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# Welcome Message



On behalf of the Egyptian Society of Neurology, Psychiatry and Neurosurgery (ESNPN), I have the pleasure to invite you to the 25<sup>th</sup> Cairo Neurology Conference (CNC) which will take place in Intercontinental Cairo Citystars Hotel from the 31<sup>st</sup> Jan till the 2<sup>nd</sup> of February 2024.

We promise you a rich and comprehensive scientific program that will cover different domains of Neurology, interesting lectures by eminent Neurologists from all over the world, sharing their experience and discussing recent updates in the field.

I hope it will be an unforgettable journey into history and science, and it won't be complete without your participation.

**Azza Abdelnasser**  
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<b>Ahmed Shatila</b>	UAE	



The Memory of the Late Professor  
**Prof. Dr. Hany Aref**



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09:30 – 10:30



Hall A



## Neurophysiology Session

### Chairpersons:

Prof. Ann Abdelkader

Prof. Ayat Allah Farouk Hussein

Prof. Hala Elhabashy

Prof. Kamel Heweidy

Prof. Naglaa Elkhayat

Prof. Saly Elkholy

EDX examination of non-routine nerves in brachialgia

**Prof. Heba Raafat, Cairo University**

**15 min**

Transcranial Magnetic Stimulation in Non Motor Symptoms in Parkinson's Disease

**Dr. Nagat Nabih, Al-Azhar University**

**15 min**

EEG Functional Connectivity and Brain Networks

**Prof. Mostafa M. Elkholy, Beni-Suef University**

**15 min**

Transcranial Direct Current Stimulation in patients with Multiple Sclerosis: Exploring Novel Routs

**Prof. Hala Elhabashy, Cairo University**

**15 min**





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Hall B



## Innovative Diagnostics and Therapeutics

### Chairpersons:

Prof. Hala Shaheen

Prof. Manal Hafez

Prof. Nervana Elfayoumi

Prof. Shoura Youssef

Prof. Yousry Aboelnaga

Novel Therapies for Alzheimer's disease; A New Hope vs Theoretical Results

**Dr. Doaa Atef Mekkawy, Cairo University**

**15 min**

Potentials of BTK inhibitors: Pioneering the Path towards Treatment of MS Progression?

**Dr. Noha Sarhan, Zagazig University**

**15 min**

The innovative neuroimaging tools and its clinical implementations

**Dr. Habiba Mostafa, MD, FRCR, Cairo University**


**20 min**



Ultrasound guided neurointerventions : A new evolution

**Prof. Ahmad Elsadek, Ain Shams University**

**15 min**

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 **Hall A**

 **Epilepsy Session (I)**

### **Chairpersons:**

Prof. Ahmed Gaber  
Prof. Ghaydaa Shehata  
Prof. Mahmoud Hemida  
Prof. Mohamed Hamdy Shafik  
Prof. Nermin Adel Kishk  
Prof. Reda El Badry

Approach to newly diagnosed epilepsy. Long-term follow up

**Prof. Hassan Hosny, Cairo University**

**20 min**



Accurate diagnosis of Drug-Resistant Epilepsy for new emerging therapies?

**Prof. Riki Matsumoto, Kobe University, Japan**

**20 min**

Beyond Medications: Non-pharmacological Approaches for Managing Drug-Resistant Epilepsy

**Prof. Mahmoud Hemida, Ain Shams University**

**15 min**

Understanding Drug-Resistant Epilepsy: Causes and Mechanisms

**Prof. Sabah Lotfy, Zagazig University**

**15 min**



Predictive value of TMS in early detection of drug resistant epilepsy, an Egyptian study

**Prof. Aktham Al Emam, Menoufia University**

**15 min**

Update on resistant neonatal seizures - classification and treatment and relevance to low and middle income settings

**Prof. Jo Wilmshurst, South Africa (recorded lecture)**

**20 min**



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 **Hall B**



## Movement Disorder

### Chairpersons:

Prof. Ahmed Farag  
Prof. Ali Shalash  
Prof. Ehab Elseidy  
Prof. Hanan Amer  
Prof. Hazem Maarouf  
Prof. Yaser El-Henedy

Tics and Tourette Syndrome

**Prof. Yasser Awaad, USA**

**20 min**

Approach to tremor syndromes

**Prof. Ghada Ashmawi, Alexandria University**

**20 min**

Choreas. Updates

**Prof. Ahmed Esmat, Al-Azhar University**

**20 min**

Frailty and Parkinson's Disease

**Prof. Anwar Mohamed Ali, Assiut University**

**15 min**

Impact of culture on Impulse control disorders and correlation with levodopa-induced dyskinesia in PD in Egypt

