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19<sup>th</sup> European Congress of Clinical Neurophysiology

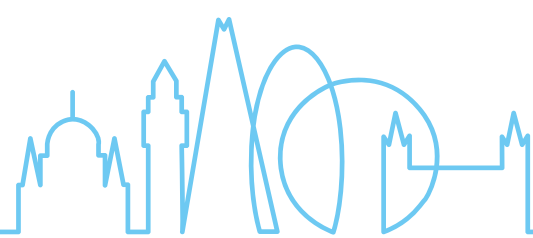
London, United Kingdom, 9th – 12th September 2025,

Westminster Central Hall,  
City of Westminster, London



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## WELCOME

Dear colleagues,

As the oldest neurophysiology society in the World, the British Society of Clinical Neurophysiology (BSCN) would like to submit a bid to host the ECCN in 2025. Our proposed theme is "NEUROPHYSIOLOGY THROUGH THE AGES" to celebrate the rich heritage of scientific discovery and advances in the field of clinical neurophysiology in the historical setting of Westminster, London. Topics will include highlights in Clinical Neurophysiology from past, to present and future in neonates to adults.

We have put together a comprehensive and exciting scientific programme that will feature keynote lectures, symposia, and workshops on the latest developments and advances in clinical neurophysiology. The congress will also provide excellent opportunities for networking and collaboration among attendees from different countries and backgrounds.

The Local Organizing and Scientific committee are thrilled to have the opportunity to host this prestigious event in one of the world's most vibrant and dynamic cities. London is home to some of the most renowned research institutions and hospitals in the field of clinical neurophysiology, making it the perfect location for ECCN in 2025. In addition, we plan to arrange several social events that will allow attendees to experience the rich cultural heritage and diverse offerings of London. We are confident that our vision will make this congress in London memorable.

We look forward to formally working with you towards hosting an engaging and productive congress in London.

Warm regards



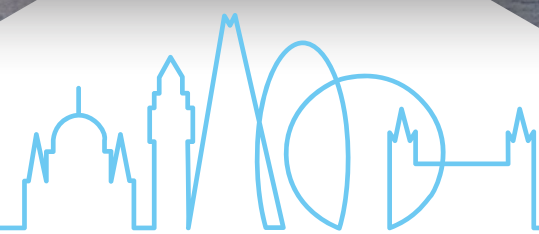
Jacquie Deeb

**Chair, Local Organizing Committee -  
European Congress of Clinical Neurophysiology 2025**



Ronit Pressler

**Chair, Scientific Committee -  
European Congress of Clinical Neurophysiology 2025**



## EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

It is with great pleasure that we submit our bid to host the 19<sup>th</sup> edition of the European Congress of Clinical Neurophysiology (ECCN) in London in 2025.

The British Society of Clinical Neurophysiology (BSCN), with its origins as The EEG Society under Lord E.D. Adrian in 1942, is the oldest neurophysiology society in the world and recently celebrated its 80<sup>th</sup> anniversary. The BSCN commits - as part of this bid - to be an active and innovative host of ECCN as all 400 members commit to hosting Congress, for the first time in its history, in London.

ECCN2025 will take the place of the ordinarily hosted Autumn Academic BSCN meeting and the International Triennial residential teaching course to be held in 2025 and will therefore benefit from a high and guaranteed attendance from the United Kingdom.

The BSCN has worked in close collaboration with the Association of Neurophysiological Scientists (ANS) UK leading to the formation of a National Audit group in 2010 producing National Guidelines in clinical practice. We are planning a joint academic meeting in Autumn 2023 and we hope many of our ANS colleagues will also attend.

Education forms the integral purpose of the BSCN and it has solely and jointly organised:

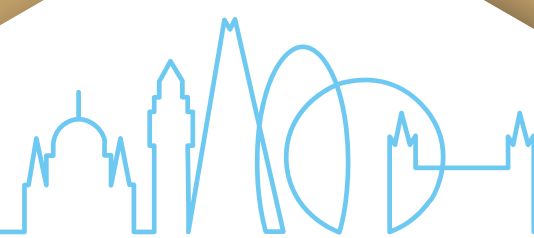
The International Congress of Clinical Neurophysiology (Edinburgh, 2006); Joint Scientific Meeting with the French Society (Oxford, 2014); Joint Scientific Meeting with the Spanish Society (Malaga, 2016); International Triennial Residential Teaching Course (Oxford, 2022); National Neurophysiology Training Days; Annual Scientific Meetings (three per year).

We propose the congress theme "NEUROPHYSIOLOGY THROUGH THE AGES". We submit our bid to host ECCN 2025 with the aim to celebrate the rich heritage of scientific discovery and advances in the field of clinical neurophysiology and how it has evolved with a historical perspective of its clinical utility from neonates to adults.

To aptly deliver this theme we have chosen Central Hall Westminster as our preferred principal venue. A building that meets all modern congress requirements but, sitting on a site of historical importance at the heart of Central London (Westminster) and dating back to 1912, brings historical and cultural interest of its own.

We believe that in the pages that follow you will be reassured of our commitment to host a leading scientific and educational meeting that - with support from government, commercial and professional partners - will deliver an inclusive and diverse meeting that is accessible and affordable for all.

**On behalf of the ECCN 2025 Bid Team and the BSCN**



## GOVERNANCE, COMMITTEES, SECRETARIAT, OCEC

We understand that the OCEC consists of:

Convener; Secretary and/or treasurer; 3 (three) members of the national host society; 5 (five) members of the Executive Committee of EC-IFCN;

1 (one) other EC-IFCN delegate; Representatives of the Professional Congress Organiser (PCO).

### Our Local Organising Committee would consist of:

<b>Dr Jacquie Deeb</b>	<i>Chair of the Local Organising Committee, Consultant in Clinical Neurophysiology, London and President, BSCN</i>
<b>Dr Sushma Goyal</b>	<i>Consultant Paediatric Clinical Neurophysiologist, Evelina London Children's Hospital, GSTT and London and International Secretary, BSCN</i>
<b>Dr Gareth Payne</b>	<i>Consultant Neurophysiologist, President-elect BSCN and Wales Clinical Neurophysiology Regional Speciality Advisor</i>
<b>Dr Mark Baker</b>	<i>Consultant Clinical Neurophysiologist, Royal Victoria Infirmary, Newcastle, Clinical Senior Lecturer, Newcastle University Translational and Clinical Research Institute and Treasurer, BSCN</i>
<b>Dr Syed Shah</b>	<i>Consultant Clinical Neurophysiologist, Leeds and Webmaster and Digital Lead, BSCN</i>
<b>Dr Jiten Mistry &amp; Dr Daniela Quayle</b>	<i>ATCN Representative (Association of Trainees in Clinical Neurophysiology)</i>
<b>Kelly Bill</b>	<i>ANS Representative and physiologists representative</i>
<b>Georgina Carr</b>	<i>Patient Representative, National Neuroscience Alliance Group</i>
<b>Louise Jones</b>	<i>Administrator, BSCN</i>

### Our Scientific Committee would consist of:

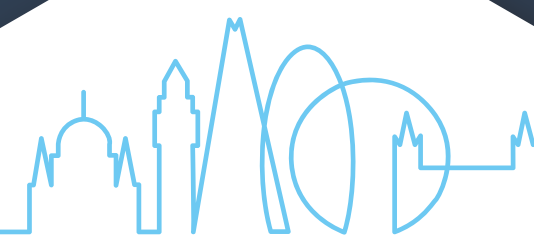
#### Associate Professor Ronit Pressler

*Consultant Paediatric Clinical Neurophysiologist, Great Ormond Street Hospital, London and Secretary, BSCN*

Chair of the Scientific Committee responsible for the Scientific Programme.

Also responsible for abstract submission, judging and notification, in collaboration with the Scientific Organising Committee comprising 15 - 20 senior scientists from the host country (UK) and the EC-IFCN.

