

**Date** Friday to Saturday, August 11 - 12, 2017

**Congress venue** Uni Campus Irchel  
Winterthurerstr. 190  
8057 Zurich, CH

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**Registration** Please register online via the congress website:  
SFCNS-summer-school.congress-imk.ch

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	Members*	CHF 200.-

\* Members of the following societies may register in the category members:  
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**Society** Website of the Swiss Federation of Clinical Neuro-Societies: [www.sfcns.ch](http://www.sfcns.ch)

**Networking "Meet the expert"** The Networking „Meet the Expert“ dinner will take place on Friday, August 11, 2017.

Credits	SSNS	SNS	SSR	ASNP/SVNP
11.08.2017	8	8	4	5
12.08.2017	8	8	4	4

The Swiss Federation of Clinical Neuro-Societies (SFCNS) was officially founded in 2009. First steps in that direction were taken at the Joint Meeting of six Clinical Neuroscience Societies in April 2008 in Montreux, which commemorated the centenary of the Swiss Neurological Society.

Following this great success and overwhelming approval, the Swiss Neurological Society (SNS), Swiss Society of Neurosurgery (SSNS), Swiss Society of Clinical Neurophysiology (SSNC), Swiss Society of Neuropaediatrics (SSNP), Swiss Society of Neuroradiology (SSNR) and Swiss Society of Neuropathology (SSNPath) decided to close ranks and form a Swiss Federation of Clinical Neuro-Societies (SFCNS) which marked the beginning of a new cooperative effort to strengthen the clinical neuro-sciences in Switzerland. The federation should formalise and structure the joint medico-political, educational and clinical research efforts.

Its further aim is to hold common meetings on a regular basis to facilitate mutual interactions and be open also to other medical groups pursuing clinical neuroscience interests. It will also be a cooperative partner of the Swiss Society for Neuroscience.

#### Ordinary members SFCNS

Swiss Neurological Society SNS | [www.swissneuro.ch](http://www.swissneuro.ch)  
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Swiss Society of Neuropathology SSNPath | [www.ssn.uzh.ch](http://www.ssn.uzh.ch)  
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#### Associated members

Swiss Headache Society SHS | [www.headache.ch](http://www.headache.ch)  
Swiss Society for Neurorehabilitation SSNRehab  
Swiss Association of Neuropsychology | [www.neuropsych.ch](http://www.neuropsych.ch)  
Swiss Society of Behavioural Neurology SSBN | [www.sgvn.ch](http://www.sgvn.ch)  
Swiss Stroke Society SSS | [www.neurovasc.ch](http://www.neurovasc.ch)

#### Extraordinary members

Swiss League Against Epilepsy SLAE | [www.epi.ch](http://www.epi.ch)  
aphasie suisse | [www.aphasie.ch](http://www.aphasie.ch)

#### Partner 2017



## Program



# 1<sup>st</sup> SFCNS Summer School 2017

## Module I

- Neurodegenerative Disorders
- Neuro-Oncological Disorders
- Neuroimmunological Disorders
- Neurovascular Disorders

**11-12 August 2017**

Uni Campus Irchel, Zurich / Switzerland

Module II 2018

Module III 2019

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**Dear Sirs and Madams,**

It is our great pleasure, on behalf of the President of the organizing committee, Prof. Marcel Arnold, and of the President of the Swiss Federation of Clinical Neuro-Societies, Prof. Karl Schaller, to cordially invite you to the 1st SFCNS Summer School 2017. The congress will take place from August 11-12, 2017, at the Uni Campus Irchel in Zurich.

The SFCNS was founded 2009 to promote collaborations and interactions between clinical neuro-societies in Switzerland in order to enhance knowledge, information, and overall impact of our disciplines at scientific, public and political level.

The SFCNS Summer School takes place for the first time in 2017 and is mainly aimed at neurologists, neuroradiologists, neurosurgeons, neuropsychiatry, psychiatrist and other neuroscientists.

The program is constructed around the following topics:

- Neurodegenerative Disorders
- Neuro-Oncological Disorders
- Neuroimmunological Disorders
- Neurovascular Disorders

We hope that this event will be of interest to you and we look very much forward to welcoming you in Zurich.



Prof. Marcel Arnold, MD  
President of the organizing committee



Prof. Karl Schaller, MD  
President SFCNS

09.15-13.00

**Neurodegenerative Disorders**

09.15-10.10

**Diagnostic investigations of dementia: neuropsychological tests and imaging**

M. El Koussy, Bern; A. Monsch, Basel

10.10-10.45

**Neurodegenerative diseases with the cardinal symptom of ataxia**

A. Tarnutzer, Zurich

10.45-11.15

*Coffee break*

11.15-11.50

**Parkinson's disease: medical treatment and deep brain stimulation**

S. Bohlhalter, Luzern

11.50-12.25

**New treatment approaches for dementia**

P. Unschuld, Zurich

12.25-12.55

**Clinical cases:  
multidisciplinary management cases with integrated discussion**

13.00-14.30

*Lunch*

14.30-17.50

**Neuro-Oncological Disorders**

14.30-15.05

**Multiparametric imaging of brain glioma: diagnosis and follow-up**

E. Pravata, Lugano

15.05-15.40

**Prognosis, clinical and molecular prognostic factors of high grade gliomas**

C. Happold, Zurich

15.40-16.10

*Coffee break*

16.10-16.45

**Maximum safe resection of brain tumors**

L. Regli, Zurich

16.45-17.20

**Neuro-Oncological diseases in children**

S. Bigi, Bern

17.20-17.50

**Clinical cases:  
multidisciplinary management cases with integrated discussion**

starting 19:00

**Meet the expert | Networking Dinner**

08.30-12.15

**Neuroimmunological Disorders**

08.30-09.05

**Blood biomarkers and neuroimaging in neuroimmunological disorders**

K.-O. Lövblad, Geneva

09.05-09.40

**Interpretation of cerebrospinal fluid analyses in neuroimmunological diseases**

J. Kuhle, Basel

09.40-10.10

*Coffee break*

10.10-11.05

**Multiple sclerosis in adults and children: which therapy for which patient? overview and case presentations**

C. Pot Kreis, Lausanne; S. Bigi, Bern

11.05-11.40

**Diagnosis and treatment of inflammatory neuropathies in adults and children**

Th. Kuntzer, Lausanne

11.40-12.10

**Clinical cases:  
multidisciplinary management cases with integrated discussion**

12.15-13.45

*Lunch*

13.45-17.25

**Neurovascular Disorders**

13.45-14.20

**Update on secondary prevention after Stroke and TIA**

G. M. De Marchis, Basel

14.20-15.15

**Acute stroke in adults and children: diagnosis and treatment. How we do it and what is the evidence?**

M. Katan, Zurich; M. Steinlin, Bern

15.15-15.45

*Coffee break*

15.45-16.20

**Carotid endarterectomy, carotid stenting and medical treatment options in carotid occlusive disease**

K. Nedeltchev, Aarau

16.20-16.55

**Multidisciplinary management of arteriovenous malformations**

D. Bervini, Bern

16.55-17.25

**Clinical cases:  
multidisciplinary management cases with integrated discussion**

*\*All lectures will include a neuropsychiatric part if possible. In the 4 sessions with clinical cases at least 1 case will be a neuropsychiatric case.*