



THE EUROPEAN ASSOCIATION  
OF NEUROSURGICAL SOCIETIES

# **12th ANNUAL EANS YOUNG NEUROSURGEONS' MEETING**

**Programme**

**8 - 10 June 2023**

**YOUNG NEUROSURGEONS COMMITTEE CHAIR: Marisa GANDÍA (Spain)**

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## SPEAKERS

**Cristina ALDEA** (Romania)

**Matias BALDOCINI** (Argentina)

**Cedric BARREY** (France)

**Jiri BARTEK** (Sweden)

**Marlies BAUER** (Austria)

**Tony BELLI** (UK)

**Diogo BELLO** (Portugal)

**Andras BUKI** (Sweden)

**Sachin CHEMATE** (Japan)

**Andreas DEMETRIADES** (UK)

**Bart DEPRETIERE** (Belgium)

**Evangelos DROSOS** (Greece)

**Raul ECHEVERRI** (Colombia)

**Ignatius ESENE** (Cameroon)

**Claudia FARIA** (Portugal)

**Stefan FLORIAN** (Romania)

**Christian FREYSCHLAG** (Austria)

**Nikolay GABROVSKY** (Bulgaria)

**Marisa GANDÍA** (Spain)

**Marialaura GIAMUNDO** (Italy)

**Corrado IACCARINO** (Italy)

**Alberto ISLA** (Spain)

**Stanislav KAPROVOY** (Russia)

**Jesus LAFUENTE** (Spain)

**Aki LAAKSO** (Finland)

**Martin LEHECKA** (Finland)

**Milan LEPIC** (Serbia)

**Henry-Arthur LEROY** (France)

**Evangelia LIOUTA** (Greece)

**Laura LIPPA** (Italy)

**Niklas MARKLUND** (Sweden)

**Torstein MELING** (Denmark)

**Bernard MEYER** (Germany)

**Vakis PAPANASTASSIOU** (Cyprus)

**Giovanni RAFFA** (Italy)

**Lukas RASULIC** (Serbia)

**Florian RINGEL** (Germany)

**Elham ROSTAMI** (Sweden)

**Dominique ROTHENFLUH** (Switzerland)

**Nicolás SAMPRÓN** (Spain)

**Andrija SAVIC** (Serbia)

**Michael SCHWAKE** (Germany)

**Toma SPIRIEV** (Bulgary)

**Felix STENGEL** (Switzerland)

**Martin STIENEN** (Switzerland)

**Kaima SUZUKI** (Japan)

**Nqobile TANGO** (Africa)

**Enrico TESSITORE** (Switzerland)

**Claudius THOMÉ** (Austria)

**Fabio TORREGROSSA** (Italy)

**Peter VAJKOCZY** (Germany)

**Nikolay VELINOV** (Bulgaria)

**José VIÑUELA** (Spain)

**Cesare ZOIA** (Italy)

## PRELIMINARY PROGRAMME

### THURSDAY 8th JUNE

- 18:00 - 19:00 | Joint ACNS, CAANS, FLANC and EANSYN Committees Assembly  
 19:00 | ACNS, CAANS, FLANC and EANS Young Neurosurgeons Chairs welcome to their networks  
 Welcome & Drinks

### FRIDAY 9th JUNE

- 08:00 - 12:00 | Skills and training courses: from Basics to Masters  
 12:30 | Registration  
 12:45 | Welcome and presentation of the programme  
 Marisa Gandía (Spain), Alberto Isla (Spain)

### TBI: UP TO DATE AND CONTROVERSIES

- 12:55 - 14:15 | **Session 1: Up-to-date key messages in diagnosis and treatment**  
 Chairs: Stanislav Kaprovoy, Laura Lippa  
 12:55 - 13:10 | Multimodal monitoring in TBI - roadside to bedside  
 Laura Lippa (Italy)  
 13:10 - 13:25 | Prediction models: from biomarkers, radiological and clinical scores to AI?  
 Andras Buki (Sweden)  
 13:25 - 13:40 | Close the box - all the "W"s of cranioplasty  
 Corrado Iaccarino (Italy)  
 13:40 - 13:55 | TBI translational research  
 Elham Rostami (Sweden)  
 13:55 - 14:15 | **Abstracts by trainees (2 cases or serie of cases)**  
 14:15 - 15:15 | **Session 2: Controversies in TBI. Perspectives from continent to continent**  
 Chairs: Christian Freyschlag, Giovanni Raffa

#### Faculties-Round table

Matias Baldocini, Argentina (South America)  
 Kaima Suzuki, Japan (Asia)  
 Andreas Demetriades (EANS President)  
 Ignatius Esene, Cameroon (Africa)  
 Lukas Rasulic (EANS Global & Humanitarian Section Chair)

- 14:15 - 14:35 | **Conservative management of traumatic intracranial bleeding**  
 Case presenter (4min) - Sachin Chemate  
 Discussion of treatment (12min) - all faculties  
 Case solution (4min) - Sachin Chemate  
 14:35 - 14:55 | **TBI in elderly. When not to operate?**  
 Case presenter (4min) - Milan Lepic  
 Discussion of treatment (12min) - all faculties  
 Case solution (4min) - Milan Lepic

