



12<sup>th</sup> SNSS Annual Meeting with International Participation:

September 10-13, 2026, Niš, Serbia

# Neurooncology 2026

## Think Global, Act Local

### Challenges and Solutions

Save the Date:   
September 10-13, 2026  
Niš, Serbia

Joint venture with the:

- Sociedad Española de Neurocirugía - SENEC
- International Academy of Neurosurgical Anatomy - IANA
- EANS Young Neurosurgeons' Committee
- Southeast Europe Neurosurgical Society - SeENS



  
Venues:  
Radisson Hotel Park Niš  
Science Technology Park Niš  
Niš, Serbia

1<sup>st</sup> Announcement



## Welcome address

Dear Colleagues and friends,

It is with great enthusiasm that we invite you to the 12th SNSS Annual Meeting with International Participation: Neurooncology 2026 – Think Global, Act Local: Challenges and Solutions, taking place from September 10–13, 2026, at the Radisson Hotel Park in the historic city of Niš, Serbia. Save the date!

As we prepare for this exciting event, we reflect on the significance of our theme Neurooncology 2026 – Think Global, Act Local: Challenges and Solutions. In an increasingly complex world, it is crucial for us to unite our global expertise while addressing the unique challenges faced in our local contexts. Our meeting aims to provide a platform for lively discussions and collaborative exploration of innovative solutions that can positively impact patient outcomes both locally and internationally.

The scientific program will engage and inspire participants, featuring a mix of expert-led presentations, thought-provoking panel discussions, and hands-on workshops. Each session will present the latest research, technologies, and clinical practices, fostering an environment of shared learning and discovery.

Beyond the academic offerings, we encourage you to take advantage of the opportunity to network with peers, build new collaborations, and reconnect with colleagues. We are building a supportive community dedicated to advancing neuro-oncology and improving patient care.

Join us as we embark on this journey of knowledge and camaraderie. We are eager to share this extraordinary experience with you and believe that your contributions will significantly enrich our discussions.

We look forward to welcoming you in September 2026!

Cordially,

Lukas Rasulic  
SNSS President

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Lukas Rasulic".

Honorary President of the Meeting





## Welcome address

Dear Colleagues, Distinguished Guests, and Friends,

It is my distinct honor, as President of the SeENS to welcome you to the beautiful city of Nis for the 12th SNSS Annual Meeting.

This year, our congress focuses on a field of relentless innovation and profound importance: Neuro-oncology. We have gathered to dissect the latest breakthroughs in brain and spine tumor surgery, from advanced molecular classifications and awake mapping techniques to the integration of robotics and adjuvant therapies. Our shared goal is to translate these discussions into superior outcomes for our patients throughout South Eastern Europe.

I extend my deepest gratitude to our hosts, the Serbian Neurosurgical Society of Serbia, under the leadership of Prof. Lukas Rasulic for their exceptional efforts in organizing this event. They have chosen a magnificent setting in Nis, a city steeped in history, known as the birthplace of Constantine the Great—a fitting symbol of vision and transformation for a meeting focused on the future of our specialty

This meeting is a powerful testament to the collaborative spirit that defines our region.

To all participants, I encourage you to engage fully in the exchanges ahead. Let us learn from one another, challenge our perspectives, and strengthen the professional bonds that make our community so strong.

Let's make the CSF (Collaboration, Science and Friendship) flow!

Welcome to an inspiring and productive meeting.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Ioan Stefan Florian'.

Prof. Ioan Stefan Florian, MD, PhD

SeENS President, Honorary President of the Meeting





## Welcome address

Dear Colleagues and Friends,

This year, we have the extraordinary honor of hosting the 12th Annual Meeting of the SNSS with international participation. Unfortunately, patients with oncological conditions are increasingly prevalent in both surgical and conservative treatments. This issue is global in nature, so the theme of our meeting will be: Neurooncology 2026 – Think Global, Act Local: Challenges and Solutions.

This theme will allow us to present our opinions, exchange experiences with one another, and draw meaningful conclusions together after engaging discussions, which we will later put into practice.

The sessions will provide an excellent opportunity to learn about new technologies and treatment options for oncology patients. It promises to be a challenging yet enriching experience for both seasoned professionals and newcomers in this relentless battle against a devastating disease.