**Professor Jonathan Cole (UK); Professor Walter Paulus (D); Professor Martin Koltzenburg (UK); Professor Hatice Tankisi (DK); Professor Anita Kamondi (HU); Professor Andrea Antal (D); Professor Sandor Beniczky (DK); Professor Roger Barker (UK); Professor Matthew Walker (UK); Professor Geraldine Boylan (IRL); Dr Alan Forster (UK); Professor Stephan Goedee (NL); Professor Stephan Ruegg (CH).**

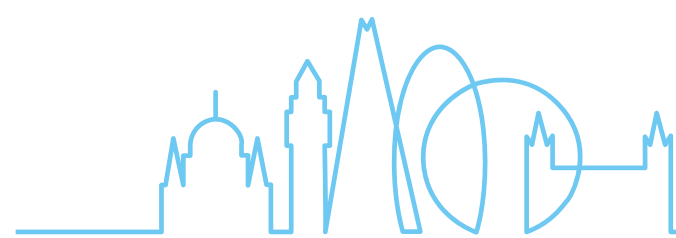


## Our Faculty would comprise of:

<b>EEG</b>	Nick Kane (UK); Matthew Walker (UK); John Duncan (UK); Eugen Trinkla (AU); Peter Kaplan (US); Sandor Beniczky (DK); Philip Kahane (CH); Stephan Ruegg (CH); Helen Cross (UK); Sameer Zuberi (UK); Geraldine Boylan (IRL); Mark Richardson (UK)
<b>VEP/ERG</b>	Graham Holder (UK/SG)
<b>EMG</b>	Martin Koltzenburg (UK); Roger Barker (UK); Joe Jabre (US); Hugh Bostok (UK); Hatice Tankisi (Dk); Doreen Fialho (UK); Mike Fox (UK); Matthew Pitt (UK); Yann Pereon (FR)
<b>IOM</b>	Alan Forster (UK); Francesco Sala (IT); David McDonald (IT)
<b>TMS</b>	Walter Paulus (D)
<b>Ultrasound</b>	Jeremy Bland (UK); Stephan Goede (NL)
<b>Movement Disorders</b>	Roberto Eleopra (IT); Carla Cordivari (UK)
<b>Autonomic</b>	Jalesh Panicker (UK); Valeria Iodice (UK)
<b>Uroneurophysiology</b>	Jalesh Panicker (UK); David Vodusek (CR)

## Our Programme would consist of:

<b>Education Session</b>	Day 1 - 20 teaching courses (additional fee)
<b>Scientific Session</b>	Days 2 - 4 Scientific Programme;
<b>Scientific Programme</b>	3 (three) Plenary Sessions (AM only); 2 (two) Memorial Lecture(s)
<b>Scientific Programme</b>	5 (five) Parallel Sessions 5 (maximum)
<b>Industry Symposia</b>	2 (two) (AM only) in Parallel Sessions; 3 (three) in evening/noon
<b>Special Sessions</b>	TBC for healthcare scientists (technicians)
<b>Poster Sessions</b>	Days 2 - 4
<b>Workshops</b>	Day 2 - 4 Hands-on sessions



## Our Secretariat would comprise of:

### Staff from BSCN

**Louise Jones** Administrator, BSCN

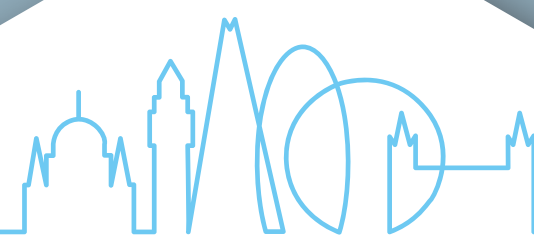
**PCO Worldspan plc** Worldspan is an ABPCO (Association of British Professional Conference Organisers) and IAPCO (International Association of Professional Congress Organisers) accredited PCO (Professional Conference Organiser). Worldspan is celebrating 50 years of continuous business in the field and has significant experience working with national and international healthcare associations, globally. Working across all disciplines required to deliver successful and sustainable congress, Worldspan was appointed to support ECCN2025 as a result of an open procurement process.

Support services include: Governance; Project Management; Finance and Budget Management; Registration and Delegate Management; Sponsorship and Exhibition Sales and Management; Design and Digital; Marketing and Promotion; Delegate Experience; Social and Fringe; Housing and Accommodation Management; Transport and Transfers; Technical and Production; Speaker and Faculty Management.

[www.worldspanplc.com](http://www.worldspanplc.com)

Worldspan has considerable experience working in the field of medical and healthcare-related congresses and conferences and clients include:

Importantly, Worldspan works across association, not-for-profit, government and corporate client business and has particular experience of working in with healthcare and pharmaceutical clients. This gives Worldspan unique insight into the relationship between professional societies and their industry supporters.



## DEMONSTRABLE EXPERIENCE

### CASE STUDY 1

#### VIRTUAL, HYBRID AND IN-PERSON FOR THE ROYAL SOCIETY OF STATISTICIANS

We are in our third year of providing support to the in-house team at the Royal Statistical Society. We started to work with them in 2020 when we worked together to move their flagship annual conference online. In 2021, we worked with them again to produce a hybrid or “blended” version of the same event. In 2022, we worked with them again as they return to in-person conferencing.



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### CASE STUDY 2

#### ASSOCIATION FOR MEDICAL EDUCATION IN EUROPE

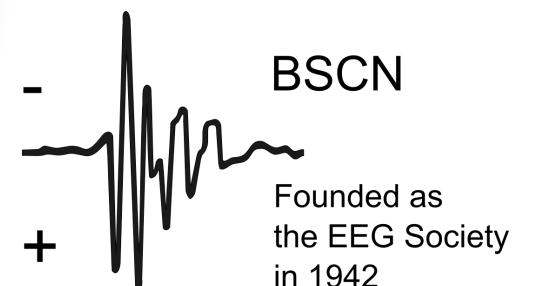
We first worked with AMEE in 2011. Our first task being to completely redesign the registration process and delegate journey to conference. We rationalised five complex systems into one, new streamlined experience. For 10 years we worked with AMEE to improve conference content and grow revenue. We created compelling sponsorship and exhibition packages and customised for strategic partners. Attendance revenue grew by 40% to 4010 attendees; sponsorship and exhibition revenue grew by 143% (to 2019).



### CASE STUDY 3

#### CORE-PCO TO THE SOCIETY FOR MEDICAL SIMULATION IN EUROPE

We provide core-PCO services to the Society for Medical Simulation in Europe. From a pre-pandemic in-person conference for 700 (academic venue in Glasgow, UK) in 2019 to a fully-virtual conference in 2021 (1000) and a return to in-person (convention centre, Seville, Spain) in 2022, we acted as trusted advisors to the association and also deliver secretariat services to their Board of Trustees. We have helped SESAM to grow from a special interest group to a fully mature association. We generate all revenue for the Society and our sales effort for conference creates revenues that enable SESAM to continue to grow. We produce year-on-year increases of 20% (past 5 years).





## REFERENCES

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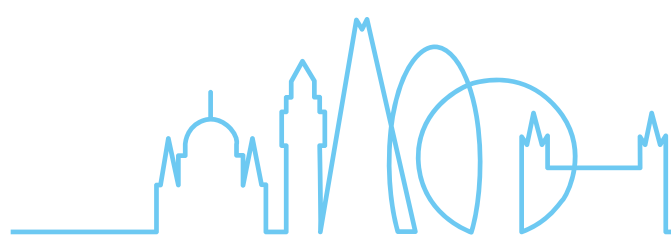
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## LETTERS OF WELCOME AND SUPPORT

We are pleased to include letters of support from stakeholders, intermediaries, supporters and colleagues in support of our bid.



London, 14<sup>th</sup> January 2023

Professor Hatice Tankisi

President of Europe, Middle East & Africa Chapter of the International Federation of Clinical Neurophysiology

Dear Professor Tankisi,

**Subject:** Letter of support for Candidate city London to host the 19<sup>th</sup> European Congress of Clinical Neurophysiology in 2025

I am writing to express my strong support for London as the host city for the 2025 European Congress of Clinical Neurophysiology. As the President of the Royal College of Physicians, I can attest to London's reputation as a world-class centre for clinical neurophysiology and its outstanding infrastructure in this field.

