - Vietnam
    - Huy Thang Nguyen
  - Sri Lanka
    - Udara Ramanathana
  - Malaysia
    - Hemavon Rani
  - Indonesia
    - Jusy Mekah
  - China
    - Ming Liu

- **Stroke case studies**
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