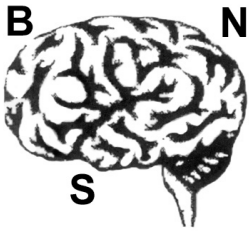
# THE BRITISH NEUROPSYCHOLOGICAL SOCIETY




**March 2009 Newsletter**

**The BNS has a new website:**
**www.the-bns.org**

## BNS Spring Meeting 2009
## Wednesday 25th –Thursday 26th March

33, Queen Square, National Hospital, London, WC1N 3BG (NB this is the new lecture theatre)

Wednesday 25th March: **President's Invited Lecture**

**Professor Alvaro Pascual-Leone**
Disrupting the Brain to Improve Behaviour

**Symposium on TMS and Recovery/Rehabilitation**
(Organizer: Professor Steve Jackson, University of Nottingham)

Thursday 26th March: **Elizabeth Warrington Prize Lecture**

**Dr. Elizabeth Jefferies**
The Neural Basis of Semantic Cognition: Evidence from Neuropsychology and TMS

**Symposium on Imaging and Recovery of Function**
(Organizer: Professor Barbara Wilson, University of Cambridge)

### Annual General Meeting 12.45pm, Thursday 26th March in the lecture theatre

**Cost: £5 per day. No pre-registration required; however, for security purposes please e-mail** Holly Toole at holly.toole@nottingham.ac.uk if you intend to attend the meeting. **Please pay at the venue.**

**The full meeting programme and abstracts can be found at http://the-bns.org/meetings.html**

## Bursaries

Postgraduate bursaries are available toward the cost of attending the Spring meeting (up to a maximum of £200 each). An application form can be downloaded from the BNS website www.the-bns.org/Bursaries.htm. Please post the completed form to: Prof. Debi Roberson, BNS Treasurer, Dept. of Psychology, University of Essex, Wivenhoe Park, Colchester, CO4 2SQ.

## Call for New Members

Applications for new associate and full members are invited for consideration at the March committee meeting. Application forms can be downloaded from the BNS website www.the-bns.org/Membership.htm.

## Other Meetings

**International Symposium: Pediatric Neurology**, Neurosurgery, NF. Eilat, Israel, March 2009. The Symposium will provide an update in the diagnoses and management of diseases of the nervous system in infants and children that may be treated surgically. An emphasis will be placed on joint, rather than parallel sessions with both neurological and neurosurgical approaches.
http://hosted.verticalresponse.com/211457/b7c9295d7a/375000616/40ee34e96f/

**Epilepsy and Memory 2009**, Dartington Hall, Devon, 3-6 May. A few places remain at a small expert meeting reviewing the interactions between epilepsy and memory. Non-speakers are invited to bring posters. The cost will be £295 (for three night's accommodation, food and registration). For further information please contact Judith.segerlund@pms.ac.uk.

**Clinical Update: Neurology for General Physicians and GPs**, The Royal Society of Medicine, London, 21 May 2009. Organised by the Royal Society of Medicine in association with Primary Care Neurology Society.
http://www.rsm.ac.uk/academ/neurology.php

**Finnish Neuropsychological Society**, International Neuropsychological Society (INS), Mid Year Meeting, starting July 29 2009, Helsinki Finland. Theme of this meeting is 'Bridging Research and Practice in Clinical Neuropsychology'. The deadline for abstract submissions is 31st January 2009. http://www.neuropsychology.fi/ins2009

**6th Satellite Symposium on Neuropsychological Rehabilitation**, Tallinn, Estonia, 3rd - 4th August 2009. In conjunction with the meeting of the Neuropsychological Rehabilitation Specialist Interest Group of the World Federation for NeuroRehabilitation (WFNR). http://pdf.koenigundmueller.de/kurs/FB090803A.pdf.

**13th Congress of the European Federation of Neurological Societies (EFNS),** Florence, Italy, September 12-15, 2009. The deadline for the submission of abstracts is March 15, 2009.
http://www.kenes.com/efns2009/mailshots/ms5.htm?ref5=db1

## Advertisements of Interest to Members:

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