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# 5<sup>th</sup> Congress of the Southeast Neurosurgical Society



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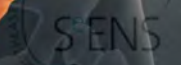
## "Creating the Future of Neurosurgery"

## OPATIJA, CROATIA

## September 21-24<sup>th</sup>, 2022



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Dear Colleagues,

It is our great pleasure to announce and invite You to the 5th Congress of Southeast European Neurosurgical Society (SeENS), which will be held in Opatija, Croatia, September 21-24 2022.



Professor Krešimir Rotim  
SeENS Congress President

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The Southeast Europe Neurosurgical Society (SeENS, [www.seens.eu](http://www.seens.eu)) as the first and unique professional association of Southeast Europe neurosurgeons, including neurosurgeons from Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Greece, Hungary, Kosovo, Moldavia, Montenegro, North Macedonia, Romania, Serbia, Slovenia and Turkey.

After successful Congresses organized in Belgrade, Serbia (2013), Sarajevo, Bosnia and Herzegovina (2015), Cluj, Romania (2017) and Thessaloniki, Greece (2019), the 5th SeENS Congress is co-organized with Department of Neurosurgery, University Hospital Center Sestre milosrdnice Zagreb and University of Applied Health Sciences Zagreb.



Professor Lukas Rasulić  
SeENS President

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The invited speakers will include the world's leading experts in the field of neurosurgery, who will contribute to the exchange of new knowledge and skills. We are expecting over 200 active participants at the Congress.

This Congress will have the patronage and support of all important State and Academic Institutions of Republic of Croatia.

We are pleased to invite You to take an active part and present your work in this Congress and to discover and enjoy the beautiful city of Opatija, the pearl of the Adriatic.

We cordially invite You to Opatija, Croatia to experience memorable scientific and social moments.



Asist Prof Tomislav Sajko  
SeENS VicePresident

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On behalf of the SeENS Presidency,

Dear Colleagues, dear Friends,

It is my great honor and pleasure to welcome You to the 5th Congress of the Southeast Europe Neurosurgical Society, which will be held in Opatija, Croatia, September 21st-24th, 2022.

In the SeENS, we share a sense and sensibility of pride in the accomplishments achieved in providing neurosurgical care, training, and research in the SouthEast Europe region by promoting expertise exchange and cooperation amongst neurosurgeons. Equally important, we are proud that we have achieved a genuine sense and sensibility of caring and sharing through the SeENS network further to develop our quest for better neurosurgery of tomorrow. We tend to provide the best possible neurosurgical care to our patients and the best possible education to young neurosurgeons in Southeast Europe.

The 5th SeENS Congress will undoubtedly be a significant landmark in that quest. This year, we are celebrating the 10th anniversary of our society. After two years of pandemics and living in unprecedented times, it will be important more than ever to reconnect again and continue our great tradition of inspiring new generations and maintaining continuity in continuous medical education.

The Congress' topics will focus on reviewing neurosurgery, looking in the past, and new advances in research and education in Neurosurgery. In short, all the ingredients are in place for a stimulating and valuable academic, scientific, educational, professional, interpersonal, and social exchange.

Let us all do our best to contribute to the 5th SeENS Congress in Opatija, Croatia, September 21st-24th, 2022, and continue to build new bridges of knowledge, understanding, and borderless cooperation.

We look forward to welcoming you to Croatia!



Professor Lukas Rasulić

SeENS President

*Lukas Rasulić*

Dear Colleagues,

Opatija, the “Pearl of the Adriatic” is highly honored to be hosting the 5th Congress of the Southeast Europe Neurosurgical Society. It goes without saying that this event, through its scientific amplitude and caliber will be the most important neurosurgical scientific event in Croatia and SouthEast Europe region.

SeENS has been made vivid as a result of the remarkable efforts of several enthusiastic and authentic road-openers such as Lukas Rasulic, Tomislav Sajko, Stefan Florian as well as many other leaders of their national societies which have brought their extraordinary contribution and experience to the continuous growth and development of our society.

