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Registration

Please register for the symposium

"The retina as an interface between neurology and ophthalmology"

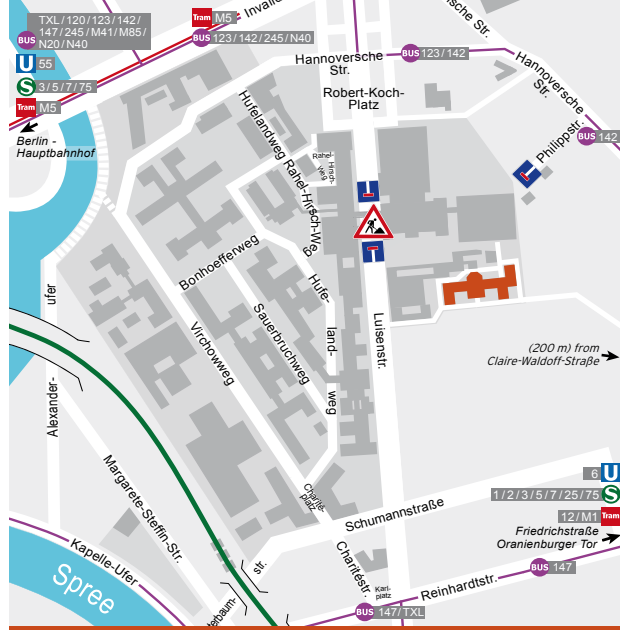
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Hereby I register for the participation in the EAN 2015 Satellite Symposium "The retina as an interface between neurology and ophthalmology".

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Directions

Charité - Universitätsmedizin Berlin, Campus Mitte

Auditorium

Friedrich-Kopsch-Hörsaal, Waldeyer Haus
- Center for anatomy of the Charité
Charité Campus Mitte
Philipplstr. 12, D-10115 Berlin

Access from Luisenstraße (between house 56 and 57),
and Claire-Waldoff-Straße (through the park)

Car parking opportunities are very limited!

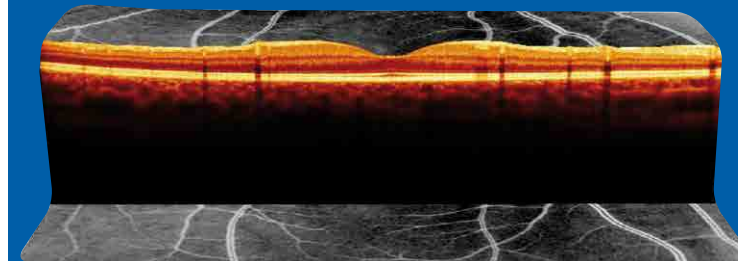
We recommend arriving by taxi or public transport!
S+U Friedrichstraße > Luisenstraße
U Oranienburger Tor > Claire-Waldoff-Straße
Bus 147, TXL > Karlplatz

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EAN 2015 Satellite Symposium

„The retina as an interface between neurology and ophthalmology“



EAN Congress
registration
not required!

Applied
for CME
credits

Friday, June 19th 2015 | 14:50-18:00 h
Berlin, Charité Campus Mitte

Dear Colleagues,

Visual impairment caused by inflammatory and demyelinating processes of the visual system is currently a hot topic in Multiple Sclerosis related research. Optical coherence tomography (OCT) has revolutionized neuro-ophthalmologic research by allowing quantification of retinal neuronal and axonal damage in micrometer resolution. OCT is on the rise of becoming a standard method for monitoring retinal damage in observational MS studies and outcome parameter in clinical trials. However, its use in clinical care is currently controversially discussed.

This year's 1st Congress of the **European Academy of Neurology (EAN)** is taking place from **20. - 23.6.2015** in Berlin. This is a great opportunity for us to invite you to this satellite symposium, in which experts from all over the world are going to give a sound insight into current research about the role of the retina in neurology. Participation is free, no registration for the main EAN congress is required.

This symposium will be rated with CME credits by the Berliner Ärztekammer.

We are looking forward to seeing you in Berlin!



Friedemann Paul



Alexander Brandt

14:50-15:00 **Welcome**

Session 1: Clinical relevance of visual system examination in neurology

Chairs: Friedemann Paul & Alexander U. Brandt
Charité - Universitätsmedizin Berlin, DE

15:00-15:30 **Key Note: The Afferent Visual Pathway: Defining Structural-Functional Correlations in Central Nervous System Disorders**

Speaker: Fiona Costello | *University of Calgary, CA*

15:30-15:45 **Clinical neurophysiology of the visual system in multiple sclerosis**

Speaker: Letizia Leocani | *San Raffaele Scientific Institute, Milano, IT*

15:45-16:00 **Erythropoietin treatment in Optic Neuritis - the TONE trial**

Speaker: Wolf Lagrèze | *University of Freiburg, DE*

16:00-16:15 **To OCT or not to OCT - is optical coherence tomography ready for routine application in multiple sclerosis?**

Speaker: Axel Petzold | *University College London, GB*

16:15-16:30 **C o f f e e B r e a k**

Session 2: Current research in retinal imaging in multiple sclerosis

Chairs: Wolf Lagrèze | *University of Freiburg, DE* & Pablo Villoslada | *IDIBAPS, Barcelona, ES*

16:30-17:00 **Key Note: The Role of the Visual System in Monitoring Neurodegeneration: Lessons from the MS Model**

Speaker: Peter Calabresi | *Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore, US*

17:00-17:15 **Defining disease heterogeneity in multiple sclerosis with the help of OCT and MRI**

Speaker: Sven Schippling | *University of Zurich, CH*

17:15-17:30 **Implementing Visual Outcomes in Clinical Trials**

Speaker: Alexander U. Brandt | *Charité - Universitätsmedizin Berlin, DE*

17:30-17:45 **Next Generation Retinal Imaging**

Speaker: Ari Green | *University of California - San Francisco, US*

17:45-18:00 **Farewell**

Afterwards: Discussion and refreshments

SPONSORS: The symposium received financial support from Biogen Idec (3000 €) and Genzyme (2500 €).
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