London is home to some of the most prestigious medical institutions in Europe, including the National Hospital for Neurology and Neurosurgery, Institute of Neurology, Great Ormond Street Hospital for Children and King's College, all of which have a wealth of experience and expertise in neurophysiology and neurology. These institutions are at the forefront of neurophysiological research and clinical practice, and their presence in London would ensure that the meeting attendees have access to the latest developments and knowledge in the field.

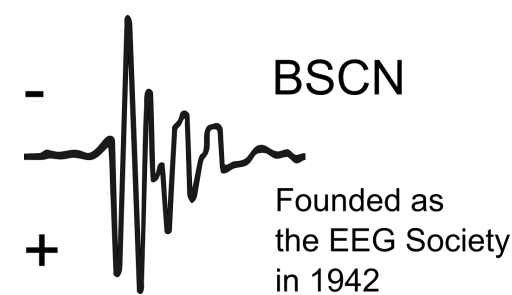
Furthermore, London has a long-standing tradition of hosting successful international medical conferences, and I am confident that the city's excellent transportation infrastructure and easy accessibility from major airports make it an ideal location for an international meeting such as this one. London is also home to a diverse population and a vibrant cultural scene, which would provide attendees with an enriching experience both professionally and personally.

I therefore wholeheartedly add my endorsement to this initiative.

Sincerely,

Professor Sarah Clarke

President of The Royal College of Physicians



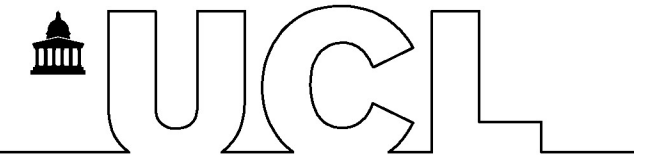
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President, Europe-Middle East-Africa Chapter  
International Federation of Clinical Neurophysiology,  
Department of Clinical Neurophysiology,  
Aarhus University Hospital, Aarhus, Denmark

London, 11/04/2023

Dear Professor Tankisi

**Re: Letter of support for the BSCN to host the 19th ECCN in 2025**

As the chair of the European Board of the International League against Epilepsy (ILAE), I am writing this letter in support of the British Society of Clinical Neurophysiology's bid to host the European Congress of Clinical Neurophysiology (ECCN) meeting in 2025 in London. As you are aware, the work of the ILAE is closely linked to Clinical Neurophysiology and traditionally many Neurophysiologists attend meetings of the ILAE and visa verse.

The British Society of Clinical Neurophysiology is a highly respected organization in the field of clinical neurophysiology, with a long-standing reputation for excellence. They have demonstrated their ability to organize successful meetings and have the necessary expertise to ensure that the ECCN meeting in London is a success. London is home to some of the world's leading hospitals, universities, and research institutions, which will provide an excellent platform for showcasing the latest developments in clinical neurophysiology and would be of great interest for many epileptologists in Europe.

In summary, I fully support the British Society of Clinical Neurophysiology's bid to host the ECCN meeting in 2025 in London and look forward to attending the meeting.

Yours sincerely,

**Professor Matthew Walker**  
Department of Clinical and Experimental Epilepsy  
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26<sup>th</sup> August 2022

Dear Professor Hatice Tankisi, MD, PhD.

### ECCN – European Congress of Clinical Neurophysiology 2025

I am delighted to hear that London is being considered as the host destination for the ECCN in 2025 and I would like to add our support on behalf of the city.

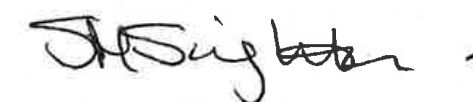
London is a dynamic global business and life sciences hub, and its energy, creativity, and diversity attracts the best international talent and investment in all aspects of the life sciences sector and medical research. Home to historic medical breakthroughs and world-class research centres, universities and hospitals, London is home to many innovative science clusters, including:

- The **'Knowledge Quarter'** - an area covering a one-mile radius near King's Cross station where over 100 institutions and start-up companies across a range of science and research disciplines including machine learning and artificial intelligence, exchange knowledge and collaborate in exciting new cross-disciplinary research projects.
- **SC1** - London's newest life science district, founded by King's Health Partners, Guy's & St Thomas' Foundation, and the local city councils. Centrally located near London Bridge, SC1 aims to transform healthcare, accelerate innovation and bring together local services with leading institutions and businesses.
- **Canary Wharf** - already home to several leading healthcare and life sciences-focused organisations, with the opening in 2026 of the largest commercial wet lab-enabled life science building in Europe, Canary Wharf is set to become another world-leading cluster for research.

Furthermore, with six international airports and direct flights from over 400 destinations around the globe, London is one of the best-connected cities on the planet, making it easy for delegates to travel here. The capital also offers accommodation for every budget and a thriving and constantly evolving cultural scene, with world-class restaurants, theatres, galleries and museums, ensuring your delegates will have an enjoyable as well as a productive time.

I very much hope we will have the opportunity to welcome ECCN to London in 2025.

Yours sincerely



Suzanne Singleton  
Head of Associations



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27 January 2023

Dear Professor Hatice Tankisi, MD, PhD

### Letter in support of London's bid to host the European Congress of Clinical Neurophysiology

I am delighted to learn that London is bidding to welcome the European Congress of Clinical Neurophysiology (ECCN) in 2025.

I fully endorse this bid, which we have financially supported through our Business Events Growth Programme, and I know that our partners within the UK Events industry will deliver a magnificent and successful event for all of your participants.

Britain is one of the most dynamic and exciting global destinations and will be a popular choice for your delegates, facilitating research, innovation and education through your event. London, in particular, has world-class research centres, universities, hospitals, and is home to many life sciences, medical research and science clusters.

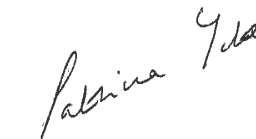
Alongside our cutting-edge research community, London offers all the key ingredients for a successful conference. The facilities of the convention centre and the infrastructure developed to support events will complement your conference programme. Delegates can continue networking in one of our many unique pubs or restaurants, or explore many of the city's visitor attractions which includes world-leading museums - many of which offer free admission.

You will be guaranteed a warm welcome and an unforgettable experience, one of the many reasons why Britain is the perfect choice for events.

As the national tourism agency for Britain, VisitBritain will work closely with our colleagues in London, England and throughout Britain, to ensure delegates are given every assistance to make the most of their visit to Britain. Naturally, we hope that many will choose to extend their visits to experience the rich history, culture and countryside.

I hope to have demonstrated London is a strong and competitive option for your consideration.

Yours sincerely,



Patricia Yates, CEO, VisitBritain



16th January 2023

Professor Hatice Tankisi

President of Europe, Middle East & Africa Chapter of the International Federation of Clinical Neurophysiology

Dear Professor Tankisi,

**Subject:** Letter of support for Candidate city London to host the 19<sup>th</sup> European Congress of Clinical Neurophysiology in 2025

As the Chair of the Association of Neurophysiology Scientists (ANS) I am writing to express my unreserved support for London as the host city for the 2025 European Congress of Clinical Neurophysiology. London has a long history of excellence in the field of Neurophysiology with an outstanding infrastructure in teaching and training within its field both for medical and scientific professionals.

The Association of Neurophysiology Scientists (ANS) have an excellent working relationship with the British society of Clinical Neurophysiologist (BSCN) collaborating on professional and training programmes to ensure the highest standard of Neurophysiology care is provided.

ANS and the BSCN are holding a joint congress in London in 2023. This will host over 200 candidates, both medical and scientific/physiologists. The meeting will be hosted in London with national and international speakers. This is an excellent example of the collaborative working relationships between our two societies.

London has excellent transport infrastructure and has a diverse population and a vibrant cultural scene; so I am confident it will be an outstanding host for this international meeting.

