

# SFCNS Congress 06

United for Brain Health

October 29–31, 2025  
SwissTech Convention  
Center STCC, Lausanne  
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# Welcome to the 6<sup>th</sup> SFCNS Congress

## Dear colleagues and friends

On behalf of the whole SFCNS and its scientific committee it is our pleasure to welcome you to the 6th SFCNS Congress from Wednesday 29.10. – Friday 31.10.2025 at the SwissTech Convention Center, STCC (EPFL) in Lausanne, Switzerland.

**The annual meetings of the participating Swiss societies including the Swiss Societies of Neurology, Neurosurgery and Neuroradiology take place within the framework of the SFCNS Congress.**

The motto of the congress 2025 is **United for Brain Health**.

Together with the scientific committee – which are representatives of the 16 member societies – an exciting program will be developed. The program beginning on Wednesday and ending on Friday evening consists of Plenary Sessions, Parallel Sessions, ePoster Sessions and Satellite Symposia.

Additional program points will include

- Wed, Thu, Fri: **YouClin** Sessions
- Thursday: the **Symposium for NeuroCare**
- Friday: **IG-NOPPS** will organize their own whole day meeting.

### Who should attend

All clinically active physicians of the areas of

- Neurology
- Neurosurgery
- Neurophysiology
- Neuropaediatrics
- Neuroradiology
- Neuropathology
- And also any other related fields
- Of course, all nursing professionals, interested parties and practice staff are also cordially invited to attend the SFCNS Congress and participate in the various training courses during the 3 days.

### Top Reasons to attend

By taking part, you will have the opportunity to gain more in-depth knowledge about the following topics:

- Brain Health
- Neurology
- Neurosurgery
- Neuroradiology
- Stroke
- Biological Psychiatry
- Headache
- Neurorhabilitation
- Neurophysiology
- Neuropediatrics
- Neuropathology
- Dementia

Don't miss the opportunity to meet up with your friends and colleagues not only from the neuro-science field but also from fields of technologies such as basic neuroimaging, robotics and artificial intelligence which are forming the future of the next generation as clinical neuroscientists.

We look forward to welcoming you to Lausanne the end of October 2025.

On behalf of the Committee



**Prof. Luca Remonda, MD**  
SFCNS President



**Prof. Susanne Wegener, MD**  
Congress President

# General Information

Date	Wednesday 29.10. – Friday 31.10.2025
Venue	SwissTech Convention Center (EPFL) Rue Louis Favre 2 1024 Ecublens
Website	<a href="https://sfcns2025.congress-imk.ch">sfcns2025.congress-imk.ch</a>
Language	The official congress language is English. Slides and presentations in the main topics and ePoster Sessions have to be in English. Workshops and Parallel Sessions may be presented in English, German or French. Abstracts have to be in English.

Registration Fees 6th SFCNS Congress	Early Bird until 21.09.2025			Regular from 22.09.2025			Networking Event
	1 day	2 days	3 days	1 day	2 days	3 days	30.10.2025
Member physicians   Member psychologists   Member IMC physicians	150	280	350	200	330	400	120
Non-member physicians   Non-member psychologists	200	380	450	250	430	500	120
Member residents, SAYN   SYNS youngSVNP, Postdoctoral fellows	60	90	150	80	130	200	60
Non-member residents	100	170	230	120	210	280	60
Neuroscience nurses, MTM, SFND   IG-NOPPS*   Member IMC nurses	50	80	140	60	100	190	60
Pregraduate and graduate students	25	40	50	35	60	70	60

\*The registration fees IG-NOPPS are covered by the SSNS. Therefore the participation is free of charge.