In addition to the professional aspects, it is important to create connections with colleagues from various parts of the world, forge mutual friendships, and share enjoyable experiences—both in our professional endeavors and in building social connections.

The meeting will take place in the beautiful historical city of Niš, at the Radisson Hotel, located right on the shore of the Nišava River, opposite the ancient Fortress, which is a hallmark of our city. This setting will allow participants not only to gain professional insights but also to immerse themselves in the rich history of Niš, a city that has been destroyed and rebuilt several times over the centuries.

We warmly invite all interested parties to join us in Niš, from September 10 to 13, 2026.

Respectfully,

Prof. Dr. Vesna Nikolov

President of the Meeting





## Honorary Presidents of the Meeting



*Lukas Rasulić*



*Ioan Stefan Florian*

## President of the Meeting



*Vesna Nikolov*

## Organizing Committee



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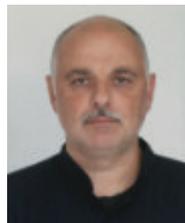
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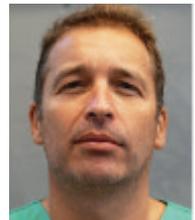
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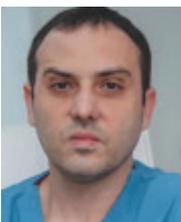
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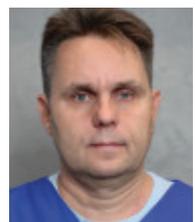
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## Local Organizing Committee



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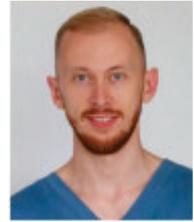
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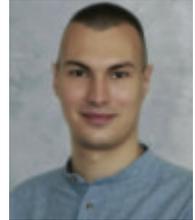
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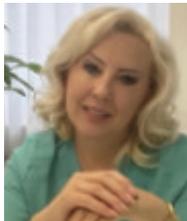
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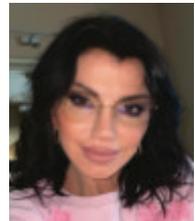
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## Scientific Committee



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Scientific Committee



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Co-Chairman of the  
Scientific Committee



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Jesus Lafuente



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## Faculty confirmed so far...

- | Ayala-Arcipreste Arturo, Mexico
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- | Balak Naci, Turkey
- | Beck Jürgen, Germany
- | Benes Vladimir, Czech Republic
- | Biceroglu Huseyin, Turkey
- | Brzanov Nikola, North Macedonia
- | Charbel Fady, USA
- | Ciurea Alexandru Vlad, Romania
- | Conic Irena, Serbia
- | Cvetanovic Ana, Serbia
- | Darkwah Oppong Marvin, Germany
- | Demetriades Andreas, UK
- | Duffau Hugues, France
- | Djilvesi Djula, Serbia
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- | Emmez Hakan, Turkey
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- | Golubovic Jagos, Serbia
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- | Jelaca Bojan, Serbia
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- | Khan Tariq, Pakistan
- | Kovacevic Vojin, Serbia
- | Kucukyuruk Baris, Turkey
- | Lafuente Jesus, Spain
- | Lepic Milan, Serbia
- | Le Rhun Emilie, Switzerland
- | Luzzi Sabino, Italy
- | Marasanov Sergej, Croatia
- | Misra Basant, India
- | Nastasovic Tijana, Serbia
- | Netuka David, Czech Republic
- | Nicolosi Federico, Italy
- | Nikolic Igor, Serbia
- | Nikolov Vesna, Serbia
- | Pérez-Alfayate Rebeca, Spain
- | Petrescu George, Romania
- | Rabiei Katrin, Sweden
- | Rasulic Lukas, Serbia
- | Rodriguez Aceves Carlos, Mexico
- | Rzaev Jamil, Russian Federation
- | Sala Francesco, Italy
- | Schaller Karl, Switzerland
- | Signorelli Francesco, Italy
- | Simon Matthias, Germany
- | Solaroglu Ihsan, Turkey
- | Soleman Jehuda, Switzerland
- | Splavski Bruno, Croatia
- | Stojanovic Nebojsa, Serbia
- | Seha Biljana, Serbia
- | Tasiou Anastasia, Greece
- | Tisell Magnus, Sweden
- | Usachev Dmitry, Russian Federation
- | Velinov Nikolay, Bulgaria
- | Vukasinovic Ivan, Serbia
- | Vulekovic Petar, Serbia
- | Weller Michael, Switzerland



