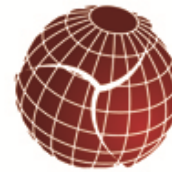




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President's Message

Since 1993, the World Institute of Pain (WIP) has sustained a global forum for thousands of pain physicians who dedicate themselves to excellence and equality in pain medical science, education, training, and practice. Nowhere is the WIP mission celebrated more completely than the WIP World Congress. Physicians worldwide gather at the WIP World Congress to support each other and renew their commitments as pioneers of pain management. As leaders in our professional communities, we are conscious of the significance and necessity of global outreach if we are to secure and sustain the highest standards of pain management for the present and future of our specialty. This year, April 28-May 1, in the city of Seoul, Korea physicians around the world will participate in **WIP Refresher Course** lectures and the **6th World Congress**. WIP members and non-members alike are invited to Seoul to participate in the exchange of scholarly insights and practical techniques that characterize the rapidly evolving specialty of pain medicine. WIP acknowledges **Prof. Sang Chul Lee, MD, PhD, FIPP** and **Prof. Youn-Woo Lee, MD, PhD**, Chair and Co-Chair, respectively, of the Local Organizing Committee; and **Prof. Dong Eon Moon, MD, FIPP**, President of the **Korean Pain Society**, for their hospitality and contributions to the World Congress scientific program.

WIP's commitment to physician networking gained prominence in 2010 with the introduction of the **WIP Excellence in Pain Practice Award**, a program that recognizes pain centers for excellence in (President's Message continued on Page 2)

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WIP 6th World Congress - Seoul, Korea

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REFRESHER COURSE TOPICS

APRIL 28, 2011

◆ Acute Pain: What have we learned over the past 30 years? ◆ Interventional pain medicine of the cervical spine ◆ Spinal cord stimulation for axial back pain ◆ Clinical pharmacology of spinal drugs ◆ Palliative care medicine ◆ Assessment and management of trauma pain ◆ Novel analgesic drugs in clinical development ◆ Post amputation pain ◆ Abuse, misuse, and diversion: how to identify and manage offenders ◆ Spinal cord stimulation: European and US perspectives ◆ Management of opioid-related side effects and complications ◆ Pain medicine and the law ◆ An algorithm approach to neuropathic pain ◆ Pain in developing countries: Managing resources ◆ Interventional management in cancer pain patients.

WORLD CONGRESS TOPICS

APRIL 29-MAY, 2011

◆ RAJ LECTURER: Henrik Kehlet ◆ BONICA LECTURER: Michael Ferrarri ◆ WALL LECTURER: Marshall Devor ◆
 ◆ Opioid hyperalgesia: Basic mechanisms and clinical manifestations ◆ The genetics of pain: Future of genotyping in therapy ◆ Acupuncture: Mechanisms and therapy ◆ Rational use of opioids in chronic non-cancer pain ◆ Spinal cord stimulation: Mechanism, indications, outcomes ◆ Discogenic pain ◆ Ion channel blockers: Present understanding and future development ◆ Facial pain ◆ Ultrasounds: Relevant use of ultrasound in pain therapy ◆ Imaging the pain pathway ◆ Mechanisms of spinal cord stimulation ◆ Complications and abuse of interventional pain procedures ◆ Targeted neurotoxins ◆ Transition to acute to chronic pain ◆ Neonatal and pediatric pain ◆ Fibromyalgia update ◆ Minimally-invasive spine surgery for spinal chronic pain ◆ Pulsed radiofrequency ◆ Intrathecal drug delivery: A changing landscape ◆ Cervical pain: Diagnosis and treatment...and more!



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clinical practice, education, training, and research. Interested pain centers complete an online application and consent to a site visit conducted by an FIPP member of WIP. Through this recognition program, WIP aims to stimulate greater collaboration among the WIP community of scholars and clinicians who dedicate themselves to the worldwide phenomenon of acute and chronic pain syndromes. The first 13 EPP Award recipients are recognized in this issue of the WIP Newsletter. A plaque and certificate will be presented to each recipient at the World Congress in Seoul.

