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## PRACTICAL

### Date

Friday, October 23<sup>th</sup>, 2009, at 09.00 a.m. - 04.00 p.m.

### Meeting venue

University of Antwerp  
Campus Drie Eiken, Aula Fernand Nédée (Building Q)  
Universiteitsplein 1, B - 2610 Wilrijk

### Route discription

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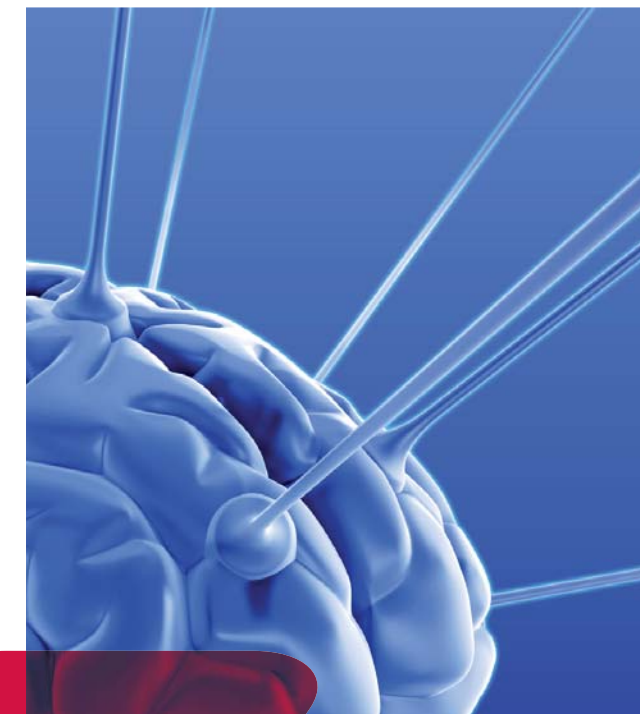
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# From neuron to brain

Friday, October 23<sup>th</sup>, 2009



 Société Belge de Médecine Intensive  
Belgische Vereniging voor Intensieve Geneeskunde  
Belgian Society of Intensive Care Medicine

## INTRO

We are very pleased to extend you a warm invitation to the yearly congress of the Belgian Society of Intensive Care Medicine (SIZ). It is our privilege and pleasure, on behalf of the SIZ and the staff members of our department of critical care medicine of the University of Antwerp/Antwerp University Hospital to introduce this congress being held in Antwerp on October 23, 2009. This Congress is a global forum for all those involved in providing critical care services.

The Scientific Programme Committee has put together an exciting programme that will cover the full range of interests of not only critical care specialists but also emergency physicians, neurologists, paediatricians, anaesthesiologists and neurosurgeons, ... but also basic scientists.

The last few years a large number of new topics have emerged in critical medicine and neurology. The integration of these into practical clinical tasks has certainly created significant challenges. The emphasis of the meeting attempts to tackle different subjects. The keynote lectures deal with the new insights in the physiopathology of neurological disorders in the critically ill patient, new trends in monitoring of the peripheral and central nervous system, new treatment options and several ethical issues.

We hope that you will be able to participate and look forward to welcoming you in Antwerp.

*Philippe G Jorens,  
Chairman of the Department of Critical Care Medicine,  
University of Antwerp, Antwerp University Hospital*

*Scientific Committee:  
Dr. Annick De Weerd, Dr. Martine Van Utterbeeck, Dr. Walter Verbrugghe, Dr. Dominique Robert, Dr. Rudi De Paep*

## PROGRAMME, Friday, October 23<sup>th</sup>, 2009

### Scientific programme (9-4pm)

09.00 **Introduction**  
*Ph. Jorens - Belgium*

### Pathophysiology

09.25 **Systemic consequences of neurological disorders**  
*M. Smith - United Kingdom*

09.45 **The neurological control of breathing**  
*M. Ranieri - Italy*

10.05 **Glucose and the nervous system: a delicate balance**  
*G. Van den Berghe - Belgium*

10.25 **Break**

### Diagnosis

10.45 **An update on neuroimaging in acute neurological disorders**  
*M. Voormolen - Belgium*

11.05 **How should we monitor brain function in the ICU?**  
*A. Gupta - United Kingdom*

11.25 **The changing spectrum of coma**  
*S. Laureys - Belgium*

11.45 **Sleep well in the ICU**  
*A. Thille - France*

12.05 **Lunch**

### Innovative treatment

13.20 **How to treat agitation and delirium in the ICU?**  
*JC. Chevrolat - Switzerland*

13.40 **Endovascular treatment of ruptured intracranial aneurysms**  
*WJ. van Rooij - The Netherlands*

14.00 **Neurological emergencies in children: really different from the adult?**  
*RC. Tasker - United Kingdom*

14.20 **Hypothermia for brain disorders**  
*N. Stochetti - Italy*

14.40 **Break**

### Ethical issues

15.00 **Pain management**  
*G. Hans - Belgium*

15.20 **The quality of life after the ICU...**  
*D. Van Dijck - Belgium*

15.40 **The diagnosis of brain death: time for reappraisal?**  
*WF. Haupt - Germany*

### Language

The official language of the symposium will be English.

### Accreditation

An application for Belgian accreditation has been submitted.

## REGISTRATION FORM

### From neuron to brain, October 23<sup>th</sup>, 2009

#### Registration fees

	Doctor ESICM	SIZ members	Medical Doctor	Not MD*
Before Oct 1	€ 35	€ 35	€ 50	€ 20
After Oct 1	€ 45	€ 45	€ 60	€ 35
On site	€ 75	€ 75	€ 75	€ 50

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