**Prof. Alia Hassan Mansour, Ain Shams University**

**15 min**

Progression of Parkinson's disease: Clinical and Nonclinical Predictors

**Dr. Asma Helmy, Ain Shams University**

**15 min**

**12:15 – 12:45**

**Break**



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Hall A



Headache (I)

### Chairpersons:

Prof. Adel Hasanein

Prof. Mohammed Elwan

Prof. Nabil Alagouz

Prof. Taha Kamel

CGRP pathway in migraine. Towards a new treatment paradigm

**Prof. Osama Abdelghani, Ain Shams University**

30 min





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Hall A



Opening Ceremony

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14:00 – 15:00



Hall A



Plenary session

### Chairpersons:

Prof. Azza Abdel Nasser

Prof. Hamdy N. El-Tallawy

Prof. Maged Abdel Naseer

Prof. Mohamed Eltamawy

Prof. Osama Abdelghani

Prof. Riadh Gouider

Update of Neuromuscular Neurotoxicity in cancer Therapy

**Prof. Wolfgang Grisold**

20 min

Update on PD management

**Prof. Elena Moro, Joseph Fourier University of Grenoble**

20 min

الاعتبارات الرئيسية والمركزية في موت الدماغ

Brain Death (in Arabic with instant translation by Dr. Sara Abdou, Cairo University)

**Prof. Fathi Afifi, Al-Azhar University**

20 min



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15:00 – 16:30



Hall A



Multiple Sclerosis (I)

### Chairpersons:

Prof. Al-Bahy Reda

Prof. El-Sayed Tag El-Din

Prof. Farouk Talaat

Prof. Mervat Mostafa

Prof. Saher Hashem

More than 15 Years of TYSABRI: A Growing Body of Evidence

**Prof. Magd Zakaria, Ain Shams University**

20 min



SPMS Ambiguity revealed: illuminating the path

**Prof. Maged Abdelnaseer, Cairo University**

**Prof. Sandra Ahmad, Cairo University**

**Prof. Mohammed Hegazy, Cairo University**

30 min



MS, progressive disease. 10 years Ocrevus data, RWD Kuwait Experience

**Prof. Raed Alroughani, Kuwait**

20 min



The change in landscape of MS patients profiles: the art of slicing the meat

**Prof. Amr Hassan, Cairo University**

20 min





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Hall A



## Stroke (I) Therapeutics

### Chairpersons:

Prof. Ahmed Abdelalim

Prof. Ahmed Abuhagar

Prof. Khaled Sallam

Prof. Mohamed Abdel Rahman

Prof. Sameh Saied

Prof. Wael Osman

Antithrombotic management. Insights in stroke prevention

**Prof. Husam Salah, Cairo University**

20 min

The essential role of cerebrolysin in the freezing of the penumbra after (AIS)

**Prof. Ibrahim Menshawy, Mansoura University**

20 min



The spasticity enigma

**Prof. Nevin El-Nahas, Ain Shams University**

20 min

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Thrombectomy in medium vessel occlusion

**Prof. Ahmad Elbasiouny, Ain Shams University**

20 min

Medtronic

Take Home Messages

**Panel Closing**

10 min





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Hall B



## Artificial Intelligence in Neurology

### Chairpersons:

Prof. Abdel Nasser Mourad

Prof. Amal Tohamy

Prof. Ismail Montaser

Prof. Mona Raafat

Prof. Wafik Elsheikh

Updated Overview of Clinical Application of Artificial Intelligence in Neurological Disorders

**Dr. Marwa Yassien Badr, Tanta University**

**15 min**

Artificial Intelligence in Multiple Sclerosis; could it end the arguments?

**Prof. Rasha M. Fahmi, Zagazig University & Dr. Basem Fouda, Tanta University.**

**20 min**

Artificial Intelligence. How can it help in Epilepsy?

**Prof. Amany Hussein Ragab, Cairo University**

**10 min**



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18:00 – 19:00

 **Hall A**



**Headache and pain**

### **Chairpersons:**

Prof. Ahmed Azab  
Prof. Alaa Abdel Ghany  
Prof. Ehab Shawky  
Prof. Ramez Reda  
Prof. Wafaa Farghaly

Management of neuropathic pain

**Prof. Magdy Aidaros, Zagazig University**

**20 min**



The non-responders in migraine; it is not all about CGRP

**Prof. Mona Nada, Cairo University**

**20 min**

Cluster headache. Recognition and optimal management

**Prof. Tarek Rageh, Assiut University**

**20 min**



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19:00 – 20:40



Hall A



## Multiple Sclerosis (II)

### Chairpersons:

Prof. Amal Almotayyam

Prof. Azza Abbas Ghaly

Prof. Gharib Fawi

Prof. Hussein Mohammed Hussein

Prof. Mohamed Saad

Prof. Ismail Ramadan

Oral DMTs In Practice “The Egyptian Experience”