WIP conducted the election of officers and directors for the 2011-2013 WIP Executive Board, as reported in the last issue of the WIP Newsletter. Subsequently, the appointment of **Miles R. Day, MD, FIPP** of Texas Tech Health Sciences Center in Lubbock, Texas, USA, has been confirmed for the position of Chair of the FIPP Board of Examination. Day will serve on the Executive Board with: **Ricardo Ruiz-López, MD, FIPP**—President; **Richard L. Rauck, MD, FIPP**—President-Elect; **Serdar Erdine, MD, FIPP**—Immediate Past President; **Gabor B. Racz, MD, FIPP**—Past President; **P. Prithvi Raj, MD, FIPP**—Past President; **Charles A. Gauci, MD, FIPP**—Honorary Secretary; **Kris C.P. Vissers, MD, FIPP**—Honorary Treasurer; **Craig T. Hartrick, MD, FIPP**—Editor-in-Chief, *Pain Practice*; **José Rodríguez Hernández, MD, FIPP**—Chair of the Board of Sections; and, **Ira B. Fox, MD, FIPP**—Chair of the Advisory Board.

The election of officers to represent the official WIP Sections in 2011-2013 has been completed, and encompasses four new Sections: Canada, Columbia, Hungary, and Iran. WIP congratulates these countries' WIP members for attaining five or more FIPP members and qualifying for Section designation.

In 2011, three FIPP examinations will be offered—Cleveland, Ohio, USA; Maastricht, The Netherlands; and Budapest, Hungary. Since 2001, WIP and the FIPP Board of Examination have certified 630 physicians in 38 countries.

WIP's *Pain Practice* journal, in its 11th year of publication, is one of the best sources of up-to-date research, evaluation methods, and techniques in pain management. The evidence-based management series is generating an audience of pain physicians who incorporate the journal into their study curriculum for board recertification. Online access to back issues of *Pain Practice* just became easier for WIP members who now have one login ID and password for both membership renewal and online journal access.

Celebrate the evolution and excellence of pain management, pain scholars and clinicians past and present, and join us for the WIP 6th World Congress.

See you in Seoul!

- **Serdar Erdine, MD, FIPP**
WIP President



*6th World Congress
World Institute of Pain
Seoul, Korea, April 29 - May 1, 2011*



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WIP congratulates EPP award recipients

WIP is proud to present the first recipients of the **WIP Excellence in Pain Practice (EPP) Award**, a recognition program for pain centers that promotes the highest standards of pain practice around the world. Each award recipient initiated the online application by or on behalf of the pain center director and consented to a site visit and associated preparations. Each site visit was conducted by an FIPP member of WIP's inspector's panel. The WIP EPP Award Committee exercised its due diligence in the determination of each award given, in accordance with WIP's guidelines for EPP Award recognition.

Varying levels of recognition are available to pain centers that apply for EPP Award consideration, including but not limited to specialization in a particular area of pain practice, multidisciplinary pain practice, and comprehensive recognition that encompasses all dimensions of pain management including cutting-edge research. The EPP Award program enhances WIP's mission of fostering the exchange of medical science in the field of interventional pain management, encouraging medical research, and creating opportunities for continued learning in the most up-to-date technical procedures.

Please join us in congratulating the directors, associates, and staff of the following pain centers on their EPP Award.

COMPREHENSIVE MULTIDISCIPLINARY PAIN PRACTICE

- ◆ **Istanbul Pain Center**—Istanbul, Turkey (Director: Serdar Erdine, MD, FIPP)
- ◆ **University of Washington Center for Pain Relief**—Seattle, WA, USA (Director: Alex Cahana, MD, FIPP)