## Registration Fees

Category	Early Until July 15, 2026	Standard July 16–August 31, 2026	Late September 1 - On-site
FACULTY	€0,00	€0,00	€0,00
SPECIALISTS	€180,00	€300,00	€400,00
RESIDENTS	€90,00	€150,00	€200,00
MEDICAL STUDENTS	€0,00	€0,00	€0,00
RETIRED	€0,00	€0,00	€0,00
ONE DAY – SPECIALIST	€120,00	€120,00	€240,00
ONE DAY – RESIDENTS	€100,00	€100,00	€120,00
NURSES	€40,00	€60,00	€80,00

\* VAT (20%) included in the prices above.

\*\* Discount of 10% for the EANS Individual Members.

## Registration Fees

### For Participants from Low&Lower-Middle-Income Countries

Category	Early Until July 15, 2026	Standard July 16–August 31, 2026	Late September 1- On-site
SPECIALISTS	€180,00	€180,00	€180,00
RESIDENTS	€90,00	€90,00	€90,00
ONE DAY – SPECIALIST	€90,00	€90,00	€90,00
ONE DAY – RESIDENT	€45,00	€45,00	€45,00

\* VAT (20%) included in the prices above.

\*\* Countries defined by the World Bank

REGISTRATION FEES INCLUDE:

Full access to the MAIN SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM of the Meeting and Meeting materials.



## Terms and conditions

### Registration

Registration will be open soon!

Registration will be confirmed after receiving full payment. Those who do not receive a confirmation notice before the Meeting, are requested to contact the Meeting Secretariat at [office@snss.org.rs](mailto:office@snss.org.rs).

Only participants who complete their registration will be able to participate in the scientific and/or social program (separate registration).

All registered Meeting attendees will be emailed confirmations. Print your confirmation letter and bring it with you on the day of the conference for a smooth registration process.

### Certificate of Attendance

A certificate of attendance will be issued to delegates. An application will be made to the UEMS EACCME® for CME accreditation of this event and to the Health Council of the Republic of Serbia.

### Registration Cancellation Terms

Requests for registration cancellation must be submitted in writing to the Secretariat [office@snss.org.rs](mailto:office@snss.org.rs).

For cancellations received more than 121 days before event, we charge a cancellation fee of 0.00% of the reservation value.

For cancellations received 120–46 days before event, we charge a cancellation fee of 50.00% of the reservation value.

For cancellations received 45–1 days before event, we charge a cancellation fee of 100.00% of the reservation value.

Please note that registration refunds will be processed within 30 days after the end of Congress, bank charges and operational costs of EUR 25 will be deducted from the refund.

If you are able to find a replacement, we are happy to welcome her/him and to review your invoice retaining operational costs of EUR 25 and any bank transfer costs, then the Secretariat must be informed in writing via email to [office@snss.org.rs](mailto:office@snss.org.rs).



## General Terms of Payment

Only participants who complete their registration will be able to participate in the program.

The date of payment is decisive for the registration fee. Even if the registration form is received before the early bird or regular deadline, it will not be considered as early or regular registration if the payment has not been received before the deadlines.

Registration will only be valid upon receipt of the full payment by the registration department according to the deadline indicated. An email confirming registration will only be sent after receipt of the required fees.