**Prof. Azza Abdelnasser, Ain Shams University**

20 min

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Multiple Sclerosis. Early treatment For a Bright Future

**Prof. Ayman Nasef, Ain Shams University**

20 min



Oral Cladribine. Egyptian Real-life Experience

**Prof. Nevin Shalaby, Cairo University**

30 min

**MERCK**

NMOSD. From basic knowledge to clinical skills

**Prof. Hatem S. Shehata, Cairo University**

20 min

AstraZeneca 

The aurum contest of silver jubilee

**Prof. Mohamed Hamed, Azhar University**

10 min

21:00

Dinner

**Friday**  
**2<sup>nd</sup> Feb. 2024**



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07:30 – 09:00



Hall A



Early-bird session

### Chairpersons:

Prof. Ahmed Farag

Prof. Ali Shalash

Prof. Anwar Mohamed Ali

Prof. Ehab Elseidy

Prof. Hatem Shehata

Prof. Hazem Maarouf

Prof. Mona Nada

Prof. Tarek Rageh

Prof. Wafik Bahnasy

Transcranial direct current stimulation in drug-resistant epilepsy

**Dr. Nada Ibrahim Hendi, Ain Shams University**

10 min

From panic attack to derealization. Case report of a patient with autoimmune epilepsy

**Dr. Hadeer S. Aboelfarh, Mansoura University**

10 min

Association Between Acute Stroke and COVID-19 Infection Among Patients with Acute Stroke

**Dr. Mayar M. Hussein, Suez Canal University**

10 min

Late time window mechanical thrombectomy

**Dr. Mahmoud Nageeb, Assiut University**

10 min

Approach to a case of childhood ataxia

**Dr. Roaa Elmoataz, Assiut University**

10 min

Atypical Wernicke's Case. Behind a starring look, there was a lot to uncover

**Dr. Mariam AlAwaady, Cairo University**

10 min

Visual hallucinations Neurobiology and underlying etiology

**Prof. Hamada Zehry, Horus University**

15 min

Future imaging innovations in multiple sclerosis diagnostic work-up

**Prof. Hanan Salah, Zagazig University**

15 min

09:00 – 09:30

Early Break



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Hall A



## Stroke (II) Clinical unmet needs

### Chairpersons:

Prof. Ahmed Elbasiouny

Prof. Ashraf Abdou

Prof. Mohamed Al-Shaar

Prof. Mohamed Negm

Prof. Moustafa Melake

Prof. Rasha Elkabbany

Stroke. A leading cause of morbidity and mortality

**Prof. Aoussan Al-Athwari, Aden University, Yemen**

15 min

Prevalence of Stroke in Fayoum Governorate, Egypt: A community-based Study

**Prof. Hala Shahin, Fayoum University**

15 min

RCVS and PACNS

**Prof. Sandra Ahmed, Cairo University**

15 min

Statin and Stroke

**Prof. Ahmad Abdelalim, Cairo University**

15 min





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Hall B



Miscellaneous Session

### Chairpersons:

Prof. Azza El Mongy

Prof. Eman Awad

Prof. Mervat Hamed

Prof. Mohamed Elsayed AlAwaady

Prof. Rasha Soliman

Prof. Sayed El Zayat

Challenges in the diagnosis of brain death

**Prof. Ehab Shaker, Cairo University**

10 min

Pros and cons for confirmatory tests in brain death

**Prof. Nermin Kishk, Cairo University**

10 min

Religious viewpoint on brain death

**Prof. Noha Aboukresha, Cairo University**

10 min

Towards developing Egyptian guidelines of brain death

**Prof. Mohammed Hamdy Shafik, Alexandria University**

10 min

Vascular Myelopathy: Difficult Decisions Make Great Stories

**Prof. Wafik Bahnasy, Tanta University**

20 min



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Hall A



## Neuromuscular Session

### Chairpersons:

Prof. Abeer El-Touni

Prof. Adel Hassanein

Prof. Ahmed Abdel Wareth

Prof. Mahmoud Abdel Moaty

Prof. Nagia Fahmy

Prof. Samia Ashour

The inclusion of neuromuscular us to electrophysiological lab may disclose some hidden secrets

**Dr. Aya Zahran, Mansoura University**

10 min

Ocular myasthenia the great masquerader and its diagnostic challenges

**Prof. Ayat Allah Farouk, Cairo University**

20 min

The burden of gMG. Now time to address

**Prof. Ahmed Shatila, Sheikh Shakbout Medical City, Abu Dhabi, UAE**

30 min



Combined central and peripheral demyelination spectrum disorder (CCPD): patterns and significance

**Prof. Sawsan Abdel Aziz, Zagazig University**

20 min

Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis and multiple sclerosis: Is there a link?