MULTIDISCIPLINARY CLINICAL PAIN PRACTICE

- ◆ **Centre de la Douleur Clinique Cecil** — Lausanne, Vaud, Switzerland (Director: Philippe Mavrocordatos, MD, FIPP)
- ◆ **Centro de Atención Integral del Dolor** — Buenos Aires, Argentina (Director: Juan Carlos Flores, MD, FIPP)
- ◆ **DARADIA: The Pain Clinic** — Kolkata, West Bengal, India (Director: Gautam Das, MD, FIPP)
- ◆ **IRCCS Centro di Riferimento Oncologico della Basilicata** —Rionero in Vulture, Italy (Director: Pasquale De Negri, MD, FIPP)
- ◆ **Multidisciplinair Pijncentrum Lievensberg Ziekenhuis** —Halsteren, The Netherlands (Director: C.W.J. van Tilburg, MD, FIPP)
- ◆ **Pain Center of the Department of Anesthesiology and Pain Medicine, Seoul National University Hospital** — Seoul, South Korea (Director: Yong Chul Kim, MD; Chairman: Sang Chul Lee, MD, PhD, FIPP)
- ◆ **Pain Management Division of the Department of Anesthesiology, University of Cincinnati** — Cincinnati, OH, USA (Director: Hammam Akbik, MD, FIPP)
- ◆ **Singular—Centro de Controle Da Dor** — Cambui, Campinas, Sao Paulo, Brazil (Director: Fabrício Dias Assis, MD, FIPP)
- ◆ **Utah Center for Pain Management and Research, Inc. DBA Nexus Pain Care**—Provo, UT, USA (Director: Richard Rosenthal, MD, FIPP)

CLINICAL PAIN PRACTICE

- ◆ **ACME Pain Care** — Algonquin, IL, USA (Director: Vikram Patel, MD, FIPP)

CLINICAL PAIN PRACTICE SPECIALIZING IN MUSCULOSKELETAL PAIN SYNDROMES

- ◆ **Metro Spinal Clinic** — Caulfield South, Victoria, Australia (Co-Medical Directors: David Vivian, MBBS; Bruce Mitchell, MBBS, FIPP; and Paul Verrills, MBBS, FIPP)

The EPP Award Committee extends its appreciation to all applicants, and especially to the inspectors who gave their time and service in support of this program. Other applications are in various stages of due diligence. WIP invites directors of all pain centers to apply and become part of the WIP network of EPP Award pain centers. An online directory of EPP Award pain centers that highlights the attributes of each center is being developed and will be available to WIP members to facilitate physician networking globally.

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WIP recognizes EPP Award site inspectors

WIP recognizes the following FIPP members of WIP for generously giving of their time and service as site inspectors for the EPP Award program.

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WIP Board of Sections announces formation of four new WIP Sections

WIP members in four countries have fulfilled the eligibility criteria for recognition as an official WIP Section: Canada, Columbia, Hungary, and Iran. Each of these Sections will join the 17 previously-recognized WIP Sections. The chairs of each Section will serve on the 2011-2013 WIP Council with the officers and directors of the WIP Executive Board.

In addition to the afore-mentioned countries, the following countries or regions are recognized as WIP Sections: Africa, Australia, Benelux, Central and Eastern Europe, Iberian, India, Israel, Korea-Japan-China, Latin America, Mediterranean, Middle East, Puerto Rico, Southeast Asia, Switzerland, Turkey, United Kingdom and Eire, and the United States of America.

WIP established its international framework of Sections in 2007 to encourage the promotion and development of WIP's membership network, FIPP certification program, WIP-sponsored educational activities, as well as liaisons with individuals and groups with similar interests in fields related to interventional pain management. Through the WIP Sections and the international network of pain medicine physicians represented, WIP can more fully realize and enhance the exchange of scientific and therapeutic pain management information in a manner that encourages national and international goodwill, as well as social and cultural exchanges. WIP encourages the establishment of regional Sections when such Sections would further the objectives of WIP. Countries or regions with five or more FIPPs are eligible for Section designation. Countries who qualify for independent Section designation may also choose to affiliate with another country or countries as one Section.

WIP Board of Sections announces 2011-2013 officers

The election of WIP Section officers for 2011-2013 term is largely complete. The following FIPP members of WIP will assume their Section positions effective May 1, 2011. Each Section Chair is automatically appointed to the WIP Council.

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Chair: Neels de Villiers, MD

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Chair: Peter Courtney, MBBS

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Chair: Jan Van Zundert, MD, PhD

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Chair: Joseph Park, MD

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Chair: Martin Marianowicz, MD

Secretary: Ludger Gerdsmeyer, MD

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To organize a WIP-endorsed conference or practical workshop, please contact the WIP Secretariat for an application form: dianne.willard@worldinstituteofpain.org | T: 1-336-760-2933 | F: 1-336-760-2981

WIP Boards, Council, and Committees to meet in Seoul, Korea

The WIP Executive Board and WIP Council, and associated Board committees, will meet at the Grand Intercontinental Seoul Hotel in Seoul, Korea on

Thursday, April 28, 2011

Both the 2008-2011 incumbent and 2011-2013 incoming officers, Board, and Council members are invited to attend.

