

“Molecular basis for synaptic function highlighting disease mechanisms”

Mini-Conference organizers:

Illana Gozes (Secretary, Chair), Johannes Hirrlinger (President), Carlos Duarte (Treasurer), Natalia Nalivaeva (Past President)

Speakers:

1] **P. Monteiro (Portugal)** “SHANK proteins: roles at the synapse and in autism spectrum disorder”

2] **I. Gozes (Israel)** “Essential for the synapse: ADNP a major regulator of development and aging”

3] **J. Courchet (France)** “Fine-tuning of cortical circuits development through a local regulation of mitochondrial metabolism”

4] **A. Poletti (Italy)** “Protein misfolding in motor neuron diseases”

5] **S. Grassi (Italy)** “Lipid rafts in neurodegeneration and neuroprotection”

6] **N.N. Nalivaeva (UK)** “Prenatal stress and neuronal gene regulation”

Saturday 9 July 2022, from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm CEST

Please join us! (abstract submission is optional)

Registration is open at:

<https://neurochemsoc.eu/esn-meetings/registration-for-the-esn-mini-conference-2022/>

Registration fees to the Mini-Conference are 25 Euros for ESN members and 50 Euros for non-members, with an option of becoming an ESN member for 2022 for free (annual membership fee is 25 Euros). The registration fees will include participation at the Mini-Conference **including light refreshments** and participation at no cost for the remaining sessions of the FENS Forum opening day (Saturday 9 July 2022): Brain Debate, Opening Ceremony and Fred Kavli Opening Lecture (for those participants who are not registered to the FENS Forum)

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