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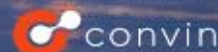
# MINS 2025

10<sup>TH</sup> Mediterranean  
Neuroscience  
Society Conference

Chania • Crete, Greece



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## Invitation to MNS 2025

### Welcome to Chania!

Dear Colleagues and Friends,

It is our great pleasure and honor to welcome you to the 10th Mediterranean Neuroscience Society (MNS) Conference, to be held in Platanias/Chania on the island of Crete, Greece, from June 7th to June 11th, 2025. Chania, the second-largest city on Crete, offers a stunning Mediterranean landscape coupled with a rich blend of modern, traditional, and ancient cultural heritage. The vibrant surroundings, filled with colors, scents, flavors, and music, make it an ideal location for our gathering. The conference will take place at the beautiful Minoa Palace Resort in Platanias, just 10 km from Chania city center, by the serene Mediterranean seaside.

We invite you to join us for another unforgettable MNS Conference, a unique gathering that brings together neuroscience experts, professionals, and students not only from Mediterranean countries but from around the world. We anticipate welcoming over 400 participants to this event, which we are committed to making friendly, diverse, and inclusive, with ample opportunities for social interactions, training, and networking. Our goal is to provide a unique platform for exchanging knowledge, ideas, and advancements across all areas of basic, translational, preclinical, and clinical neuroscience.

The Scientific and Organizing Committees are working tirelessly to create an engaging program that includes keynote speakers, opinion leaders, and experts from around the globe. We aim to promote research, education, advocacy, policy-making, and public awareness on all aspects of brain science.

The MNS is excited to offer travel stipends and prizes to young scientists, particularly from the southern Mediterranean regions, and to foster North-South networking and scientific exchange!

Stay tuned for updates, and we eagerly look forward to welcoming you to Crete in 2025!

**Prof. Christina Dalla and Dr. Ali Jahanshahi**

*Chairs of the 10<sup>th</sup> Mediterranean Neuroscience Society Conference*





## About the Conference

### ABOUT MNS

The **Mediterranean Neuroscience Society (MNS)** works towards three main objectives:

- First, strengthen exchanges between mediterranean neuroscientists;
- Second, promote education in the neurosciences and increase public awareness of progress made;
- Third, sustain scientific, training and networking events, such as, in particular, the biennial Mediterranean Neuroscience Conference.

Research on brain function in health and disease is among the priorities for today's societies, and several indicators put the mediterranean research area among strategic issues for the European Union (EU).

To reach these objectives, the MNS's policy is to work in close cooperation with existing national and international Neuroscience Societies. In particular, we are proud member of the International Brain Research Organization – IBRO and also act in synergy with the Federation of European Neuroscience Societies – FENS.

Many South-North collaborations and networks have emerged in recent years through bilateral and multi-lateral actions, supported by the EU or by international and national actions, whether for setting up teaching curricula (e.g. Tempus programs), or by building human potential (e.g. FP7, H2020). Many other initiatives of cooperation (e.g. Neurobridges) have seen the light of day, initiated by groups of motivated individuals, believing in the importance of scientific cooperation as a way to alleviate political distress between cultures with a long history of recent conflicts. To read more about the MNS, please click [here](#).

### ABOUT MNS 2025

**MNS 2025** is designed to foster collaboration among neuroscience experts from around the Mediterranean and globally, covering a broad range of neuroscience topics, from basic research to clinical applications. The Conference is expected to attract over 400 participants, featuring diverse sessions, keynote speakers, and opportunities for networking. In addition to scientific presentations, the event will include travel awards and stipends for young scientists, with a particular focus on supporting those from southern Mediterranean countries. This support underscores the society's mission to promote equity, diversity, and inclusivity within the neuroscience field.

For more details and updates on the MNS 2025 conference, including submission deadlines for symposium proposals and registration information, you can visit their official site at <https://mns2025.org/>



