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Organisation for Psychological Research into Stroke

Spring



Dear OPSYRIS members,

Spring has arrived in the UK! Your OPSYRIS committee has jumped into full swing again to bring you our 2022 events. We are planning a 'How-to' webinar and have a bit more news on our annual conference. We are trying to make these events relevant for clinical practice and support networking. Hope to see many of you on there.

Best wishes,
Nele, Kathleen, Andrea and Elise

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OPSYRIS Annual Meeting

Save the date: **Friday 23rd September 2022** in Durham (UK)

The theme of the meeting is '**From research to clinical practice**'. Our keynote speakers will give you take home messages that you can immediately apply in your day to day clinical practice. The following speakers have confirmed so far:

- Eugene Tang will speak about long term cognitive change after stroke from a primary care point of view
- Eirini Kontou will discuss depression and communication problem after stroke
- Roshan Das Nair will talk about cognitive care pathways

Call for abstracts will open in May and close in July.



Spring Webinar



Our Mental Capacity webinar last year was a great success, so we would like to offer you another 'How to' webinar this Spring. Which topic would you like us to cover? How to ...

- manage mood after stroke
- assess visual inattention
- screen for vision after stroke
- recruit patients for research
- navigate NHS ethics
- differentiate between delirium and post stroke cognitive impairment
- involve patients and carers in research

Let us know here: <https://forms.office.com/r/7upCGt0CeL>

Twitter features

Did you recently have an article published in one of Division 3's five flagship journals in Experimental Psychology? Do you have a scholarly resource to share that you think is relevant to others?

Division 3 of APA (Society for Experimental Psychology and Cognitive Science) has launched a new "Request for Twitter Feature" form. They will be taking to Twitter to share recent publications and accomplishments of experimental psychologists and cognitive scientists!



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New Chair for OPSYRIS



The 2-year term for the current committee is coming to an end. We are looking for a new chair who would like to gather a small team and lead OPSYRIS into 2023. If you would like to hear more about the role, get in touch with the current chair for an informal chat:

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Young WFNR

OPSYRIS is part of the World Federation of NeuroRehabilitation (WFNR). Elia Fischer, a resident at the Department of Neurology at the University Hospital of Berne, Switzerland is setting up a young WFNR special interest group. The goal is to spark interest in young to pursue a clinical career and/or research activity in the field of neurorehabilitation. She is currently looking for 'young' colleagues who would be prepared to join the yWFNR and be motivated to contribute in developing ideas for the yWFNR and building taskforces to realize them. For further information please contact Dr Fischer (elialuca.fischer@insel.ch)

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