7:30-9:00	WIP Foundation Board
9:00-9:30	EPP Award Committee (*Award recipients and site inspectors also invited*)
9:30-10:00	Hassenbusch Prize Committee
10:00-11:00	Pain Practice Editorial Board
11:00-16:00	WIP Executive Board
16:00-18:00	WIP Council

Agendas will be posted on the WIP web site and may be obtained from the WIP Secretariat, together with registration instructions.

Please contact Dianne Willard with any questions or comments related to these meetings.

E-mail: dianne.willard@worldinstituteofpain.org

Phone: 1-336-760-2933.

February 18, 2011

WIP Switzerland requests survey participation



Spinal cord stimulation for pain: A pre-implant test phase survey

The Clinic Cecil Multidisciplinary Pain Management Center in Lausanne, Switzerland, is conducting a short anonymous survey on the pre-implantation test phase of spinal cord stimulation (Indication: Pain). The survey requires 3-5 minutes of time.

The test period has been achieved by most implanters, but no consensus has been made on how long it should last and what parameters should be monitored during this period. Your participation is extremely important to us.

To open the survey, paste or type into your Internet browser the following link:

<http://www.surveymshare.com/s/AIAAL6B>

The survey is not meant for commercial use and all responses shall remain anonymous.

The survey results will be submitted for publication in a future issue of the *Pain Practice* journal.

WIP is committed to promoting physician networking and scholarly collaboration, and is pleased to endorse this survey.

Questions may be directed to:

Dr. Philippe Mavrocordatos., MD, FIPP
(Email: pmavroco@worldcom.ch).

2011 WIP-sponsored educational conferences and practical workshops

Interventional Pain Techniques Review Course with Didactic Lectures and Cadaver Workshops



1-2 April 2011

Hosted by the Cleveland Clinic
Cleveland, Ohio, USA

REGISTER via WIP Web site:
www.worldinstituteofpain.org/site/cleveland.html

Evidence Based Interventional Pain Medicine according to Clinical Diagnoses



WIP Benelux
Theoretical training sessions and hands-on cadaver workshop
Maastricht 23 and 24 June 2011

The number of participants is limited. Registrations will be handled on a first come, first served basis.

Information and registration:
www.wipbenelux.org

23-24 June 2011
www.maastrichtpain.nl

16th Annual Budapest Conference and Practical Workshop



29-31 August 2011

www.congressline.hu



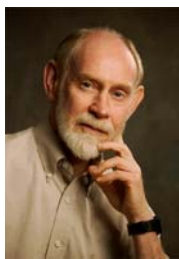
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Miles Day appointed Chair of FIPP Board of Examination for 2011-2013

Miles R. Day, MD, FIPP, DABIPP DABPM, has been appointed Chair of the FIPP Board of Examination for 2011-2013. The position encompasses an appointment to the WIP Executive Board as the Member-at-Large representing the Board of Examination.

Day, who was certified FIPP in the inaugural class of 2001, currently serves on the Board of Examination. He is Professor and Director of the International Pain Center and Director of the Pain Management Fellowship Program at Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center in Lubbock, Texas, USA.

Dr. Day may be reached via e-mail at: miles.day@ttuhsc.edu.



Miles R. Day
MD FIPP

NEW! FIPP electronic application—eFIPP™

Candidates for Fellow of Interventional Pain Practice (FIPP) certification now have two options for completing the required application—paper and electronic.

The new electronic application, eFIPP™, is designed to permit the applicant to save completed sections and continue the application at a later date, as necessary, before reviewing and submitting the final version to the Board of Examination. The required supplemental documents can be uploaded directly to the eFIPP™ server or mailed to the FIPP Coordinator with the required notarized pages. A copy of the completed application may be saved to the applicant's computer.