## Organizing Committee

<p><b>Prof. Christina Dalla</b> University of Athens, Greece <b>co-Chair</b></p>	<p><b>Dr. Ali Jahanshahi</b> MUMC+, The Netherlands <b>co-Chair</b></p>	<p><b>Prof. Giuseppe Di Giovanni</b> Magna Græcia University, Catanzaro, Italy <b>Past- President</b></p>
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<p><b>Dr. Liana Fattore</b> IN-CNR, Italy <b>Honorary Member</b></p>	<p><b>Prof. Marc Landry</b> University of Bordeaux, France <b>Honorary Member</b></p>	<p><b>Dr. Luisa Pinto</b> Life and Health Sciences Research Institute, (ICVS), University of Minho, Portugal <b>Member</b></p>
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<p><b>Dr. Ioannis Sotiropoulos</b> NCSR "Demokritos", Greece <b>Member</b></p>	<p><b>Dr. Lucy Privitera</b> Queen Mary University of London, Malta Campus <b>Member</b></p>	<p><b>Dr. Nermeen Zakaria Abuelezz</b> MUST University, Egypt <b>Member</b></p>
<p><b>Dr. Sandra Vaz</b> FMUL and IMM, Lisbon, Portugal <b>Member</b></p>	<p><b>Prof. Taoufik Ghrairi</b> El Manar University, Tunis, Tunisia <b>Member</b></p>	<p><b>Dr. Zakaria Ouhaz</b> Institut Supérieur des Professions Infirmière et techniques de la santé, Marrakech, Morocco <b>Member</b></p>



## General Information

### CONFERENCE DATES

The Conference dates are: **07 to 11 of June, 2025**

### CONFERENCE VENUE

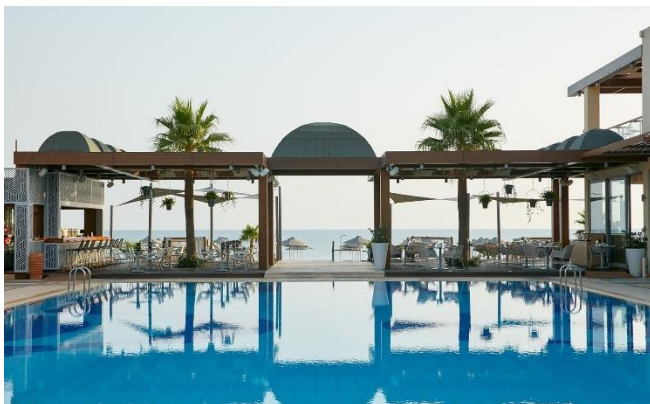
#### **Minoa Palace Resort in Chania, Crete**

Minoa Palace Resort Hotel in Chania was built in 2002 and has been established as one of the leading 5-star resorts in Crete. It stands out due to its aura of tranquility, harmoniously blended in with the sea breeze and the lush green surroundings. The resort is an equally great host for all sorts of corporate events, conferences and meetings.

Covering 35,000 sq. m. of Cretan land in the popular tourist resort of Platanias, this luxury 5-star hotel enchants guests with its majestic surroundings, the miraculous views of the shimmering Aegean Sea and the White Mountains as well as the high-end facilities and bespoke services offered. To further enhance the overall guest experience, the hotel was expanded with an aerial bridge connecting the Main Building Bungalow complex with the Imperial Beach Wing thus offering immediate access to the beach from both buildings.

The Minoa Palace 5-star hotel comprises of two main buildings featuring a variety of elegantly appointed rooms and suites, 4 restaurants, 4 bars, a spa & wellness center, many communal and private pools, a jewelry shop and a great range of leisure options, sports activities and cultural events.

More information about the Minoa Palace Resort [here](#).







## CONFERENCE PERFORMANCE & LANGUAGE

**MNS 2025** will be held with physical attendance and in English.

## PROFESSIONAL CONGRESS ORGANIZER



**MNS 2025** in Chania will be organized in co-operation with CONVIN.

CONVIN, a strong Professional Congress Organizer (PCO), was created by seasoned executives with vast experience in the MICE sector.

CONVIN combines the knowledge, experience, and security that a major company can provide, whilst offering flexibility, creativity, versatility, personalized assistance, and cost-effectiveness, all hallmarks of a small business.

CONVIN makes a strong statement in the business sector, bringing an innovative air to a highly competitive field, simultaneously providing quality, speed, personalized services and cost-effectiveness along with flexibility and stability.

Since its beginning, CONVIN has organized more than 200 national and international conferences.

Today, CONVIN specializes in conference organization, association management and scientific e-publishing, providing at the same time all services related to destination management, incentives, travelling and exhibition.

