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Dear Friends,

on behalf of the **NEURONUS Students' Society** (Institute of Zoology) and the **Department of Psychophysiology** (Institute of Psychology) from the Jagiellonian University we have a great pleasure to invite you to participate in a special event – **NEURONUS 2012 IBRO & IRUN Neuroscience Forum**. The conference is going to take place at the **Auditorium Maximum of the Jagiellonian University** (Krakow) on **April 20-22, 2012**.

NEURONUS 2012, organized under the patronage of the **International Brain Research Organization (IBRO)** and the **International Research Universities Network (IRUN)**, is the fifth edition of two events which have, so far, been organized separately – **NEURONUS Students' Neuroconference** and **Krakow Workshop on Psychophysiology**. This year we have joined our forces to create an international and multidisciplinary event covering the most researched aspects of brain studies nowadays: neurobiology and cognitive neuroscience. To achieve this, we are cooperating with the **Neurocognitive Section of the Psychology Students' Society**, the **Neurologists' Student Society** and the **Adults' Psychiatry Society**.



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So far, the NEURONUS conferences have always been purely students' initiatives with a large audience of neurobiology and psychology adepts, and the Krakow Workshop on Psychophysiology has been a well-recognized initiative functioning as a part of the IRUN activities. The aim of the NEURONUS 2012, IBRO&IRUN Neuroscience Forum is to create a unique opportunity to share experiences and research results, and to establish valuable contacts with people working in the same field, who are scattered across the Europe. A high scientific level of our Forum is guaranteed by the requirement of presentations of only original research data.

Parallel oral presentation sessions and two poster sessions are planned for that resourceful weekend. They will be accompanied by a discussion panel focused on career paths for young scientists and a case study poster session for medics. The highlights are, however, keynote lectures delivered by the acknowledged scientists from renowned institutions. Among others, we will have a great opportunity to listen to the following researchers:

- **Tibor Harkany**, University of Aberdeen, UK,
- **Kenneth Hugdahl**, University of Bergen, Norway,
- **Sergey Kasparov**, University of Bristol, UK,
- **Margaret Niznikiewicz**, Harvard Medical School, USA.

General topics for the oral presentations are: **Neurophysiology, Neurogenetics, Neuroplasticity, Neuropsychiatry, Neurodegeneration and Stem cells**, together with **Neuropsychology, Hemispheric Asymmetry, Emotion Processing, Psycholinguistics**, and **Visual Cognition**.

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In order to register (with either passive or active participation), please submit the registration form via our website:

<http://www.neuronus2012.pl/registration/>

The fee of 100 PLN (25 €) covers the following costs: all conference materials, two lunches, coffee breaks, welcome reception and a get-together party. The fee does not include accommodation, however, we can provide you with useful information about hotels or hostels in Krakow (use the 'Contact us' section of our website).

Participants who wish to give a presentation and/or take part in the poster session should submit an abstract upon registration. The abstract should contain a short theoretical introduction, outline of the methodology, obtained results and conclusions. Accepted abstracts will be published as a booklet distributed with conference materials, as well as on the conference website.

We strongly encourage you to join this unique initiative and hope to see you in pleasant spring scenery of Krakow!

We would be very grateful if you could forward this invitation to potentially interested peers.

Thank you!

Kind regards,

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NEURONUS 2012, IBRO&IRUN Neuroscience Forum Organizers

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