I therefore enthusiastically give my whole support to London as a candidate to host the European Congress of Clinical Neurophysiology 2025.

Sincerely,

Kelly Bill

Hon Chair, Association of Neurophysiology Scientists

## DESTINATION, DATES AND VENUES

### Proposed Destination - London, United Kingdom

BSCN are confident that a London bid will not only attract a record number of delegates from the UK (see note above re: annual BSCN meeting) but also internationally.

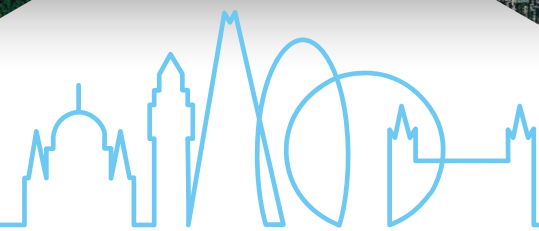
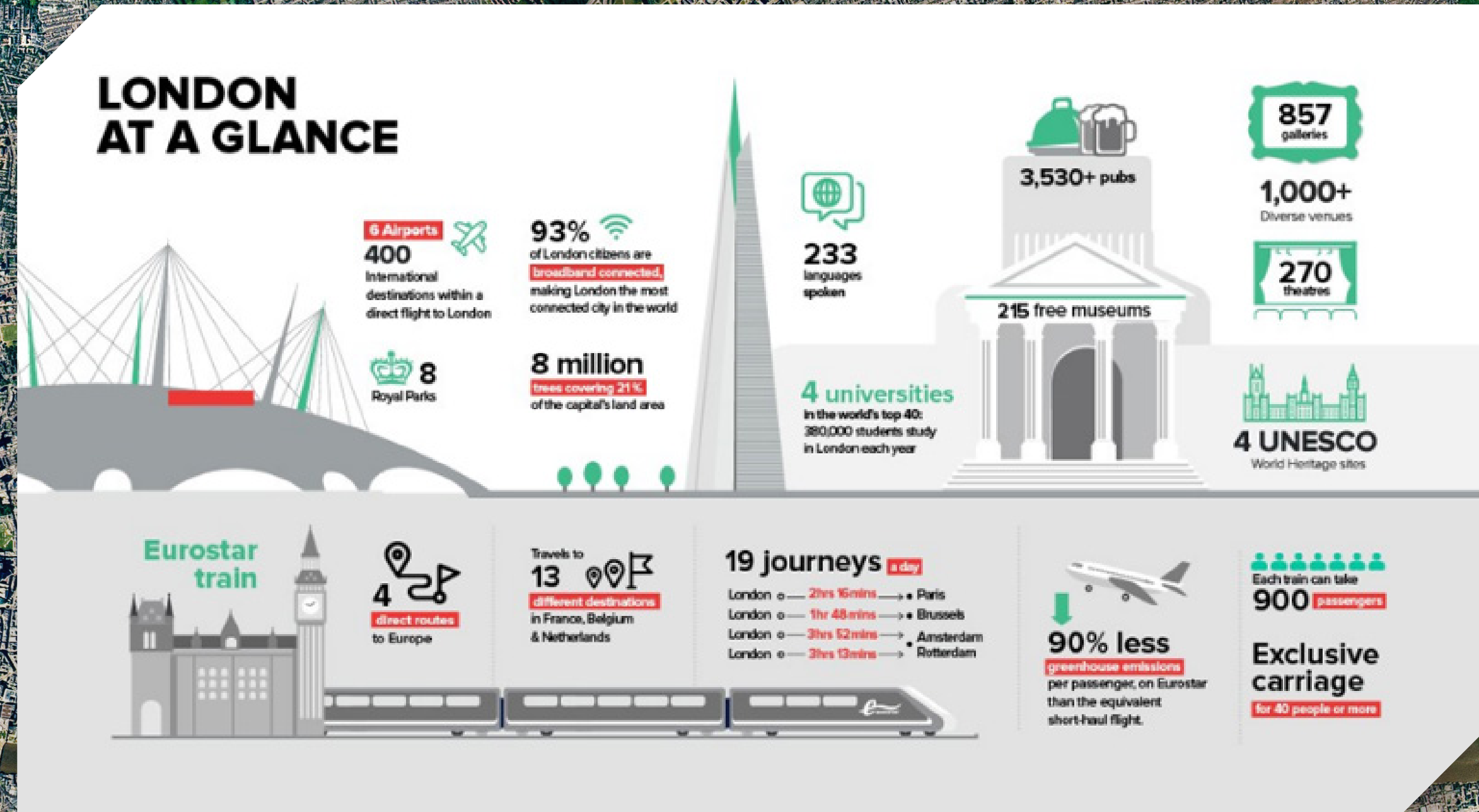
Research from London and Partners, the official convention bureau and tourism partner for the London, can demonstrate the attractiveness of London as a destination for international congress with a significant number of delegates i) visiting for the first time; ii) extending their stay to visit family and friends; iii) combining a visit and/or congress attendance with other professional meetings and engagements.

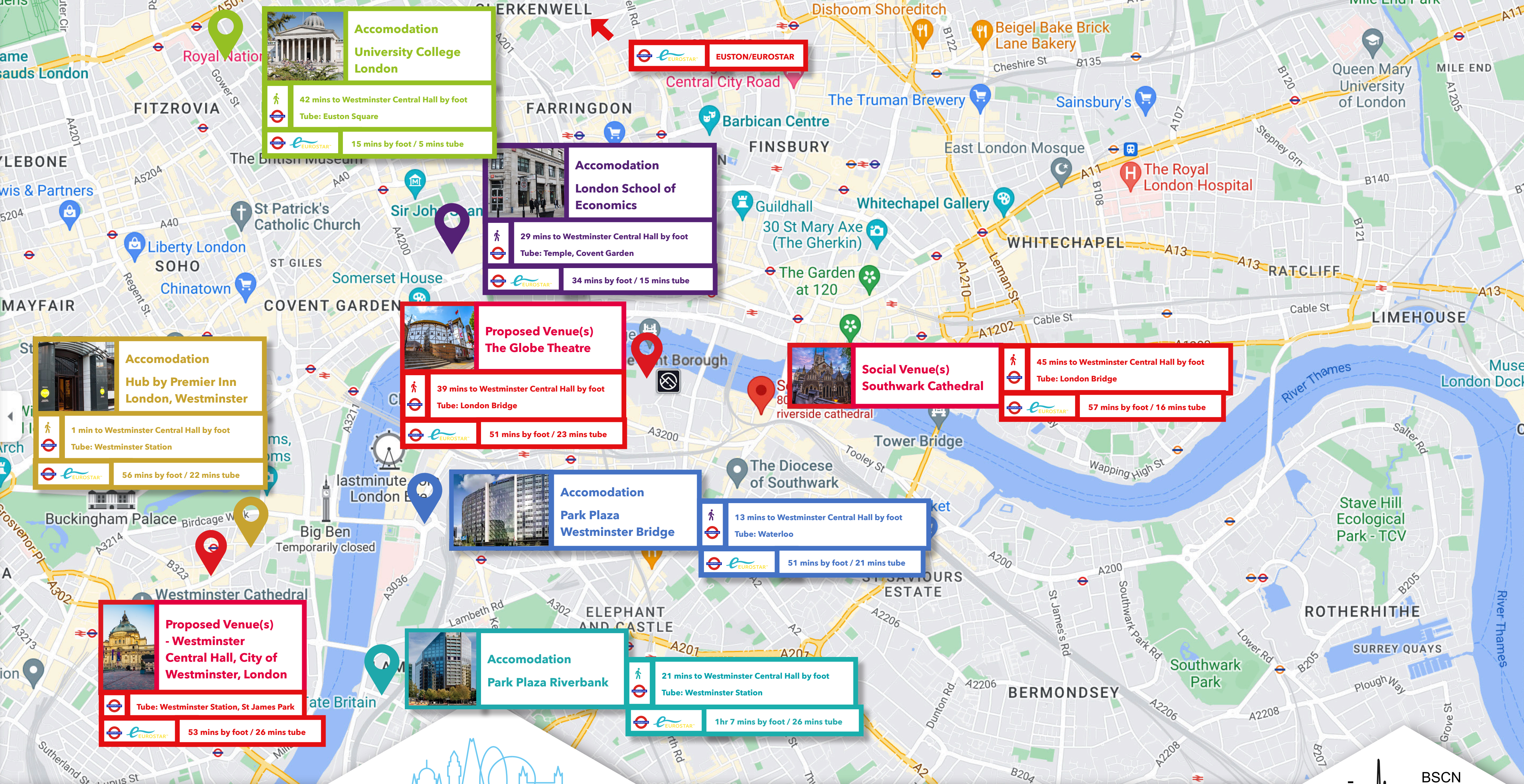
London has a choice of 6 airports serving over 400 worldwide destinations making it one of the most directly connected city destinations in the World. Accommodation is plentiful and to suit all budgets (and within walking distance of our preferred principal venue) with the addition of proposed "friends and family" and "buddy" scheme to assist those on limited budgets or bursaries.

