



## International Society for Cerebral Blood Flow & Metabolism

### **The ORGAN No. 36 (May 2009)**

**Dear ISCBFM Members,**

In just a few short weeks, we will all be gathered in Chicago for an event in planning for the past two years, an event that basically defines our society – Brain09. I believe that you are all going to be extremely pleased with the hard work that the local organizer (Dale Pelligrino), the program committee (chaired by Joe LaManna), and Kenes International, our conference organizer, have done.

In a little over a month from now, Koji Abe will become president of the International Society of Cerebral Blood Flow and Metabolism and he must start work in maintaining the high regard with which our society is regarded in the neuroscience community. We as members must help elect six new individuals to the Board of Directors to help him, and in addition, we must choose a president-elect to serve from 2011 to 2013. If you have not yet voted, please do so. Ballots are available on the Society website ([www.iscbfm.org](http://www.iscbfm.org)) and must be submitted by May 24, 2009. You can fill in the ballot and e-mail it to the address provided.

I look forward to see all of you in Chicago in June.

**Joel Greenberg**  
**President, ISCBFM**

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**Dear ISCBFM Members:**

The deadline for submitting your ballots for the election of members of the ISCBFM Board of Directors and its officers (24<sup>th</sup> May, 2009) is rapidly approaching. We encourage all society members to participate in this important task. Of course, our biannual ballot deadline also means that Brain-09/BrainPET-09-Chicago is close at hand. This is particularly exciting for me, as the local host. I also wish to acknowledge the Scientific Program Committee (chaired by Joseph LaManna) and the Educational Committee (chaired by Fahmeed Hyder) for their outstanding and tireless efforts. I look forward to welcoming all of you to Chicago next month.

Sincerely,

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**Dear ISCBFM member,**

My last task as Past Treasurer is to present the Treasurer's Report for 2007 to you. The figures are based on the annual financial statements for 2006 and 2007. The previous Treasurer's Report as submitted in 2007 only incorporated the accounting until February 28, 2007 and therefore slightly differs from the present one.

When I took over in January 2002, the total assets of the Society amounted to 1.199.573,21 US\$. Six years later, I could hand over to Peter Herscovitch 2.022.685,85 US\$. Thus, the assets of the Society have nearly doubled within 6 years.

I wish our Society a continuing growth!

**Wolfgang Kuschinsky, Past Treasurer**

Click on the link to see the **Treasurer's Report 2006 & 2007:**

[http://www.iscbfm.org/pdf/Treasurers\\_Report0607.pdf](http://www.iscbfm.org/pdf/Treasurers_Report0607.pdf)

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**General Assembly**

**Chicago, USA**

**Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> July 2009**

**08:00 – 08:30**

1. Approval of the minutes from the last General Assembly ( Osaka 2007)
2. Report of the Secretary (Dale Pelligrino)
  - Results of the elections
  - Membership statistics
  - Approval of Change of Constitution to allow online elections
3. Report of the Treasurer (Peter Herscovitch)
  - Approval of Accounts
  - Appointment of Auditors
4. Report of the Editor (Richard Traystman)
5. Proposal: That the next General Assembly of members be held in Barcelona in 2011
6. Welcome – New President

▶▶▶▶▶ Brain'09 / BrainPET'09 Program



**To view the program please click the link:**

<http://www2.kenes.com/brain/programme/Documents/Schedule.pdf>

**We look forward to seeing you all in Chicago!**

**For any questions with regards to the Congress, please contact: [brain@kenes.com](mailto:brain@kenes.com)**