The eFIPP™ electronic application and payment module represent the first phase of a management information system designed specifically for the FIPP Board of Examination. Developed by an experienced Cold Fusion programmer, eFIPP™ is secure and efficient.

Questions related to the eFIPP™ may be directed to Mr. Mark Tolliver, FIPP Coordinator at mark.tolliver@worldinstituteofpain.org.

Board of Examination announces 2011 FIPP examination schedule

The FIPP Board of Examination will offer three examinations in 2011.

- ⇒ **April 3** Host: Cleveland Clinic—Cleveland, Ohio, USA
APPLICATION DEADLINE: March 7, 2011
- ⇒ **June 25** Host: Maastricht University—Maastricht, The Netherlands
APPLICATION DEADLINE: May 24, 2011
- ⇒ **Sep 1** Host: Semelweiss University—Budapest, Hungary
APPLICATION DEADLINE: July 31, 2011

For information and application, please visit the FIPP website.
www.worldinstituteofpain.org/fipp.

FIPPs prepare for 10th anniversary in 2011

What does FIPP Certification Mean to You?

The Fellow of Interventional Pain Practice (FIPP) physician certification program will commemorate its **10th anniversary** this year. Since 2001, 630 physicians from 38 countries have earned the privilege of certification as a Fellow of Interventional Pain Practice. The FIPP program has a rich heritage that was borne of the vision of a few, but its successes are attributable to the international network of pain medicine physicians who share the same commitment to excellence, the worldwide standardization and advancement of pain practice and pain education for physicians, and international recognition of pain medicine as a specialty.

The FIPP Board of Examination would like to hear from you — our FIPP alumni. What does FIPP certification mean to you both personally and professionally? Why was it important for you to achieve certification as an FIPP? What has your FIPP certification meant to your pain center and region where you practice? What advice would you offer to other pain physicians who are just starting out and building their pain practice, as well as to physicians with established practices who are considering FIPP certification?

Please send your written comments, which can be one sentence, a paragraph, or more, by email to FIPP Coordinator, Mr. Mark Tolliver (mark.tolliver@worldinstituteofpain.org). Please include your photo and, if possible, a group photo that includes others affiliated with your pain practice group. Photos of your pain center building and city scapes are also encouraged. Please identify each person or image in each photo. WIP will use selective comments and photos for promotional purposes to commemorate the 10th anniversary of the FIPP program. Thank you.

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EPP Award Program for pain centers



WIP introduced the Excellence in Pain Practice (EPP) Award program to recognize pain centers that demonstrate clinical and scientific excellence, and a dedication to teaching and mentoring physicians-in-training and young physicians in newly-established practices.

Directors of pain centers are encouraged to apply for EPP Award consideration via the online application posted on the WIP website.

The first EPP Award Program recipients will be honored at an award and recognition ceremony at the WIP 6th World Congress in Seoul, Korea.

EPP AWARD CRITERIA

Pain Center Achievements

- ◆ Clinical Practice
- ◆ Research
- ◆ Training for Physicians
- ◆ Training for Pain Center Staff

Education and Research

- ◆ Quality of physician training
- ◆ Published peer-reviewed articles
- ◆ Cutting-edge research

Impact of Pain Center to Specialty

- ◆ Locally
- ◆ Nationally
- ◆ Internationally

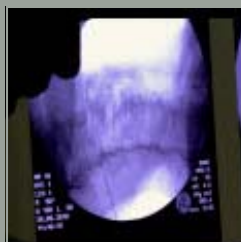



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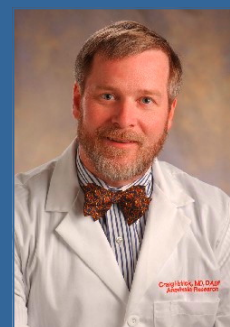
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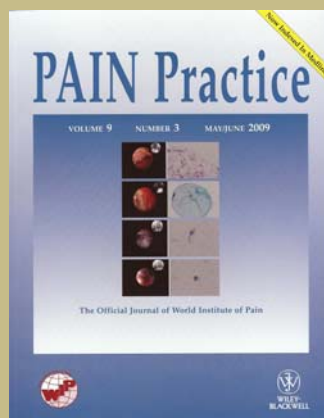
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