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### CONVIN S.A

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## Sponsorship Categories

The **MNS 2025 Sponsorship Opportunities** have been structure in a way that enables all contributors to participate according to their specific needs and built their status. In this context, there are no set packages, so that you can mix and match various items among the options offered. The acknowledgement status will depend on the total sponsorship amount. Kindly note that taxes, where applicable, are over and above below rates and will not be considered for the purpose of sponsorship category acknowledgement.

LEVEL OF SUPPORT	SPONSORSHIP CATEGORY
Up to 999 EUR	SUPPORTER
1,000 to 2,499 EUR	BRONZE
2,500 to 4,499 EUR	SILVER
4,500 to 6,999 EUR	GOLD
7,000 EUR and more	PLATINUM

*VAT 24 % is not included in the Sponsorship amounts and will be added only if applicable*





## Itemized Sponsorship Opportunities

### Technical Services

OPPORTUNITIES	COST	BENEFITS (ENTITLEMENTS)
<b>MOBILE APP</b> <i>Exclusive sponsorship</i>	<b>2.200€</b>	<i>The mobile app provides a complete and interactive overview of the Conference, including the scientific Program, venue maps &amp; social interaction. It provides delegates with the possibility to watch the Conference from their mobile or tablet, create a personalized Program, communicate with other delegates (through messages or video calls) and much more . . .</i>
<b>POSTER AREA</b> <i>Exclusive sponsorship</i>	<b>2.500€</b>	<i>Sponsor's logo in the poster area for the whole duration of the Conference.</i>
<b>CHARGING STATION</b> <i>Exclusive sponsorship for each station</i>	<b>1.600€</b>	<i>A special construction with different recharge plugs for devices will be placed in the area. Sponsor's logo visible in the device charger area for the whole duration of the Conference.</i>

### Conference Material

OPPORTUNITIES	COST	BENEFITS (ENTITLEMENTS)
<b>BROCHURES</b> <i>Up to 3 sponsors</i>	<b>600€</b>	<i>Brochures, provided by the sponsor, will be available at the registration desk, where all delegates will pick up their badges.</i>
<b>LANYARDS</b> <i>Exclusive sponsorship</i>	<b>1.500€</b>	<i>Conference logo and Sponsor's logo printed on the lanyards given along with the badge to all delegates.</i>
<b>WATER BOTTLES</b> <i>Exclusive sponsorship</i>	<b>3.000€</b>	<i>The sponsor's logo printed on water bottles that will be given to participants. The quantity is estimated at 400 pieces.</i>



## Social Event Opportunities

OPPORTUNITIES	COST	BENEFITS (ENTITLEMENTS)
WELCOME RECEPTION <i>Up to 2 sponsors</i>	3.000€	Sponsor's logo displayed in various high visibility foyer locations where Welcome reception will be served. <i>Additional Entitlements: 5 min for the sponsor to present themselves and a full-page advertisement inside the e-Final Program</i>
COFFEE BREAKS <i>Exclusive per day (availability: 7)</i>	3.000€	Sponsor's logo displayed in various high visibility foyer locations where Coffee breaks will take place. <b>1<sup>st</sup> option: For morning/ afternoon only</b>
	5.000€	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> option: For morning &amp; afternoon</b>
LUNCH BREAKS <i>Exclusive per day (availability: 3)</i>	6.000€	Sponsor's logo displayed in various high visibility foyer locations where Lunch break will take place.

## Advertisements

OPPORTUNITIES	COST	BENEFITS (ENTITLEMENTS)
HALF PAGE ADVERTISEMENT <i>Unlimited sponsorship</i>	400€	Page adv inside the e-Final program
FULL PAGE ADVERTISEMENT <i>Unlimited sponsorship</i>	700€	

## Other Branding Options

OPPORTUNITIES	COST	BENEFITS (ENTITLEMENTS)
SESSION BREAKS <i>Up to 3 sponsors</i>	800€	Sponsor's logo will be projected as screen saver during meeting session breaks in all rooms for the entire duration of the meeting.
SELFIE CORNER <i>Exclusive sponsorship</i>	1.200€	Sponsor's logo visible in the selfie corner area for the whole duration of the Conference.
PHOTOBOOTH <i>Exclusive sponsorship</i>	2.500€/per day	The sponsor's logo, as well as the logo of the conference, will be printed on the photographs that will be provided on-site and will also be available in electronic format.