### Proposed Dates - 9th - 12th September 2025

BSCN and Secretariat have completed all due diligence and chosen dates to avoid as much as possible clashes with other similar conferences.

Alternative dates (in June 2025) are also being held at our preferred principal venue.





**Accommodation**  
**University College London**

42 mins to Westminster Central Hall by foot  
Tube: Euston Square

15 mins by foot / 5 mins tube

**EUSTON/EUROSTAR**

**Accommodation**  
**London School of Economics**

29 mins to Westminster Central Hall by foot  
Tube: Temple, Covent Garden

34 mins by foot / 15 mins tube

**Accommodation**  
**Hub by Premier Inn London, Westminster**

1 min to Westminster Central Hall by foot  
Tube: Westminster Station

56 mins by foot / 22 mins tube

**Proposed Venue(s)**  
**The Globe Theatre**

39 mins to Westminster Central Hall by foot  
Tube: London Bridge

51 mins by foot / 23 mins tube

**Social Venue(s)**  
**Southwark Cathedral**

45 mins to Westminster Central Hall by foot  
Tube: London Bridge

57 mins by foot / 16 mins tube

**Accommodation**  
**Park Plaza Westminster Bridge**

13 mins to Westminster Central Hall by foot  
Tube: Waterloo

51 mins by foot / 21 mins tube

**Proposed Venue(s)**  
**Westminster Central Hall, City of Westminster, London**

Tube: Westminster Station, St James Park

53 mins by foot / 26 mins tube

**Accommodation**  
**Park Plaza Riverbank**

21 mins to Westminster Central Hall by foot  
Tube: Westminster Station

1hr 7 mins by foot / 26 mins tube

## Proposed Venue(s) - Westminster Central Hall, City of Westminster, London

We propose a principal venue in the heart of Central London.

<https://www.c-h-w.com/contact/location/>

You can take a virtual tour here:

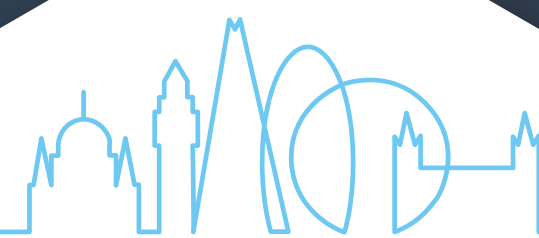
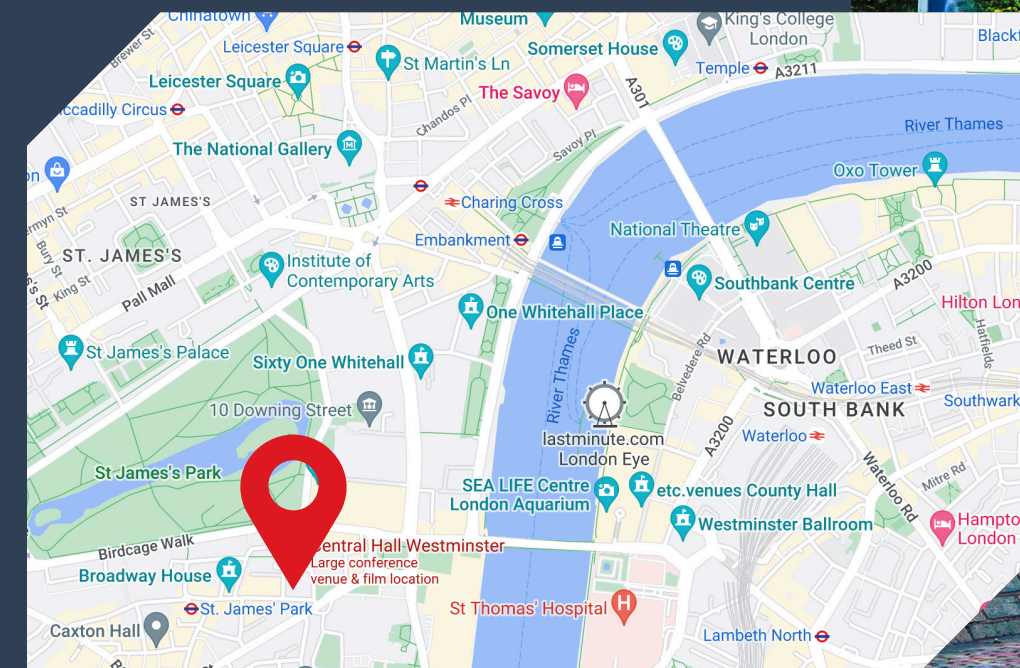
<https://www.c-h-w.com/video/>

Central Hall Westminster is one of the largest conference and events venue in Central London. With 23 varied rooms and spaces the venue is ideally suited to hosting core ECCN2025 programme requirements but also additional training days and courses.

The Grade II\* listed building was first inaugurated as a public meeting space for the Methodist Church in 1912 and has a rich and varied history reflecting use as a venue but also of the site on which it now sits. The venues sits within a walkable city-wide campus and with remarkable views and access to iconic sites including Westminster Abbey, Houses of Parliament and more.

### Exhibition Floor Space(s)

The Lecture Hall and The Library are adjoining spaces with direct access from The Grand Foyer. When combined they can accommodate up to 1,000 delegates. Exhibition capacity is 292 square metres to accommodate shell scheme for 15 - 20 sponsors and exhibitors (including partners associations and societies). Additional space is available in The Grand Foyer and directly adjacent to The Auditorium. A distinct and separate space is available for Posters.



## Proposed Venue(s) - Social Venue(s)

We are proposing a number of unique and iconic spaces within walking distance of our preferred principal venue and in support of our concept of a “walkable campus” for the congress. Moreover, we have purposely chosen venues that are not-for-profit or Community Interest Company (CIC) in our effort to leave a meaningful legacy for congress and to benefit local communities in Central London.

### Social Venue - The Globe Theatre - Congress Dinner

Shakespeare's Globe is a world-renowned performing arts venue, cultural attraction and education centre located on the bank of the River Thames in London.