14:55 - 15:15 **Cost-effective resources and choices** Case  
presenter (4min) - Nqobile Tango  
Discussion of treatment (12min) - all faculties  
Case solution (4min) - Nqobile Tango

15:15 - 15:35 **CRYSTAL BALL**  
Andras Buki

15:35 - 16:00 *Coffee break*

## Hot Topic – SPORTS & NEUROSURGERY: TBI

16:00 - 17:50 **Sports & Head Injuries**  
Chairs: Jiri Bartek, Niklas Marklund

16.00 - 16.15 On-field and ringside management  
Tony Belli (UK)

16.15 - 16:30 Second-impact and punch-drunk syndromes  
Niklas Marklund (Sweden)

16.30 - 16.45 Pediatric sports TBI  
Claudia Faria (Portugal)

16:45 - 17:00 Neuropsychological effects after TBI  
Evangelia Liouta (Greece)

17:00 - 17:15 Go back to athletics after TBI  
Nico Samprón (Spain)

17:15 - 17:35 **Abstracts by trainees (2 cases or serie of cases)**

17.35 - 17:50 **CRYSTAL BALL**  
Niklas Marklund

17:50 - 18:20 **YNN PROJECT PROPOSALS**

20:30 *Gala dinner with special invitees*

## SATURDAY 10th JUNE

### Hot Topic – SPORTS & NEUROSURGERY:SPINE

- 08.30 - 10:35 | **Sports & Spine & Peripheral Nerve Injuries**  
Chairs: Alberto Isla, Martin Stienen
- 08.30 - 08.45 | Sports-related spine injuries: types and mechanisms. Red flags to remove an athlete from competition Enrico Tessitore (Switzerland)
- 08.45 - 09.00 | Football and cycling spinal specific injuries  
Marialaura Giamundo (Italy)
- 09.00 - 09.15 | Alpine winter sports spinal injuries: skiing and snowboarding  
Felix Stengel (Switzerland)
- 09.15 - 09.30 | Overuse injuries secondary to repetitive trauma: spondylolisthesis and more  
Nikolay Gabrovsky (Bulgary)
- 09.30 - 09.45 | Spinal cord injury management: How important is an early intervention for SCI?  
Claudius Thomé (Austria)
- 09.45 - 10.00 | Management of peripheral nerve injuries after motorsport  
Andrija Savic (Serbia)
- 10.00 - 10.15 | Back in the field again following surgical treatment of peripheral nerve injuries in athletes: myths or reality?  
Lukas Rasulic (Serbia)
- 10.15 - 10.35 | **Cases by trainees (2 cases)**
- 10.35 - 11.00 | *Coffee break*

### SPINE: NEW CONCEPTS IN SPINAL TRAUMATIC DIAGNOSIS AND TREATMENT

- 11.00 - 11:35 | **Session 1: Pediatric spinal fractures diagnosis and management**  
Chairs: Goktug Akyoldas, Milan Lepic
- 11.00 - 11:15 | Pediatric spine injuries - rare but challenging injuries  
Bart Depretiere (Belgium)
- 11:15 - 11:30 | Pediatric Deformities from EOS (Early Onset Scoliosis) to AIS (Adolescent Idiopathic Scoliosis) - how should we classify?  
Dominique Rothenfluh (Switzerland)
- 11:30 - 11:45 | Growth Modulation of the spine - Indications and Outcome of Vertebral Body Tethering (VBT)  
Jesús Lafuente (Spain)
- 11:45 - 12:05 | **Cases by trainees (2 cases)**
- 12:05 - 13:00 | *Lunch*
- 13:00 - 13:20 | **Controversies in spinal fractures management**  
Chairs: Henri-Arthur Leroy, Evangelos Drosos

#### Faculties

Cedric Barrey  
Diogo Belo  
Andreas Demetriades  
Raul Echeverri  
Toma Spiriev  
Nikolay Velinov

13:00 - 13:30	C1-C2 subluxation in professional athlete children Case presenter (4 min) - <b>Toma Spiriev</b> Discussion of treatment (12 min)- <b>all faculties</b> Expert opinion(10 min) - <b>Cedric Barrey</b> Case solution(4 min) - <b>Toma Spiriev</b>
13:30 - 14:00	Odontoid fractures in elderly patients. When not to operate? Case presenter(4 min) - <b>Diogo Belo</b> Discussion of treatment (12 min) - <b>all faculties</b> Expert opinion (10 min) - <b>Nikolay Velinov</b> Case solution (4 min) - <b>Diogo Belo</b>
14:00 - 14:30	Thoracolumbar A3-A4 burst fracture Case presenter(4 min) - <b>Raul Echeverri</b> Discussion of treatment (12 min) - <b>all faculties</b> Expert opinion (10 min) - <b>Andreas Demetriades</b> Case solution (4 min) - <b>Raul Echeverri</b>
14:30-14:45	<b>CRYSTAL BALL</b> <b>Marisa Gandia</b>
14:45-15:05	<b>Cases by trainees (2 cases)</b>
15:15	<b>YNN assembly</b> <b>YNN project winner</b>
16:00	<b>Farewell and End of the meeting</b>