Being transformed from a mere dream into an actual reality, nowadays SeENS is being considered as one of the most active regional societies, recognized member of EANS and WFNS, thoroughly involved in developing regional networks, scientific and professional cooperation, but especially dedicated to the education of new generations of neurosurgeons.

Having reached our 5th Congress, we want to express our most sincere desire of attaining a broad international participation alongside with the participation of renowned world leaders in neurosurgery. Together we wish to bring our contribution to the constant development of neurosurgery on a regional and international level.

We are waiting You with warmth and our utmost hospitality and we promise to do our best to create optimal conditions for an unique scientific event.

Looking forward to welcome you in Opatija!

Sincerely,



Professor Krešimir Rotim

SeENS Congress President

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# CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

The scientific committee welcomes the submission of abstracts for original contribution to the field in the following categories:

## TOPICS

- **Cerebrovascular Neurosurgery vs Endovascular Treatment**
- **NeuroOncology: Surgical Treatment and Novel Therapy**
- **Spine and Spinal Cord Surgery: what brings the future**
- **Education in NeuroSurgery: Classical Education vs Augmented Reality**
- **Research in Neurosurgery**

## DATES

**ABSTRACT SUBMISSION OPENING:**  
**June 1st 2022**

**ABSTRACT SUBMISSION CLOSING:**  
**September 1st 2022**

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# ORGANIZING COMMITTEE

**Professor Krešimir Rotim – 5th SeENS Congress President**  
**Associate Professor Tomislav Sajko – 5th SeENS Congress Vice President**  
**Professor Lukas Rasulić- SeENS President**  
**Domagoj Gajski, MD - Congress Secretary**

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# NEUROSURGERY NURSING SYMPOSIUM

## “Neurosurgery Nursing: Future Perspectives”

Southeast Europe Neurosurgical Society (SeENS) has the pleasure to invite neurosurgery nursing professionals to the

**Neurosurgery Nursing Symposium of the Southeast Europe region:**

**„Neurosurgery nursing: Current trends and future perspectives“.**

The theme „Neurosurgery nursing – current trends and future perspectives“ reflects the desire of neurosurgery nursing professionals to current state-of-art and future developments.

We hope you will join the Symposium as we explore the challenges and celebrate the achievements of neurosurgery nursing.



**Mrs. Vesna Svirčević, MSN, BSN, RN**  
**Head Nurse, Department of Neurosurgery**  
**UHC Sisters of charity, Zagreb, Croatia**  
**President of Croatian Neurosurgery**  
**Nurses Association**

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# REGISTRATION FEES

CATEGORY	EARLY BIRD FEE Before September 1 <sup>st</sup> 2022	REGULAR FEE After September 1 <sup>st</sup> 2022	LATE FEE & ON-SITE FEE
Physicians	300 €	350 €	350 €
Residents	50 €	70 €	90 €
Other medical specialties	200 €	250 €	250 €
Nurses	80 €	100 €	100 €
Students	Free	Free	Free
One Day Registration	100 €	100 €	100 €

## PAYMENT METHODS:

- Online by credit card
- Bank transfer
- On-site, at the Congress Info Stand

## PARTICIPATION FEE COVERS:

- Attendance at the scientific sessions
- Access in the exhibition area
- Congress materials (badge, bag, Program Handbook)
- Coffee breaks and Lunches
- Certificate of attendance with CME accreditation

In case you decide to use wire transfer, please specify the name and surname of the participant you are paying for and the event (ex. Participation Fee for SeENS Congress).

The value of the Participation Fee is the one from the moment of payment, according to the deadlines from the chart above.

Participation fee will be paid in Croatian Kunas, at the exchange rate from the payment date. In order to find out the exchange rate, please visit [www.hnb.hr](http://www.hnb.hr)



# Organizers

SEENS

Southeast Europe Neurosurgical Society

ZUJ

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# TECHICAL ORGANIZER

For all information regarding registration fee and accommodation please contact travel agency BAN TOURS d.o.o.



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