**Dr. Radwa Soliman, Ain Shams University**

10 min

**12:00 - 13:00**

**Break & Gomaa Prayer**



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13:00 – 13:30

 EVA League

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Prof. Tarek Rageh

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Hall A



## Dementia and Behavioral Neurology

### Chairpersons:

Prof. Abdallah Almaamoun Sarhan

Prof. Ayman Nasef

Prof. Azza Abbas Helmy

Prof. Nadia Hafez

Prof. Nermin Hamdy

Prof. Wael Fadel

Alzheimer's Disease Diagnostic Criteria. New Perspective

**Prof. Maged Abdel Naseer, Cairo University**

**20 min**

Selected Updates in Behavioral Neurology

**Prof. Steven Lewis**

**20 min**

The role of Brexpiprazole in the treatment of Agitation associated with Dementias

**Prof. Osama Abdelghani, Ain Shams University**

**20 min**



Atypical Dementias

**Prof. Marwa Farghaly, Cairo University**

**15 min**

Pharmacotherapy of behavioral and psychological symptoms of Alzheimer's Disease

**Prof. Hazem Alhewag, Sohag University**

**15 min**



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Hall B



## Stroke (III) Contemporary approach

### Chairpersons:

Prof. Abou Zeid Khodir

Prof. Amr Kamel

Prof. Eman Seif

Prof. Hassan Farwiz

Prof. Hassan Gad

Prof. Mohamed Abdel Moneim

Breakthrough in Ischemic Stroke Treatment

**Prof. Ali Soliman, Zagazig University**

**20 min**

Clinical updates for management of patients with aneurysmal subarachnoid hemorrhage

**Prof. Mohamed Alazazy, Kobri Alkobba Military Hospital**

**20 min**

Transvenous Embolization of Brain Arteriovenous Malformations: Up-to-Date Meta-Analysis

**Prof. Wessam F. Moustafa, Mansoura University**

**20 min**

Could Ambulatory Blood Pressure Monitoring Be a Routine Investigation for Patients with Mild Cognitive Impairment?

**Prof. Mohamed Hamdy Ibrahim, Ain Shams University**

**15 min**

Impact of cerebral microbleeds on bleeding and outcome after stroke thrombolysis

**Dr. Khaled Afifi, Menoufia University**

**15 min**



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Hall A



## Multiple Sclerosis (III)

### Chairpersons:

Prof. Ahmed Elnemr

Prof. Azza Abdel Nasser

Prof. Eman Khedr

Prof. Mahmoud Abdel Sayed

Prof. Tarek Menicy

Treatment of Multiple Sclerosis in 2024- the German experience?

**Kerstin Hellwig, Ruhr-Universität Bochum, Germany** 20 min

How Close are we to a cure for Multiple Sclerosis

**Prof. Magdy Aidaros, Zagazig University** 20 min

Advances in stem cell transplantation and neuro-recovery in Multiple Sclerosis

**Prof. Tarek Regeh, Assiut University** 20 min

Demographics and Clinical Assessment of Familial Multiple Sclerosis Patients in Ain Shams University Hospitals

**Prof. Lobna El-Nabil, Ain Shams University** 15 min

Monoclonal antibodies in POMS

**Dr. Sara Sherif Abdou, Cairo University** 15 min



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Hall A



## Epilepsy (II) Autism and epilepsy

### Chairpersons:

Prof. Hazem Fayed

Prof. Ibrahim Menshawy

Prof. Mahmoud Hassan Al Ewaidy

Prof. Nahed Salah

Prof. Sabah Lotfy

The intricate link between epilepsy and autism

**Prof. Khaled Zamel, Corneil University, Qatar, USA**

**20 min**

Epilepsy and ADHA: the overlapping spectrum, shared Genetic and Neurobiological Mechanisms

**Prof. Heba El Shahawy, Ain Shamns University**

**20 min**

Exploring the Impact of Epilepsy on Autism Spectrum Disorder: Diagnosis, Treatment, and Support

**Prof. Nermin Adel, Cairo University**

**20 min**

Autoimmune Epilepsies

**Prof. Ghaydaa Shehata, Assiut University**

**20 min**

**18:00**

**General Assembly**



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