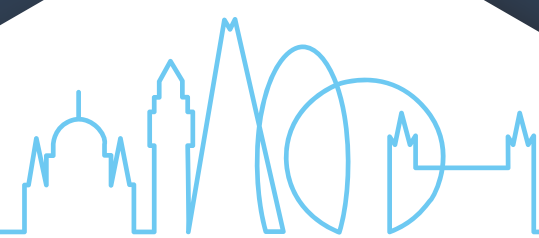
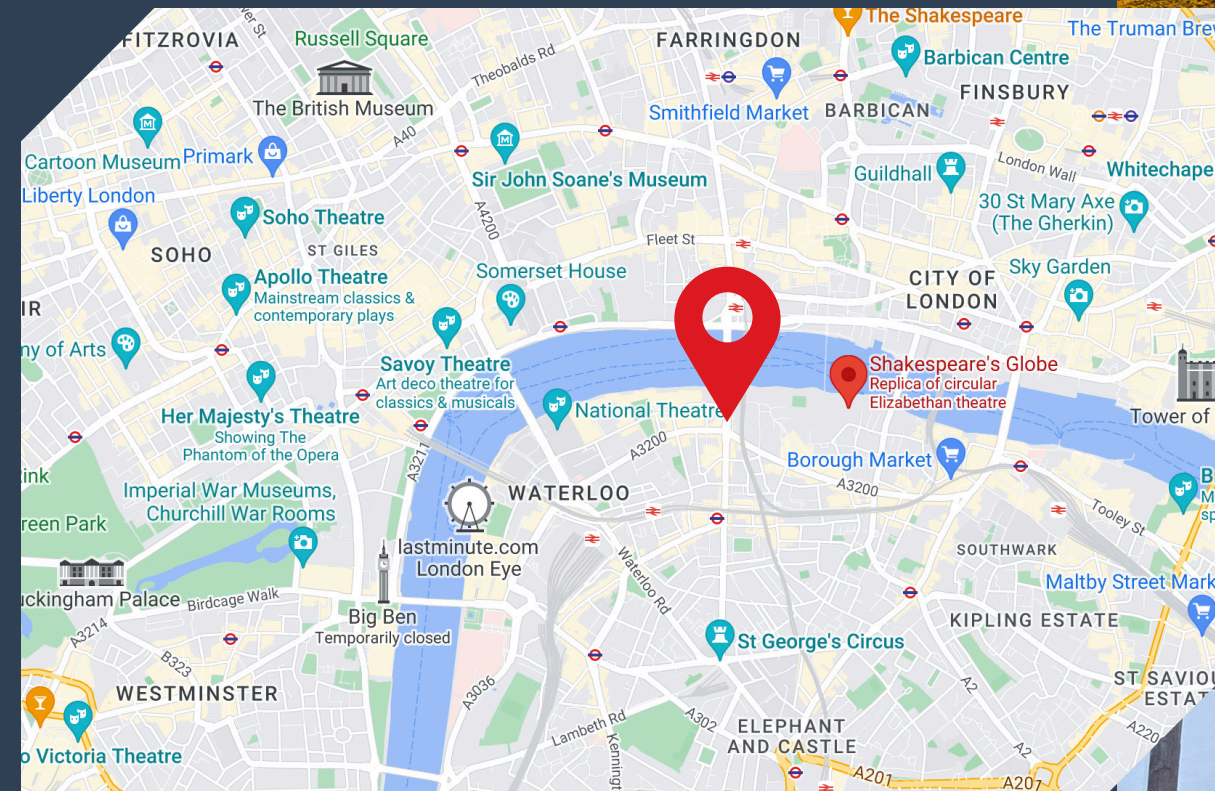
In one of two unique theatre spaces, we are able to host our **Conference Dinner**.

We are proposing that the Conference Dinner be a less formal i.e. not seated event in order to be more inclusive and keep our delegate group together for the evening.

We are confident that we can host an event with a multi-cultural focus with elements of Shakespeare and spoken word as our entertainment. Extending our historic theme to this important event in the social programme will work well with our overall theme.

Note: We are currently holding provisional dates at this venue.

<https://www.shakespearesglobe.com/>



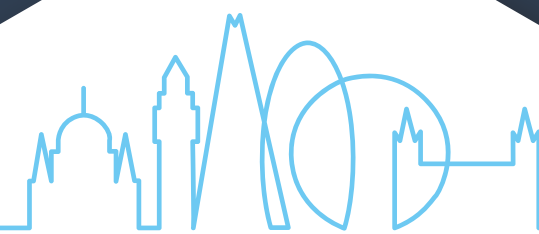
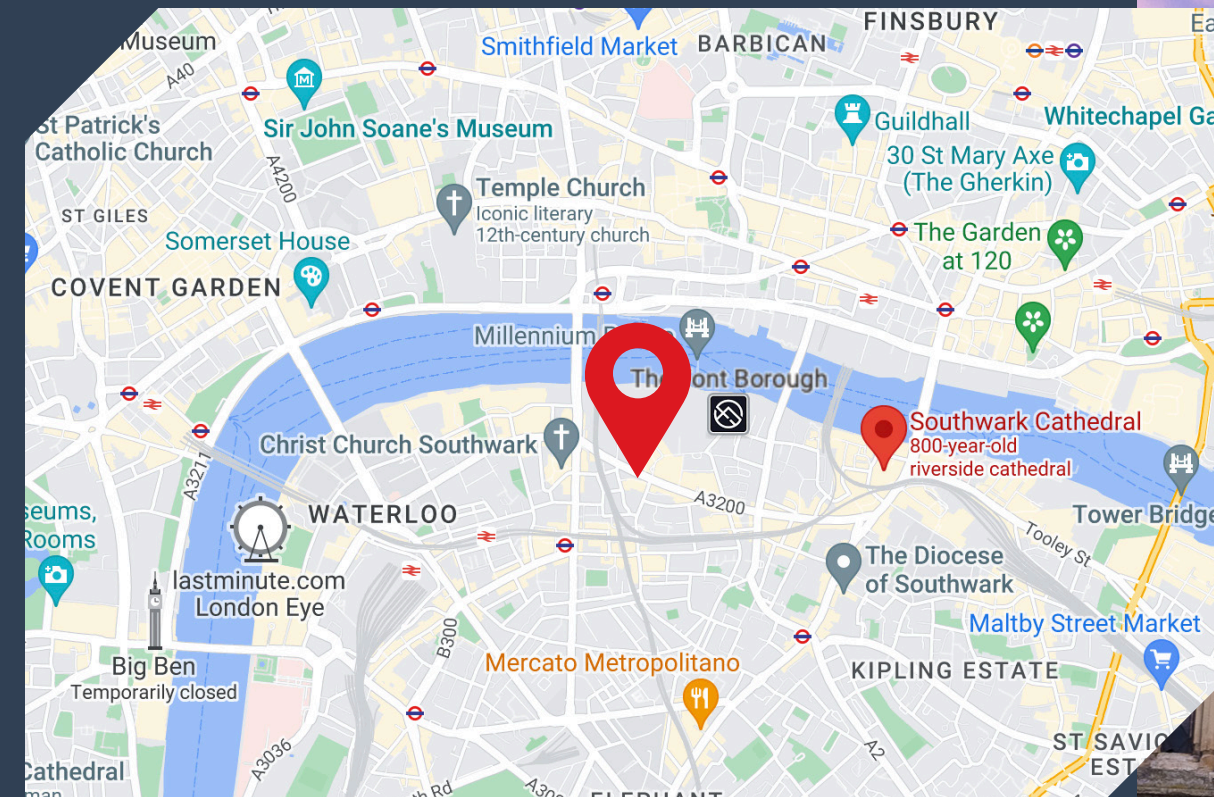


## Social Venue - Southwark Cathedral - Drinks Reception

Southwark Cathedral is a venue not often visited by tourists. Conveniently located near London Bridge but within walking distance of our principal preferred venue, it provides a dramatic backdrop for a social event with the added benefit of outside space should weather conditions allow (we would like to consider that option in September).

We are keen to bring delegates to visit this vibrant community in the heart of Central London and, in doing so, support the outreach projects led by the Cathedral. The opportunity to use the outdoor spaces will give us a dramatic architectural backdrop for a relaxed and informal **Drinks Reception**.

*Note: We are currently holding provisional dates at this venue.*



## HOUSING AND ACCOMMODATION

London has a remarkable range of affordable accommodation available at all times of the year. For us, the September scheduling allows us to also consider some pre-term student accommodation for those delegates on extremely limited budgets of bursaries. That said, there are many 3 and 4 star rated hotel (and other) accommodation options within walking distance of our principal preferred venue and proposes social venues. This selection will help us to keep our “walkable campus” in play.

Our Secretariat and PCO will source, select and contract an adequate housing block to provide a choice of accommodation options and administer bookings and payments as part of the service to faculty and delegates.

