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Dear Colleagues,

It is our pleasure to announce the 11th AMN Annual Conference, to be held in Istanbul, 14-16 November 2013, Crowne Plaza Harbiye.

After the successful meeting in Taipei last year, the AMN conference in Istanbul will highlight again a platform for exchange of newer scientific information related to traumatic brain injury (TBI) and spinal cord injury (SCI). Basic and clinical researchers and practitioners from allied specialties, will join their efforts in what promises to be an outstanding forum of discussions about creating, testing and using methods which patients can get benefits from. A major topic will be to come to a resume where brain and spinal cord protection and recovery stands today.

This event will be organized with the support of the Society for the Study of Neuroprotection and Neuroplasticity.

We sincerely invite you to participate in this soulful interdisciplinary meeting!

Looking forward to welcoming you all in Istanbul,

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NOVEMBER 14TH, 2013

18:30 – 19:30  AMN Presidium Meeting | Konak Meeting Room

NOVEMBER 15TH, 2013

09:50 – 10:00  WELCOME ADDRESS | Hatay Conference Room
Dașin Mureșanu (Romania), Klaus von Wild (Germany)

SESSION 1
Chairperson:  
Klaus von Wild (Germany), Volker Hömberg (Germany)

10:00 – 10:20  Dașin Mureșanu (Romania)
Towards a Mechanism Based Treatment in Traumatic Brain Injury

10:20 – 10:40  Ignacio Previgliano (Argentina)
The Effect of Neurotrophic Factors in Traumatic Brain Injury

10:40 – 11:00  Anton Alvarez (Spain)
Peptidergic Mechanisms in Traumatic Brain Injury Pathology and Treatment

11:00 – 11:10  Discussions

11:10 – 11:30  Coffee Break
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