



International League against Epilepsy
Commission on European Affairs/ European Advisory Council
Lega Italiana Contro l'Epilessia

5th Migrating Course on Epilepsy
May 29th – June 4th, 2011
Roma, Italy

ILAE - CEA



Dear Colleagues,

The Commission on European Affairs (CEA) is presenting the educational initiative – “Migrating Course on Epilepsy” that will take place once a year in different European Countries. It is given in English.

The first Migrating Course has taken place on 2007, in Serbia. The 2nd Course was organized in Lithuania on 2008, the 3rd in the Czech Republic on 2009 and the 4th in Poland, on 2010.

The Fifth Course is planned in Roma, Italy, from May 29 to June 4, 2011.

This course is clinically - oriented, targeted to specialists at the second and third level of epilepsy care and focused on comprehensive aspects of diagnosis and treatment of children and adults with epilepsy. It also includes the basic sciences in clinical epileptology issues and comprehensive care and rehabilitation of patients with epilepsy.

The faculty consists of leading European epileptologists. The faculty members give lectures on the clinically relevant aspects on epileptology and conduct interactive case discussions and/or tutorials on different topics. The video-EEG sessions are supposed to be an integral part of the course. Didactic cases provided by tutors and case reports prepared by participants are planned to be discussed in small group of participants. Teaching methodology has been elaborated in cooperation with EUREPA and is based on interactive education.

Specialists in neurology, psychiatry, neuropsychiatry, paediatric neurology, paediatrics, clinical neurophysiology and psychology are welcome to apply.

The course is limited to a maximum of **36 applicants** to allow an optimal level of interaction with the faculty members. Applicants should submit together with the application form, an updated CV and a recommendation letter signed by his-her head of department or head of research lab.

**A limited number of bursaries has been approved.
Successful applicants, with priority for age up to 45 years, will be duly advised.**

Registration fee: 1000 Euro. It includes accommodation (sharing twin room), full board and access to all the educational activities (lectures, tutorials, case discussions, video-sessions). Fee does not include any travel expense and/or local transfers to reach the course venue.

The payment of the registration fee will be required at a later stage to all admitted participants.

For further information and updates, please visit the ILAE web site (section: "Upcoming congresses and meetings") :

www.ilae-epilepsy.org;

Please send application form, attachments and case reports by April 01, 2011, to

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The Organizing Committee:

Peter Wolf, Alla Guekht, Milda Endziniene, Nebojsa Jovic, Joanna Jedrzejczak, Federico Vigevano, Jana Zarubova.

This faculty is tentative for the 5th MCE in Italy:

Meir Bialer (Israel)
Ettore Beghi (Italy)
Walter van Emde Boas (The Netherlands)
Bruno Bernardi (Italy)
Giuseppe Capovilla (Italy)
Raffella Cusmai (Italy)
Olivier Delalande (France-Italy)
Olivier Dulac (France)
Milda Endziniene (Lithuania)
Lucia Fusco (Italy)
Anna Teresa Giallonardo (Italy)
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Alla Guekht (Russia)
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Oriano Mecarelli (Italy)
Roberto Michelucci (Italy)
Marco Mula (Italy)
Nicola Specchio (Italy)
Joanna Jedrzejczak (Poland)
Paolo Tinuper (Italy)
Federico Vigevano (Italy)
Peter Wolf (Denmark)
Federico Zara (Italy)
Jana Zarubova (Czech Republic)

Topics of tutorials: Differential diagnosis of epilepsy, Cognition and epilepsy, EEG, Genetics, Neuroimaging, Pharmacology of AEDs, Social aspects and rehabilitation, Status epilepticus.

You are kindly requested to forward this information to the members of your ILAE chapter, colleagues and other possibly interested persons.

Thank you for kind cooperation. On behalf of the Organizing Committee of MCE5,

Alla Guekht – Federico Vigevano – Peter Wolf
(Course Co-director)