## Sponsoring Activities

*Costs upon discussion based on the chosen activity*

OPPORTUNITIES	BENEFITS (ENTITLEMENTS)
<b>HANDS-ON WORKSHOP</b> <i>Limited availability</i>	<i>An opportunity for sponsors to host a hands-on workshop to engage delegates and facilitate networking.</i>
<b>SATELLITE SYMPOSIUM</b> <i>Limited availability</i>	<i>An opportunity for sponsors to present a satellite symposium inside the scientific program of the conference for 30min to 60.</i>
<b>CSR ACTIVITIES</b> <i>Limited availability</i>	<i>If you want to connect your name/ brand with a CSR activity, please contact us to discuss all possible ways and options!</i>

**ENTITLEMENTS FOR ALL SPONSORS**

- Logo on the Conference website with hyperlink to your company's website
- Acknowledgment in the e-Final Programme





## Exhibition Opportunities

OPPORTUNITIES	COST	BENEFITS (ENTITLEMENTS)
ROLL UP BANNER PLACEMENT <i>Unlimited sponsorship</i>	800€	The sponsor has the opportunity to bring one roll-up banner to be placed in the exhibition area. <b>Note: The banner size must be either 2m (H) x 1m (W) or 2m (H) x 1.5m (W).</b>
EXHIBITION SPACE ONLY <b>(4 sqm)</b> <i>On a first come - first served basis</i>	1.500€	Provision of: -4sqm [2m (l) x 2m (d)] of exhibition space only. -Furniture [1 table with 2 chairs] -Power Supply -Company name in the Exhibitor list <i>Exhibitors may bring their own banners or additional materials to decorate their space.</i>
EXHIBITION SPACE ONLY <b>(6 sqm)</b> <i>On a first come - first served basis</i>	2.000€	Provision of: -6sqm [3m (l) x 2m (d)] of exhibition space only. -Furniture [1 table with 2 chairs] -Power Supply -Company name in the Exhibitor list <i>Exhibitors may bring their own banners or additional materials to decorate their space.</i>

### ENTITLEMENTS FOR EXHIBITORS (EXHIBITION SPACE)

- One (1) complimentary registration for your exhibition space
- Logo on the Conference website with hyperlink to your company's website
- Acknowledgment in the e-Final Programme



## Exhibition Floor Plan

While the layout of the tables is finalized, the Organizers reserve the right to rearrange certain tables if deemed necessary (i.e., in case of empty spaces, etc.)

### Imperial Conference Hall





## General Terms & Conditions

### HOW TO APPLY & CANCELLATION POLICY

#### HOW TO APPLY

Exhibition space and booths will be offered on a first come, first served basis. To apply, send your request by email to our **Sponsorship & Exhibition Team** at **E-mail:** [sponsorship@mns2025.org](mailto:sponsorship@mns2025.org)

#### NEXT STEPS

Upon receipt of Interest, the Professional Congress Organizer will send a confirmation and a contract which should be signed and returned, accompanied by the relevant deposit payment (as per payment conditions). First come- First served will apply to all sponsorship & exhibition options according to receipt of a signed contract and deposit.

**SPECIAL REQUESTS:** Looking for something different? If the sponsorship opportunities outlined in this brochure do not fully match your marketing and corporate objectives, we would be happy to hear any suggestions.

### PAYMENT CONDITIONS

- 50% of the sponsorship upon confirmation (contract signing)
- 50% of the sponsorship the latest 1 month prior to the conference, against invoice.

#### Please note that:

- Any sponsorship/exhibition opportunity will only be reserved upon the payment of the required first deposit.
- Any late payment of the final installment that exceeds one week will be considered as an application for cancellation of the interested party for the selected sponsorship. Under such circumstances the cancellation policy will be activated by the Organizers.
- All the amounts and payments are in Euro (EUR).
- Credit cards are accepted.
- All sponsorship & exhibition prices are subject to VAT (if applicable).
- Bank charges are the responsibility of the payer.





## CANCELLATION POLICY

Cancellations requests must be sent in writing to Sponsorship & Exhibition Management Team:

E-mail: [sponsorship@mns2025.org](mailto:sponsorship@mns2025.org)

### **Cancellation charges will be as follows:**

- After the signature of the agreement form: 100% of the amount due will be charged as an administration fee.

Depending on the amount of the administration fee that will be charged, as per the previous cancellation provisions, the issuance of an invoice may be deemed necessary in case any previous invoice does not cover the final amount due as a result of the cancellation. All invoices shall be paid within a week following the date of invoice issuance.



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Delegate Services Team:

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