## TRAVEL TO SERBIA – Useful information

[General requirements](#)

[Visa requirements](#)

[Visa regime](#)



## TOPICS

- | Primary Brain Tumors: Modern Surgical Management
- | Molecular, Radiosurgical and Systemic Neuro-Oncology
- | High-Grade Gliomas: Multimodal Treatment Strategies
- | Brain Metastasis: innovations, Surgical Indications and Techniques
- | Skull Base and Complex Neuro-Oncologic Surgery
- | Advanced Imaging, Navigation, and Functional Mapping
- | Pediatric Neuro-Oncology
- | Low-Grade Gliomas: Current Concepts and New Perspectives
- | Spinal Oncology and Metastatic Spine Disease
- | Peripheral Nerve Tumors and Brachial Plexus Oncology
- | General Neurosurgery
- | Neurosurgical Education, Residency, and Gender Equality
- | Global Neurosurgery
- | Quality Improvement



## CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

The deadline for abstract submission is June 15, 2026.

Please read the guidelines and instructions carefully before submitting your abstract.

All abstracts will be reviewed. Accepted abstracts will be published in the Abstract Book. According to the decision of the Scientific Committee, **10 best abstracts** will be awarded with free registration and accommodation. **The awardees will be announced on August 15th, 2026.**

### Submission Guidelines

- | Abstracts must be submitted in English.
- | Titles should contain no more than 200 characters.
- | Abstract text should contain no more than 500 words.
- | Use standard abbreviations. Place a special or unusual abbreviation in parenthesis after the full word when it appears for the first time.
- | Abstracts must be written in comprehensible English and must conform to the guidelines or they will not be accepted. It is the author's responsibility to submit a correct abstract.
- | Any tables, graphs or diagrams should be upload together with the abstract.
- | The organizers of this event take no responsibility for any published abstracts submitted. Any issues or errors arising from the abstracts are solely the responsibility of the authors.
- | Changes to abstract can only be accepted until the deadline
- | By submitting his / her / their work, the Author(s) consent to the publication of the abstract and transfer and assign to the Congress organizers the rights to edit, publish, reproduce, distribute copies and to prepare derivative works such as press releases. Author(s) represent and warrants that he / she / they is / are sole author(s) of the work, that all authors have participated in and agree with the content and conclusions of the work, and that the work is original and does not infringe upon any copyright, proprietary or personal right of any third party. If the work is not original, author(s) should reference original source and ensure all relevant permission and / or authorization to re-use have been obtained.



## Notification of Acceptance

Upon submission, you will receive an acknowledgement email notifying that your abstract has been received.

Once the Abstract Submission closes, all abstracts will be reviewed by the Scientific Committee. The Scientific Committee reserves the right to select the abstracts relevant to the sessions and decide on the final form of presentation.

Notification of acceptance/rejection will be e-mailed to you no later than August 15th, 2026.

If the abstract is accepted, applicant **MUST** register and pay registration fee.

All successfully accepted abstract submitters must present their abstract in the form of Oral Presentation during the Congress.

The corresponding author will receive any correspondence concerning the abstract.

## Awards

The Best Oral presentation will be awarded with SeENS and SNSS Awards. The papers submitted for the awards will be presented by their authors and assessed by a jury of national and international experts. **Eligible for competing are neurosurgeons below the age of 40.**

**SUBMIT YOUR ABSTRACT**



## Headquarters Hotel and Congress Venue

### Radisson Hotel Park Niš

Overlooking the beautiful Nišava River, Radisson Hotel Park, Niš offers a quiet and comfortable stay in the heart of the city.

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#### How to arrive to the Radisson Hotel Park, Niš

 <b>From Niš Constantine the Great Airport (INI)</b>	<b>By car/taxi:</b> Constantine the Great Airport is located just 4.5 kilometers away from the hotel. Hop on Bulevar Nikole Tesle straight to the city center; the journey should take between 15 and 18 minutes depending on traffic. <b>By bus:</b> From the airport, hop on the 34B bus to the city center and get off at the Trg kralja Milana stop before walking 300 meters to the hotel. Alternatively, take bus 34A, get down at Ured bus stop and walk 700 meters to the hotel. The journey should take around 25 to 30 minutes depending on traffic.
 <b>From Niš Train Station</b>	<b>By car/taxi:</b> Niš Train Station is just 2 kilometers away from our hotel. The ride should take around eight minutes depending on traffic. <b>By bus:</b> At the train station, hop on bus number 5 or 6 and get off at the Trg kralja Milana stop. The journey should take around 11 minutes.
 <b>From Niš Bus Station</b>	<b>By car/taxi:</b> The hotel is a 12-minute car ride from Niš Bus Station. <b>By foot:</b> Located 1 kilometer away from the hotel, the walk from Niš Bus Station is around 15 minutes long.



