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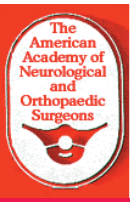


35<sup>th</sup> Annual Scientific Meeting  
June 10-11, 2011

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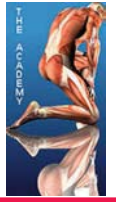


Call for Abstracts



# 35<sup>th</sup> Annual Scientific Meeting

June 10-11, 2011, Portland, Oregon



Join neurological, orthopaedic and spine surgeons, as well as neurologists and other specialists from around the nation as we gather in Portland, Oregon for our 35<sup>th</sup> Annual Scientific Meeting. The 2011 Annual Scientific Meeting is scheduled for June 10-11 and will once again be held in conjunction with the Annual Surgical Update of the United States Section of the International College of Surgeons to provide even more educational opportunities for members of the Academy.

## Course Sponsor

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This is **YOUR OPPORTUNITY** to be an integral part of this conference and support the educational goals of the Academy by submitting an abstract **ON THE TOPIC OF YOUR CHOICE** of your original investigative work, inclusive of "data-driven" case reports and clinical challenges in lecture, poster and video format. If accepted, you will present your study to an audience of your peers.

## Academy members indicate a need for presentations to address the following subjects:

Care and Options for Septic Joints

Comprehensive Treatments for Head Trauma and Traumatic Brain Injury

Diagnosis for and Treatment of Post-Operative Infection

EMF and Brain Cancer

Identification and Management of Musculoskeletal Tumors

Invasive Neuro-Radiology

Management of Arteriovenous Malformations

Medical and Surgical Ethics

Neurosurgery: Anticipating the Complications

Robotic Surgery

Soft Tissue Coverage for Limb Injuries

Spinal Surgery: How Much Hardware is Really Necessary

Spinal Disc Pathology

Stereotactic Neurosurgery

Total Knee and Hip Replacement

**SEND YOUR ABSTRACT TO:  
PPANCER@AMERITECH.NET**

After December 31, the submissions will be closed and you will not be able to submit an abstract.

Abstracts will ONLY be accepted via e-mail.

Be sure to read the guidelines below when preparing your submission.

**All Abstracts must be received by  
December 31, 2010.**

**PLEASE DIRECT ALL INQUIRIES TO:  
CME Director, Mr. Paul Pancer,  
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## **Guidelines for Submission**

1. Abstracts are being selected in neurological, orthopaedic and spinal surgery as well as other related specialties. Submitted papers should be original, contain evidence that information presented is data-driven and address the latest clinical surgical applications.
2. The title of the abstract should clearly define the topic.
3. After the title, the presenting author should be listed followed by co-authors, followed by the name of the institution(s) where the research was completed, including the city, state and country.
4. The body of the abstract should not exceed 250 words and must contain 4 separate paragraphs, one for each of the following: Purpose, Methods, Results and Conclusions.
5. Proprietary names of drugs and or instrumentation are not allowed, generic names should be used.
6. When submitting the abstract be sure to include your contact information (name, mailing address, phone number, fax number, e-mail address). Remember to indicate the surgical specialty, and if you would like your submission considered for oral, poster, or video presentation.
7. Presenting authors must complete and submit the AANOS "Conflict of Interest Disclosure and Off-Label Disclosure Policy Form" for each submitted abstract. If research was supported by a pharmaceutical company YOU MUST indicate the company's role in analyzing the data or preparing the abstract. This form will be sent to you via email with acknowledgment of receipt of your abstract.

## **About Portland...**

The host city for our 35<sup>th</sup> Annual Scientific Meeting, (June 10-11, 2011) Portland has long had a reputation for being individualistic, quirky and never keen to conform to mainstream standards. Portland boasts a laid-back style and reverence for all things local, perhaps that's exactly why the number one unwritten rule of residents is never tell the outside world what Portland is really like.

Our headquarters hotel, The Hilton Portland, is located downtown, in the city's urban core, where you will find many local arts institutions, from the museums along the tree-shaded South Park Blocks to the opulent Arlen Schnitzer Concert Hall. The "West End" offers plenty of bars and cafes and River Place encompasses a marina, waterfront shops and eateries. The environmentally friendly rail system can take you from downtown to Nob Hill where you can shop and dine in a neighborhood known for its elegant early 1900s apartment buildings as well as for its fine Victorian and Craftsman homes. There is also historic "Old Town/Chinatown" where you can stroll through the classical Chinese Gardens or go underground with Portland Walking Tours to explore the city's "Shanghai Tunnels."

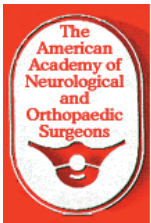


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