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The 8th Annual Update Symposium Series on

# Clinical Neurology & Neurophysiology 2012

David Intercontinental Hotel  
Tel Aviv, Israel  
February 22-23, 2012

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First Announcement  
and Call for Abstracts

This meeting has been reviewed  
and approved for CME by the  
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**Ilan Blatt**, MD

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**David Tanne**, MD

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## Auspices

**Israel Neurological Association**

Two day course provides an update of selected topics in neurology and clinical neurophysiology

This course is suitable for neurologists, neuroscientists, and general internists, gerontologists, psychiatrists and physiatrists, anesthesiologists and allied health professionals with a particular interest in patients with neurological disorders who wish to update their knowledge of the mechanisms and treatments of these disorders, and to improve their expertise in clinical neurophysiology as practiced in their private offices. A professional exhibition for the industry (pharmaceutical and imaging equipment) will take place adjacent to the conference halls.

## Among Invited Faculty (Partial list)

**Aharon Allen**, Rabin Medical Center

**Miri Ben Ami**, Aposense Ltd.

**Ilan Blatt**, Sheba Medical Center

**Natan M. Bornstein**, Tel Aviv Sourasky Medical Center

**Ruth Djaldetti**, Rabin Medical Center

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## Topics

- Neurologic infections of world wide importance
- Trypanosomiasis ("sleeping sickness")
- Lyme disease
- Herpes viruses etc.
- Molecular imaging: new frontiers
- Stroke & cerebrovascular disease
- Acute stroke therapy
- Endovascular treatment of acute stroke
- Stroke prevention and therapy
- Update on current clinical trials in stroke
- Autoimmune etiologies of epilepsy
- Progressive myoclonic epilepsies around the world
- Lessons learnt from AED pregnancy registries
- Status Epilepticus - new therapies
- Refractory Status Epilepticus in childhood
- Update on recent novel anti-epileptic drugs
- New stimulation methods in the treatment of epilepsy
- Unusual video-EEG case presentations
- Molecular imaging in the crossroads of neurology and nuclear medicine
- DATSCAN in the clinical work-up of the parkinsonian patient
- Imaging of apoptosis in cerebral stroke: experience with Annexin-V
- ML-10: the first PET probe for clinical molecular imaging of apoptosis: from bench to the clinical practice
- Clinical experience with ML-10, a small-molecule probe for apoptosis, for early detection of response of brain metastases to radiation therapy
- PIB: paving the road to amyloid imaging in Alzheimer's disease
- Florbetapir for molecular imaging of amyloid plaques in Alzheimer's disease
- "Hands-on" workshops

## General Information

**Venue:** David Intercontinental Hotel  
12 Kaufman St., Tel Aviv, Israel

**Date:** February 22-23, 2012

**Language:** The conference will be conducted in English.

**Registration Fee** of \$595 includes participation in all scientific sessions and workshops, syllabus, 2 lunches and coffee breaks. The fee is valid until December 11, 2011. After that the fee is \$695.

**Accompanying Persons:** Fee includes get together dinner, 1 conference lunch and Tour #4 to Tel Aviv and Jaffa. Does not include entry into scientific sessions. Fee: \$260

**Get Together Dinner and Night Tour (Optional):**  
Wednesday, February 22: \$140

**Hotel accommodations** include bed, full Israeli buffet breakfast and 15% service charge. Official check-in time for hotels is 14:00 and check-out is 10:30. Saturday check-in is approximately 19:30. All requests for accommodations must be prepaid.

	single room (1 person)	double room (2 people)
David Intercontinental	\$270	\$290
Dan Panorama*	\$220	\$240
Metropolitan Hotel**	\$135	\$150

\*Adjacent to conference venue  
\*\*3 star - 15 minute walk

**Cancellation Policy:** Registration cancellations received before January 15, 2012 are subject to a service charge and bank fee of \$80. No refunds will be made on cancellations received after January 15, 2012.

**Hotel cancellations** after January 15, 2012 may be charged one night's fee.

**Abstracts** of approximately 300 words on the course topics are invited and should be submitted in WORD format to the Secretariat before November 20, 2011 to: seminars@isas.co.il and by fax to +972-2-6520558. Abstract presenters will be notified of acceptance of their abstract by December 10, 2011.

**Exhibition:** A commercial exhibition will be held within the framework of the symposium. Exhibitors will be provided with an unprecedented opportunity to promote innovative products, pharmaceuticals, equipment and technologies to a discerning international professional audience. For further information contact the Secretariat at meetings@isas.co.il

**Letters of Invitation:** Upon request, the Secretariat will send a personal invitation to participate in the symposium. Such an invitation is only meant to help visitors raise travel funds or obtain a visa and is not a commitment to provide financial support.