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Networking Event	<b>Thursday, 30.10.2025, 19:30</b> Come and join us for the Networking Event! It is great opportunity to meet colleagues and friends while enjoying one of Lausanne's greatest locations overlooking Lake Geneva.
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Location	Olympic Museum, Quai d'Ouchy 1, 1006 Lausanne, Switzerland
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<b>SFCNS Brain Health Run</b> <i>Let's get active, connect, and make brain health a priority!</i>	<b>Friday, 31.10.2025, 07:00</b> <i>(before the sessions start)</i> Every step counts for your Brain. Be part of it! Brain health matters – for everyone, at every age. With the Brain Health Run, we aim to raise awareness for <b>promotion and prevention</b> of brain health – and to get moving together for a good cause. <b>Whether you walk or run – every step counts.</b>
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Details: <https://sfcns2025.congress-imk – Networking>

# General Information

## Scientific Committee

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Prof. Regina Reimann, MD, Zurich | SSNPath (Neuropathology)  
Prof. Luca Remonda, MD, Aarau | SFCNS  
Attil Saemann, MD, Basel | YouClin, Neurosurgery  
Prof. Isabel Wanke, MD, Zurich | SSNR

## Credits

Credits have been granted as follows:

	29.10.2025	30.10.2025	31.10.2025	Total
SNS   Swiss Neurological Society	6 credits	8 credits	6 credits	20 credits
SSNS   Swiss Society of Neurosurgery	8 credits	8 credits	8 credits	24 credits
SSR   Swiss Society of Radiology	6 credits	6 credits	6 credits	18 credits
SSCN   Swiss Society of Clinical Neurophysiology	2 credits	3 credits	4 credits	9 credits
SSNP   Swiss Society of Neuropaediatrics	8 credits	8 credits	8 credits	24 credits
ASNP   Association of Swiss Neuropsychologists	6 credits	9 credits	6 credits	21 credits
SSPP   Swiss Society of Psychiatry and Psychotherapy	1 credit	3 credits	2 credits	6 credits
SSNM   Swiss Society of Nuclear Medicine	0 credits	0 credits	0 credits	0 credits

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## Program Overview: Wednesday, 29.10.2025

09:45-10:00	Congress Opening
10:00-10:45	Keynote Lecture: Methods for bypassing and treating spinal cord injury
11:15-12:30	SFCNS in memoriam: Christian Hess & Anton Valavanis Lecture
12:40-14:20	SFCNS Delegiertenversammlung
13:15-14:15	<i>Satellite Symposium organized by Eli Lilly (Suisse) S.A.</i> Amyloid-Targeting Therapies for Early Symptomatic Alzheimer's Disease: Bridging Evidence and Clinical Practice
	<i>Satellite Symposium organized by Novartis Pharma Schweiz AG</i> Swiss KOSMOS Study: Real-World Data and Practical Experiences in people with Multiple Sclerosis treated with Ofatumumab early in the disease course
	<i>Satellite Symposium organized by Janssen, a Johnson &amp; Johnson Company (Janssen-Cilag AG)</i> Unlocking the future of neuromuscular disorders: Myasthenia Gravis in the spotlight
14:30-15:30	SNS Session I: Tariffs – Changes ahead
	SSNS Session I: Neurooncology
	SSNR Session I: Hot Topics in Neuroinvention
	YouClin I – From Circuits to Movements: Engineering Game-Changers in Neurotechnology
	General Assembly WIN
16:00-17:00	SSS Session: From acute therapies to secondary stroke prevention: whats new
	WIN Workshop: Pay gap and Salary negotiations
	SSBP Session I: Precision medicine for risk detection and early treatment in neurology and psychiatry
	YouClin/SYNS/SAYN: Epilepsy Unplugged: Exploring Brain Dynamics and Therapeutic Frontiers
	SSNS Session: TARDOC 2026
17:15-18:45	General Assembly SNS (SNG) – Swiss Neurological Society