### Park Plaza Westminster Bridge - Faculty and 1st Congress Hotel

Overlooking the iconic Houses of Parliament and a short walk across Westminster Bridge to our principal preferred venue, this large, modern, 4 star property is part of the Radisson Hotel Group.

<https://www.parkplazawestminsterbridge.com/>

### Park Plaza Riverbank - 2nd Congress Hotel

A short walk along the river from Westminster Bridge, the sister hotel of Park Plaza Westminster Bridge offers additional, comparable accommodation at an affordable rate. Again, unrivalled views of the Thames and iconic riverside architecture adds significantly to the delegate and visitor experience of the City.

<https://www.parkplazariverbank.com/>

### Hub by Premier Inn London, Westminster - 3rd Congress Hotel

<https://www.premierinn.com/gb/en/hotels/england/greater-london/london/hub-london-westminster-st-james-park.html>

To the North side of the river and one block from our principal preferred venue, the Hub by Premier Inn (and sister property to the South side of the river) offers a modern but affordable housing option.



## Student Accommodation - University College London and London School of Economics

We propose adding a number of options to the housing and accommodation block to include student accommodation and/or lodging close to our principal preferred venue.

Indeed, accommodation offered by known institutions including the London School of Economics and the University of London is often sought after and a welcome change to hotel accommodation for some.

<https://www.visitlondon.com/where-to-stay/campus>

### "Buddy Scheme"

We would like to propose a "Buddy Scheme" for those on extremely limited budgets or bursaries. We propose asking our volunteers and student "helpers" to offer accommodation (if an option) to visiting delegates. This may help to house a number of delegates at no cost (free-of-charge) but as importantly, to create additional networking opportunities and a welcome for first-time-attendees. This scheme will be administered by the Secretariat at no additional cost to the congress budget or delegates themselves.

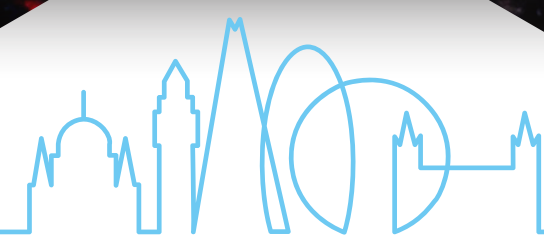
#### Note:

*We propose negotiating a best room rate with Accor Group (owners of Park Plaza properties). In addition to the two properties listed, the group has additional properties within easy walking distance of our principal preferred venue and we (and they) have flexibility to offer our delegates greater choice of accommodation. We are holding a controlled block in a two venues to allow us to have a "congress hotel" to house Faculty and more.*

*Hotels in London typically run at 85% capacity all year (driven by leisure tourism). These prices are based on rates in September at current rates. It is prudent to allow for some inflationary increase in these prices.*

*We have anticipated a block based on some attendees choosing to stay fewer than our full four-day programme i.e. Scientific Programme nights only (but recognising that some Faculty will join us for course days also).*

	Grade	Price (GBP)	Block	Nights
Park Plaza Westminster Bridge	4	330	150	3 (variable)
Park Plaza Riverbank	4	295	200	4 (variable)
Hub by Premier Inn	3	125	50	4 (variable)
Student Accommodation	N/A	85	30	
Buddy Scheme	N/A	0	20	
Friends and Family	N/A	0	50	
UK/London	N/A	0	25	
<b>Total</b>			<b>525</b>	<b>2100</b>



## PROPOSED PROGRAMME AND FORMAT

### Tuesday 9th September 2025 - Teaching courses, Opening Ceremony, Welcome reception

*Teaching courses, Satellite symposium, Opening ceremony, Welcome Reception, Commercial exhibition.*

### Wednesday 10th September 2025 - Core Conference Day and Social Programme

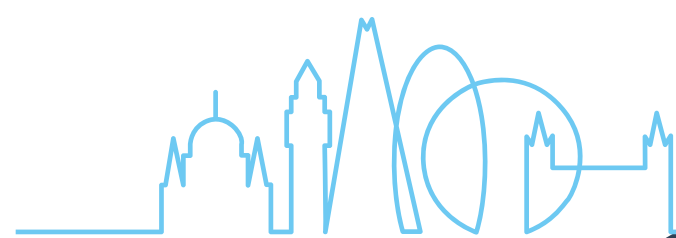
*Platform presentations, poster sessions, symposia and plenary speakers. Education sessions. Tips for Trainees. Sessions for healthcare scientist (technicians). Commercial exhibition with space for scientific societies and patient groups/organisations. Satellite symposia.*

### Thursday 11th September 2025 - Core Conference Day and Gala Dinner

*Platform presentations, poster sessions, symposia and plenary speakers. Education sessions. Tips for Trainees. Sessions for healthcare scientist (technicians). Commercial exhibition with space for scientific societies and patient groups/organisations. Satellite symposia.*

### Friday 12th September 2025 - Core Conference Day and Closing Ceremony

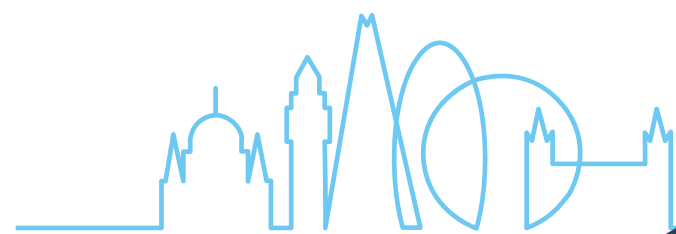
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## SCIENTIFIC PROGRAMME

Please see proposed topics below:

- qEMG & sfEMG
- ELECTRODIAGNOSTICS IN AUTONOMIC DYSFUNCTION
- EEG INTRACRANIAL TO VIDEO AMBULATORY
- AUTOMATED SEIZURE DETECTION
- THERAPEUTIC NEUROPHYSIOLOGY, TMS tDCS
- NEUROSCIENCE OF SLEEP
- INTRAOPERATIVE NEUROMONITORING
- MULTIMODAL EVOKED POTENTIALS
- ICU NEUROPHYSIOLOGY
- PAEDIATRIC EEG & EMG
- ULTRASONOGRAPHY OF NERVES & MUSCLES
- NERVE & MUSCLE EXCITIBILITY
- MOVEMENT DISORDERS
- PAIN AND SMALL FIBER ASSESSMENT
- PRACTICAL TIPS FOR TRAINEES (eg. NCS, EP, EEG, etc.)



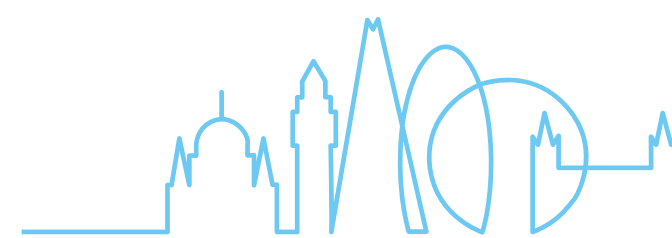
# PROGRAMME

Tuesday 9th September 2025					
9:00-10:30	Course - EEG for trainees I	Course - Neonatal EEG	Course Technicians	Course - TBC	Course - TBC
10:30-11:00	Networking coffee break in the exhibit area				
11:00-12:30	Course - NCS for trainees	Course - EEG for trainees II	Course - EMG for trainees I	Course - Seizure classification	Course - TBC
12:30-13:30	Networking lunch break in the exhibit area				
13:30-15:00	Course - Single fiber EMG	Course - Nerve Ultrasound	Course Technicians	Course - TBC	Course - TBC
15:00-15:30	Networking tea break in the exhibit area				
15:30-17:00	Course - Visual evoked potentials	Course - EMG for trainees II	Course Technicians	Satellite Symposium	
Opening Ceremony and Welcome Reception					