**Climate:** The weather in February is cool with possible rain, temperatures ranging from 6-14° C / 45-60° F.

**Transportation from Airport:** Ben-Gurion International Airport is located 20 minutes from Tel Aviv. Taxi service and a modern airport train provide fast and economic transportation into Tel Aviv.

**Important Notes:** ISAS International Seminars, and their agents, shall not be responsible for and shall be exempt from all liability in respect of any loss, damage, injury, accident, delay or inconvenience to any person, or his/her luggage or any other property for any reason whatsoever, for any tourist services provided. Personal travel and health insurance is recommended.

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## Tours

Exclusively for conference participants and accompanying persons



### Tour #1: The North - Caesarea, Haifa & Acre Sunday, February 19

Depart Tel Aviv, Israel's first modern city built on sand dunes. Continue north via the coastal road to King Herod's ancient United Nations World Heritage Roman port city of Caesarea. Tour the ancient port, Hippodrome and Crusader buildings and experience the museum and film that take you back 2000 years. Pass Zichron Yaakov and hear about the vineyards and city that Baron Rothschild built nearly 100 years ago. Tour Haifa, pass the Carmel Mountains, Stella Maris and Bahai Gardens and exit Haifa north towards Acre. Break for lunch. Visit Crusader sites and UNESCO World Heritage site of the underground city. Tour ancient port city, the marketplace. Return to Tel Aviv.  
Price \$135



### Tour #2: Masada, Qumran, Dead Sea Monday, February 20

Depart Tel Aviv and descend through the beautiful scenery of the Judean Desert to the lowest point on Earth - the Dead Sea. Drive along the sea, pass by Qumran where the Dead Sea Scrolls were found and continue to Masada - the ancient fortress built by Herod the Great in the 1st Century B.C.E. - which was the last Jewish stronghold during the revolt against the Romans. Ascend Masada by cable car, take in the magnificent views in all directions and tour the fascinating excavations. Bring water, hat, walking shoes, bathing suit & towel (there may be time for a dip in the Dead Sea). Return to Tel Aviv.  
Price \$170



### Tour #3: Nazareth, Tiberias & Capernaum Tuesday, February 21

Depart Tel Aviv. Highlights: Nazareth (Church of the Annunciation and the Church of Saint Joseph), the ruins at Capernaum, Tabgha and the Church of the Multiplication of the Loaves and the Fishes, Tiberias and the Sea of Galilee. Return to Tel Aviv.  
Price \$160



### Tour #4: Tel Aviv - Jaffa Thursday, February 23

Tour Jaffa, the ancient port city and the shuk (marketplace), Mosque Hasan Bek, and experience ancient history from biblical Joshua, Romans, Greek, Macabbeans & Napoleon. Visit the Etzel Museum describing Israel's modern history until the 1948 War of Independence. Afterwards tour the first homes of Tel Aviv in the Suzanne Dalal Center. Witness the rejuvenation project of this almost 100 year old section of Tel Aviv.  
Price \$89

### Tour #5: Jerusalem Friday, February 24

Depart Tel Aviv to the Old City of Jerusalem and tour by foot Mt. Zion, King David's Tomb, the Room of the Last-Supper, Dormition Church, Zion Gate, and three Old City Quarters - Armenian, Jewish and Christian. Visit the Cardo - the reconstructed main street of Byzantine Jerusalem from the 6th century - the Western Wall, Via Dolorosa, Church of the Tomb, and exit the Old City via Jaffa Gate. Return to Tel Aviv via Jerusalem.  
Price \$120  
Optional overnight in Jerusalem hotel \$160/180



#### Note:

- All tours depart conference venue hotel at 08:00.
- All itineraries are subject to change and require a minimum of 15 participants per tour.
- Lunch and entrance fees not included.
- For additional tours and extensions, please contact the Secretariat.

## Registration Form Neurophysiology 2012

To register on line: [www.neurophysiology-symposium.com](http://www.neurophysiology-symposium.com)

Please type or print in block letters and return to:

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City: ..... Country: .....

Postal Code: ..... Tel: .....

Please reserve accommodation at the ..... Hotel

single room  double room\*

check in date ..... check out date ..... # of nights .....

I will share my room with \* .....

\* It is the sole responsibility of the participants to find a roommate. In the absence of a roommate, single occupancy price will be charged.

Conference Registration ..... \$ .....

Accompanying person (Name ..... ) \$ .....

Hotel Accommodations ..... \$ .....

Get Together Dinner and Tour ..... seat(s) \$ .....

Tour1: The North-Caesarea, Haifa, Acre ..... seat(s) \$ .....

Tour2: Masada, Qumran, Dead Sea ..... seat(s) \$ .....

Tour3: Nazareth, Tiberias, Capernaum ..... seat(s) \$ .....

Tour4: Tel Aviv, Jaffa ..... seat(s) \$ .....

Tour5: Jerusalem ..... seat(s) \$ .....

Overnight Jerusalem ..... \$ .....

Total ..... \$ .....

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