# Outline of the Scientific Program

September 10<sup>th</sup>, 2026

	HALL 1	HALL 2	HALL 3
12.00			
13.00			
14.00			
15.00	Pre-congress Course 1	Pre-congress Course 2	Pre-congress Course 3
16.00			
17.00			
18.00			
20.00	Welcome cocktail		

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### September 11<sup>th</sup>, 2026

	HALL 1	HALL 2	HALL 3
09.00			
10.00	General Scientific Session 1		
11.00	Coffee break		
12.00	General Scientific Session 2		
13.00			
14.00	Lunch		
15.00	Opening ceremony		
16.00	Break		
17.00			
18.00	Parallel session 1	Parallel session 2	
20.00	Faculty dinner		

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### September 12<sup>th</sup>, 2026

	HALL 1	HALL 2	HALL 3
09.00			
10.00	General Scientific Session 3		
11.00			
	Coffee break		
12.00	General Scientific Session 4		
13.00		Nursing symposium	
14.00	Lunch		
15.00			
16.00	Parallel session 3		
17.00	Coffee break		
18.00	Free topics 1	Free topics 2	Free topics 3
19.00			
20.00	Networking dinner		

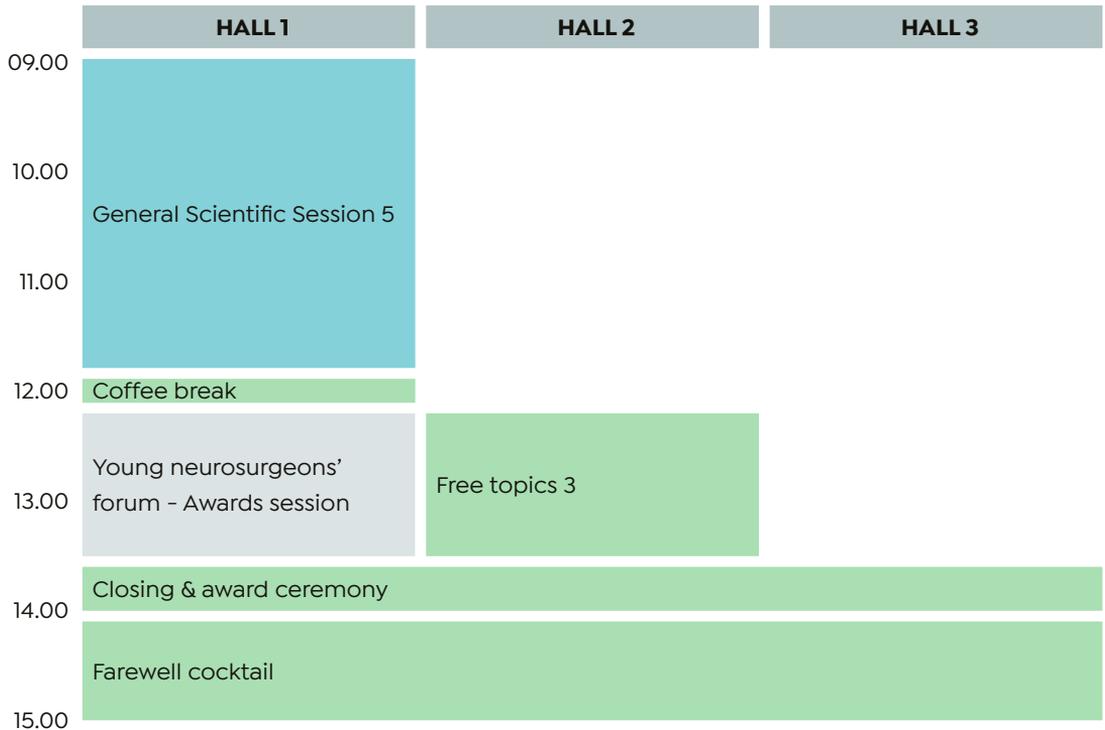
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### September 13<sup>th</sup>, 2026





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