Wednesday 10th September 2025					
7:30-9:00	Breakfast teaching	Breakfast teaching	Breakfast teaching	Satellite Symposium	
9:00-10:30	Symposium: Quantum Mechanics and the Brain				
10:30-11:00	Networking coffee break in the exhibit area				
11:00-12:30	Parallel session EMG	Parallel session Epilepsy	Platform presentations Sleep	Platform presentations Pediatric EEG	Parallel session Big Data
12:30-14:00	Networking lunch break in the exhibit area		Poster Session		
14:00-15:30	Parallel session EMG	Parallel session Neurocritical Care	Platform presentations Neuromuscular	Platform presentations pediatric EMG	Satellite Symposium
15:30-16:00	Networking tea break in the exhibit area				
16:00-17:30	Parallel session SFEMG	Parallel session Sleep	Platform presentations	Platform presentations Pediatric Neurocritical	Parallel session
17:30-18:30	The Lopes da Silva Lecture in EEG and central neurophysiology				

Thursday 11th September 2025					
7:30-9:00	Breakfast teaching	Breakfast teaching	Breakfast teaching	Satellite Symposium	
9:00-10:30	Keynote lecture EEG		Parallel session EEG	Parallel session	Parallel session
10:30-11:00	Networking coffee break in the exhibit area				
11:00-12:00	The Buchthal Lecture in EMG and peripheral neurophysiology				
12:00-13:00	General Assembly				
12:30-14:00	Networking lunch break in the exhibit area			Poster Session	
13:30-15:00	Parallel session EP	Parallel session COVID	Platform presentations Sleep	Platform presentations Pediatric EEG	Satellite Symposium
15:00-15:30	Networking tea break in the exhibit area				
15:30-17:00	Parallel session NCS	Parallel session Pediatric EEG	Platform presentations Neurocritical care	Platform presentations COVID	Parallel session
17:00-18:00	The Hagbarth Lecture in human neurophysiology				
From 19:30	Gala Dinner				

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12:30-14:00	Networking lunch break in the exhibit area			Poster Session	
15:30-17:00	Highligh session		Satellite Symposium		



## COMMERCIAL SUPPORT AND GRANTS

### Sponsorship and Symposia

The Working Budget of commercial support from known national and international sponsors.

Sponsorship packages - which may include symposia content with all necessary approvals - will be tiered with i) headline partner x 2; ii) congress partner x 5; iii) congress sponsor x 8.

Packages will be customised to attract sponsors who are a "right fit" for congress with the utmost care taken to ensure that globally-held relationships are considered carefully as ECCN moves from destination to destination.

### Exhibition and Activations

Our preferred principal venue offers 292 square metres of dedicated exhibition space and plentiful additional space for posters and abstract presentations and display. Our dedicated exhibition space will also allow for national and international societies and partners to take part. The Secretariat and PCO will create and advertise opportunities in a formally prepared Sponsorship and Exhibition Prospectus and support BSCN in the process of securing and fulfilling obligations to commercial partners.

### Commercial Support and Grants

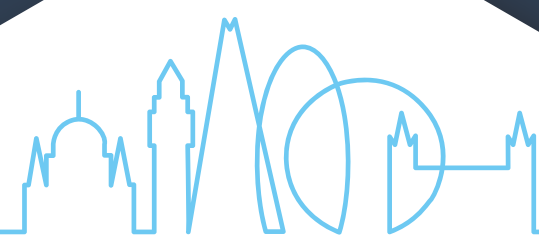
BSCN has secured grant funding of 8,100 (GBP) from Visit Britain, the UK government body supporting inbound business tourism, to assist with the cost of submitting this bid.

BSCN has secured subsidised travel (Oyster Cards London Zone 1) for attendees.

BSCN will actively pursue further subvention and/or funding channels to help with costs going forward.

We have secured in principle commitment from the following sponsors to support congress if it comes to London:

- Medevolve
- Optima
- Nihon Kohden Europe
- Persyst
- GE
- Lifelines Neuro
- Nervus Ltd
- Inomed





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19<sup>th</sup> January 2022



26 January 2023

Dear Dr Jacquie Deeb,

**RE: ECCN 2025 bid by the BSCN**

I would like to confirm that we (Medevolve Limited) would agree in principle to support your bid for the ECCN 2025.

Yours Faithfully

Philip Tyler  
Director

The British Society for Clinical Neurophysiology

Dear Dr Deeb,

I am writing to inform you that Nihon Kohden Europe would like to confirm our support, in principle, for your bid to host the European Congress for Clinical Neurophysiology (ECCN) in 2025.

I wish you the best with your preliminary bid submission at the beginning of February 2023 and a successful presentation in Marseilles in May 2023.

As a supplier of devices, accessories and consumables to the worldwide neurology market Nihon Kohden looks forward to working with the British Society for Clinical Neurophysiology to deliver this international congress successfully in the United Kingdom.

Sincerely yours,

Nihon Kohden Europe GmbH

Quentin Bellingham

Product Manager - Neurology

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***ECCN London 2025 sponsorship***

Dear Sir or Madam,

On behalf of inomed Neurocare Limited, I would like to confirm our support to the BSCN to host the ECCN 2025 meeting in London.

Yours sincerely,

*Noemia Pereira*

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## DELEGATE JOURNEY AND EXPERIENCE

BSCN is proposing a clear and purposeful delegate journey through congress.

A themed experience - NEUROPHYSIOLOGY THROUGH THE AGES - is proposed with our preferred principal venue - WESTMINSTER CENTRAL HALL - providing an historic backdrop to proceedings.

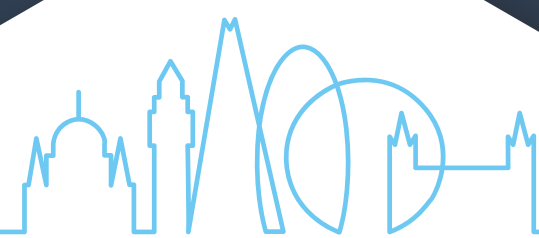
A sustainable experience - using not-for-profit and CIC venues for our social events - will leave a lasting and meaningful legacy for the City and provide delegates with a unique visitor experience and access to venues (and sites) that they would not otherwise be able to visit.

A well-considered Working Budget will provide a range of fee options so that the congress can satisfy need of speakers and/or faculty but also attract and accommodate new attendees and young professionals.

Please see below title, descriptor and imagery for ECCN2025.

## ECCN 2025 LEGACY AND HANDOVER

BSCN, the Secretariat and PCO commit to provide a managed handover of documentation (process and practice) and a fully reconciled budget and financial statement from ECCN2025 within a 3 month timeframe from close of congress.



## CONCLUSION

We hope that our bid satisfies all of your practical requirements.

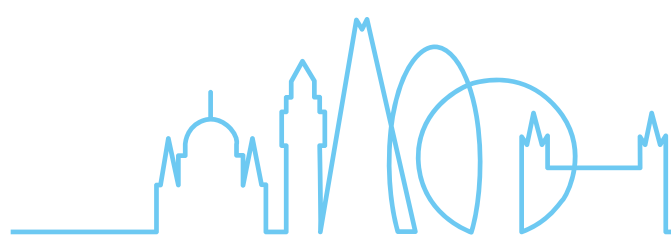
Moreover, we hope that we have successfully set out the commitment from the BSCN community, our sister societies and our government and commercial supporters to come together to host a successful first UK-based conference in the very heart of historic London, Westminster.

In preparing our bid we have taken great care to ensure both the scientific and the commercial success of ECCN 2025. Moreover, with the help of our PCO and London-based venues and suppliers we have prepared an exciting destination experience that showcases the very best of London (and surrounds) for those attending.

It is a personal and professional ambition to see ECCN come to London in 2025 and along with colleagues from the BSCN we look to presenting our bid to you in Marseilles.

Yours faithfully,

**Dr Jacquie Deeb, Consultant in Clinical Neurophysiology and  
President, British Society of Clinical Neurophysiology**





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in 1942

19<sup>th</sup> European Congress of Clinical Neurophysiology

London, United Kingdom, 9th - 12th September 2025

Westminster Central Hall, City of Westminster, London

