INTRACRANIAL GLIOMA WORKSHOP: FROM A TO Z

AMPHITHEATER "HIPPOCRATES"
MEDICAL SCHOOL UNIVERSITY OF THESSALY
LARISSA, GREECE

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FIRST ANNOUNCEMENT
Dear Colleague,

It is our great pleasure to invite you to participate in our comprehensive practical workshop of diagnosing and managing patients with intracranial gliomas. Our course is aiming at covering all aspects of gliomas, from their genetic analysis and profiling to the most advanced surgical resective techniques, and the long-term follow-up and support of these patients. An astonishing multi-national faculty, including leading figures in the field of neuro-oncology constitutes a guarantee that the participants will be able to familiarize themselves with all advanced imaging and surgical techniques, utilized for the most efficient and the safest management of patients with intracranial gliomas. A well-balanced combination of vivid presentations, stimulating debates, highly-didactic video sessions, and practical hands-on will ensure that each participant will be exposed to all diagnostic methodologies, to the most updated surgical strategies, and to the most recent adjuvant treatment protocols. Moreover, the interactive e-poster session will serve as a forum for exchanging bright new ideas regarding basic science, translational, and clinical glioma research.

The event is hosted in the hospitable city of Larissa, where Hippocrates practiced medicine and spent his last days. Larissa is located in the heart of the Greek mainland, less than an hour from mythical Mt. Olympus, the unique Meteora monasteries and Pelion, the mountain of Centaurus. It is also conveniently connected to the spectacular islands of Skiathos, Skopelos and Alonissos.

We are looking forward to welcoming you in Larissa in April 2017 and making this an unforgettable experience for you.

With our warmest regards,

Effie Kapsalaki Kostas Fountas

Chairmen of the Organizing Committee
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TOPICS
• Epidemiology of gliomas
• Historical aspects of diagnosis and management of intracranial gliomas
• Genetics of gliomas
• Molecular characteristics of gliomas
• Rare forms of intracranial glioma
• Molecular biomarkers of gliomas
• Molecular imaging of gliomas
• Advanced methods in the diagnosis and grading of gliomas
• Imaging of gliomas
• Surgical management of gliomas
• Adjuvant treatment of gliomas
• Support of patients with glioma

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**WEBSITE**

Visit the official website [www.glioma2017.com](http://www.glioma2017.com) for all information related to the meeting.

**IMPORTANT DATES**

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**VENUE**

**AUDITORIUM “HIPPOCRATES”**

**BIOPOLIS BUILDING, MEDICAL SCHOOL, UNIVERSITY OF LARISSA 41500, LARISSA, GREECE**

The Amphitheater “Hippocrates” is located on the ground floor of the Biopolis Building, within the campus of the General University Hospital of Larissa. Located in the suburbs of Larissa, the General University Hospital of Larissa is only 7 km from the city center.

**Synthesis Group also undertakes the following travel services:**

- Air-tickets
- Boat tickets
- Transfers from/to the airport/hotel

**ACCOMMODATION**

Please inform us about your accommodation requirements, by 31st December 2016 at the latest and take advantage of the special prices. For requests please mail at: glioma@synthesispco.com
### Registration Information

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**Registration fee includes:**
- Access to the scientific sessions
- Access to the exhibition area
- Conference material, including final program
CANCELLATION POLICY

Cancellations must be submitted via e-mail to the secretariat at glioma@synthesispcoco.com

• For cancellations submitted until 31 August 2016, no cancellation fees will be charged
• For cancellations submitted from 1 September 2016 until 30 November 2016, 30% of the total participation amount will be withheld as cancellation fees
• For cancellations submitted from 1 December 2016 until 17 February 2017, 50% of the total participation amount will be withheld as cancellation fees
• No refunds will be made after 18 February 2017

NAME CHANGE

Name changes must be submitted via e-mail to the secretariat at glioma@synthesispcoco.com

• For name changes submitted until 13 January 2017, no extra charge will apply
• For name changes submitted from 14 January 2017 until 24 March 2017, 50 € of the total individual participation amount will be withheld
• No name changes are possible after 25 March 2017

INFORMATION

For further information, please contact:

Secretariat:
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T: +30 210 9609400
Submitted posters should cover the following areas of interest:

- Epidemiology of gliomas
- Historical aspects of diagnosis and management of intracranial gliomas
- Genetics of gliomas
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GENERAL ABSTRACT GUIDELINES

- Abstract Submission is only possible through the official website [www.glioma2017.com](http://www.glioma2017.com)
  (See Abstract Preparation and Abstract Submission Guidelines)
- Abstracts submitted via fax or e-mail will not be accepted
- Abstract Submission Deadline: 1 March 2017

ABSTRACT PREPARATION GUIDELINES

Abstracts should be sent in English, in word format (.doc or .docx file), in Arial font, 10 pt, single space and single spacing and should not exceed 250 words.

ABSTRACT LAYOUT

1. In the first row mention the full title of the abstract (in capital letters-UPPERCASE)
2. Leave one (1) row and continue with the author(s) names thus: Smith P.¹, Smith A.² and so on.
3. Leave one (1) row and continue with the institutions/hospitals in lowercase as follows:
   1. Orthopaedic Surgery Clinic, Gennimatas General Hospital
   2. Anaesthesiology Department, Gennimatas General Hospital
4. The name of the presenting author should be underlined and bold
5. The presenting author should be one of the authors of the abstract
6. Leave two (2) rows
7. The abstract should be structured in four components:

   Background
   Material - Method
   Results
   Conclusions
CONDITIONS FOR ABSTRACT SUBMISSION

1. In order for an abstract to be accepted, the presenting author should be registered for the workshop.
2. The abstract body can be up to 250 words.
3. There is no limit to the number of authors for each abstract.
4. All data should be included (Title, Authors, Institution/Hospital, Abstract Layout).
5. Abstracts should be prepared according to the abstract preparation guidelines.
6. Abstracts should be submitted on time.

Abstracts that do not meet the above conditions will not be accepted. Authors will be notified via e-mail regarding abstract evaluation results, until 15th March 2017. Approved abstracts will be published in the Abstracts CD and in the congress final program (Title, Authors, Institution/Hospital).

For any questions or technical support, please contact: glioma@synthesispco.com

ABSTRACT SUBMISSION GUIDELINES

Submitters are requested to submit their abstracts until 1st March 2017 at the latest. As soon as submitters are notified, they should submit their abstract on-line through the official website www.glioma2017.com

Please note that the file you will be requested to upload during abstract submission will be the file which will be included in the Abstracts CD.

You are strongly advised to have it updated and correctly formatted. In case you would like to withdraw your abstract, please notify the secretariat at glioma@synthesispco.com
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