## Program Overview: Thursday, 30.10.2025

08:00-09:15	SFCNS Plenary I: From Stem Cells to Circuits and Behavior – Bridging Brain Function with Artificial Intelligence
09:15-11:50	<b>SFCNS Swiss Brain Health Plan 3<sup>rd</sup> Stakeholder Meeting (SBHP)</b>
12:00-13:00	ePoster Session SNS
	ePoster Session SSNS   SSNR
	ePoster Session SSCN   SLaE
	ePoster Session mix SSS   SHS   SSNRehab   SSNP   SSNPath   Aphasie Suisse   ASNP
	ePoster Session SSBP   SSBN
13:30-14:00	<i>Satellite Symposium organised by Terumo Neuro</i> Wide-Neck Aneurysms: A challenge - multiple strategies
13:30-14:30	<i>Satellite Symposium organized by Biogen Switzerland AG</i> Therapeutic advances in rare disease – Friedrich Ataxia, Spinal Muscular Atrophy and ALS
	<i>Satellite Symposium organized by Roche Pharma (Schweiz) AG</i> Gender-specific aspects and differences in neurological diseases
	<i>Satellite Symposium organized by Servier (Suisse) SA</i> IDHm Glioma: Lessons from the Multidisciplinary team and Clinical Experience with IDH-inhibitors
14:45-15:45	SHS Session: Advanced treatment options in primary headaches
	SSNS Session II: Myelopathy (Spinal Session)
	SSCN Session I: Bridging Images and Signals: Innovation in Neurodiagnostics
	YouClin II: YouClin Research Award
	SSNR Session (Neurorehab): New frontiers in neurorehabilitation
16:15-17:15	SNS   SSNS   SSNR Joint Session: Injured Brains, United Minds: Managing TBI from different perspectives
	SSNP Session I: Gene Therapies in Pediatric Neurology: Innovations, Access, and Ethics
	SSCN Session II: Windows into the Brain: From OCT to Continuous EEG-Monitoring
	SSBP Session II: Bridging Neurobiology and Treatment: Innovations in Psychiatric Care
	SSNR Session: TARDOC 2026
17:30-18:45	General Assembly SSNC (SGKN) – Swiss Society of Clinical Neurophysiology
	General Assembly SSNR (SGNR) – Swiss Society of Neuroradiology
	General Assembly SSNS (SGNC) – Swiss Society of Neurosurgery
	General Assembly SSBP (SGBP) – Swiss Society of Biological Psychiatry
	General Assembly NeuroRehab SSNR (SGNR) – Swiss Society of Neurorehabilitation
09:45-17:15	<b>Symposium NeuroCare</b>
	NeuroCare Sessions I-V: Neuroplastizität; Community Health; Empowerment; APN – Advanced Practice Nurse   PA – Physician Associate; Get-together and Discussion PA, APN, APP, IPN

## Program Overview: Friday, 31.10.2025

08:30-09:45	SFCNS Plenary II: Brain Health in Action: From Barriers to Breakthroughs
10:15-11:15	SNS Session II: Diagnostic and therapeutic advances in neuroimmunology
	SSNP Session II: Future directions in pediatric drug-resistant epilepsy
	SSNPath Session: High-precision tissue diagnostics for brain health
	CNS/YouClin Educational I: Brain medicine: reality or mirage?
	SSCBN Session: Assessing core domains of social cognition in patients with cognitive impairment
11:30-12:30	<i>Satellite Symposium: UCB-Pharma AG</i> Bridging diagnosis, standard & targeted therapy in MG: a clinical ballet
	<i>Satellite Symposium organized by Bial SA Switzerland</i> Understanding Fluctuations in Parkinson's Disease: Burden, Diagnosis, and Treatment Advances
	<i>Satellite Symposium organized by Teva Pharma AG</i> CGRP pathway targeted therapies: What we've learnt and what's next
13:00-13:45	General Assembly Swiss SOS – Swiss Study On aneurysmalSubarachnoid-hemorrhage
13:00-14:00	Neurodegeneration/Dementia: Novel Horizons in Dementia Treatment – from pharmacological agents to sophisticated engineering
	SSNR Session II: Advances in diagnostic neuroradiology
	New brain protective treatment strategies in neurointensive care
	CNS/YouClin Educational II: Climate Change: what is the future for clinician-scientists?
	Joint Tarif Session SNS   SSCN   SSNP (SNG   SGKN   SGNP)
14:30-15:00	SNS Awards Ceremony
14:30-15:30	General Assembly SHS (SKG) – Swiss Headache Society
15:00-16:00	SFCNS Plenary III: Digital health: The Ethics and Science Of Big Data Studies on Brain Health
09:00-16:30	<b>IG-NOPPS</b> Interessengruppe des Neurochirurgischen OP-Personals Schweiz Sessions I-IV

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