# XVII Neurosonology Research Group of the World Federation of Neurology General Assembly

October 28-30, 2015 Santiago, Chile



# **WELCOME LETTER**

### Dear Colleagues and Friends!

It is our pleasure to welcome you for the XVII Neurosonology Research Group of the World Federation of Neurology (NSRG WFN) General Assembly. On behalf the Organizing Committee, we extend a very hospitable invitation to all of you interested in Neurosonology and its clinical and experimental applications.

The meeting will take full advantage of its location in Santiago. Founded in 1541, Santiago, Chile's capital, sits in a valley surrounded by the snow-capped Andes and the Chilean Coastal Range. Plaza de Armas, the grand heart of the city's old colonial core, is home to 2 neoclassical landmarks: the early-19th-century Royal Court Palace, which houses the National History Museum, and the 18th-century Metropolitan Cathedral. Barrio Brazil and bohemian Barrio Bellavista offer lively nightlife. Today, it is one of the most modern cities on the continent, home to nearly 5 million inhabitants-over a third of all Chileans. We hope that you'll be able to find some time and discover this charming city.

And at last... Chilean wines! When it comes to winemaking, Chile may seem like a

newcomer to the world of wine, but its viticultural roots reach as far back in time as the arrival of the first Spanish conquerors to this grape-growing paradise. In Chile, Spaniards found the ideal place to plant vines, since the climate allowed a perfect growing season and ripening of the fruit. What's the best Chilean wine? Well, as you know wine tasting is a very subjective thing, and there are way too many wines that can fit the criteria depending on who you ask but we hope that you'll try to do it.

The members of faculty of these meetings consisted of foremost experts in the field of Neurosonology. This NSRG WFN General Assembly would be impossible to organize without active support and participation of Chilean neurologists and we would like to extend our gratitude to all who help us to organize this meeting.

We look forward to welcoming you in Santiago at a very promising NSRG WFN meeting dedicated to almost all aspects of Neurosonology.

Sincerely yours,

Pablo Lavados, MD, PhD Chairman Local Organizing Committee

Massimo Del Sette, MD, PhD Chairman, NSRG WFN

# **Meeting Venue**

Hotel Kennedy

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Other close hotels: Novatel Santiago Vitacura Hotel Boutique Bidasoa Renaissance Santiago Hotel Vespucci Suites Hyatt Place, Santiago Vitacura

**Grand Hyatt** 

## **Local Organizing Committee**

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### Fee

\$200.00 USD for 2 days. Please send fees by bank transfer:

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Additional details can be found at: <a href="http://www.nsrg.net/newsevents/news.html">http://www.nsrg.net/newsevents/news.html</a> click and download instructions for: "Payment Chile 2015 Form"

The registration fees for pre-registered participants must be received by the Oct. 20, 2015. Payments received after that date, including on-site registration will be assessed a \$25.00 USD surcharge

- 10 CME hours are approved and will be provided by CONACEM (Chilean National Corporation of Medical Specialty Certification)
- The official language of the meeting is English. Neurosonology workshop will be conducted with assistance of Spanish speaking instructors
- In October an average day temperature is 23°C, night 7°C.