

GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS

The French Neuroscience Society (hereafter referred to as “the Organizer”) is organizing a meeting entitled *Neuroscience and artificial intelligence, mechanisms, perspectives & consequences*, in Bordeaux, France, on 23 and 24 May 2024.

Registration - General Terms and Conditions

These General Terms and Conditions are valid for each attendee registered at the *Neuroscience and artificial intelligence, mechanisms, perspectives & consequences* meeting, Bordeaux, France, 23-24 May 2024 (hereafter referred to as the Meeting). Any person, delegate, speaker or media representative is considered an attendee.

Meeting registration

The registration deadlines are as follows:

Early-bird registration deadline: 31 March 2024 (23:59 CET)

Late registration: 1st April 2024 (00:00 CET) to 24 May 2024 (23:59 CET).

Only full completed registration forms will be accepted. The registration fee is based on the date of the completed online registration or the receipt of the registration form. Should one deadline be missed, the next applicable fee will be charged automatically.

If the maximum attendee capacity is reached, the Organizer reserves the right to refuse the registration.

To be eligible to register for the Meeting, attendees must be at least 18 years old.

Members must be up to date with the French Neuroscience Society membership in order to register as member. Students and Postdocs who wish to become members will be asked to send a proof of their status signed by their Director or Department Head.

The registration fees are as follows:

• **Early-bird registration until 31 March 2024 included.**

Student/ Postdoc member 90 €	Academic member 150 €	Non member 300 €
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• **Late registration starting 1st April 2024.**

Student/ Post-doc member 120 €	Academic member 180 €	Non member 300 €
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VAT not applicable, article 293B of the CGI

Registration fees include access to the sessions, coffee breaks and lunches.

Methods of payment

Payment is required at the time of registration. It should be made in EUR only, using one of the following methods:

1. Credit card (Visa, Mastercard) in euros: Attendees should complete the relevant section of the registration form.
2. Bank transfer: Payment should be made in euros to:

Account holder: Société des Neurosciences
Bank: LCL BORDEAUX
IBAN: FR93 3000 2018 6800 0079 0103 V60
BIC: CRLYFRPP
Reference: JT2024 + participant number

Please note that all transfer costs must be covered by the transmitter.

3. Institutional order (bon de commande): Payment should be made in euros to:

Account holder: Société des Neurosciences
Bank: LCL BORDEAUX
IBAN: FR93 3000 2018 6800 0079 0103 V60
BIC: CRLYFRPP
Reference: JT2024 and invoice number

The institutional orders must be made to the order of:

Société des Neurosciences
Université de Bordeaux
146 Rue Léo Saignat
33077 Bordeaux Cedex - France

Institutional orders (bons de commande) must be sent by e-mail to colloque@societe-neurosciences.fr. The French Neuroscience Society will submit the corresponding invoices online on Chorus Pro.

Please note that all transfer costs must be covered by the transmitter.

Cheques will not be accepted.

French Neuroscience Society membership

Membership fees for the French Neuroscience Society must be paid separately from the meeting registration fees. For further information, please visit www.neurosciences.asso.fr.

Payment status

Payment status is indicated on the participant's registration profile.

Letter of invitation

Individuals requiring an official letter of invitation can request one from the French Neuroscience Society. To receive a letter of invitation, attendees must first register to the Meeting and submit payment in full. Letters of invitation will not be sent after 23 April 2024. The letter of invitation does not financially obligate the Organizer in any way. All expenses incurred in relation to the Meeting are the sole responsibility of the attendee.

Visa Requirements

It is the sole responsibility of the attendees to take care of their visa requirements. Attendees who require an entry visa must allow sufficient time for the application procedure. Attendees should contact the nearest embassy or consulate to determine the appropriate timing of their visa applications.

The Organizer will not directly contact embassies and consulates on behalf of visa applicants.

Certificate of attendance

A certificate of attendance will be sent after the Meeting.

Registration cancellation policy

Notification of cancellation must be made in writing and sent to the French Neuroscience Society by e-mail (colloque@societe-neurosciences.fr). The notification must include all the relevant information regarding the bank account to which a possible refund may be remitted. A cancellation fee will apply to any registration cancellation. If the written notification of cancellation is received until 23 April 2024, 40 EUR cancellation fee will be charged. No refunds will be made for cancellation after 23 April 2024.

Credit will not be given for unattended events or early termination of attendance.

Modification of the Congress program

The conference program is published as an indication only and may be subject to modification at any time in terms of time, location, theme, and content (in particular to the program schedule, the appointment and/or selection of speakers, the technical environment, program duration, etc.). The attendee has no claim to the staging of a particular speaker and/or event, to a particular event duration or to the provision of a particular content. Changes to the program do neither constitute a right of withdrawal nor refund claim on the part of the persons registered, provided the character of the event as a specialist event in the specified subject area is not affected by the changes.

Cancellation of the Meeting, force majeure, hardship

If the Meeting cannot take place or is postponed, or if the Organizer is prevented from fulfilling its obligations in connection with the Meeting through no fault of its own due to external, unforeseeable events for which it is not responsible (“force majeure”), or if circumstances occur which could not have been foreseen and of which the Organizer would not have concluded this contact under these General Terms and Conditions had it been aware and the elimination of which is not possible by economically reasonable means (“hardship”), the Organizer shall have the right to cancel the Meeting immediately after the aforementioned circumstances become known and/or to discontinue the Meeting without any liability and shall be released from its obligations to the attendees. In such cases, the Organizer cannot be held liable by the attendees for any damage, costs or losses such as transportation costs, accommodation costs, financial losses, lost profits, etc. In these circumstances, the Organizer reserves the right to either retain the entire registration fee and use it for a future or postponed Meeting, or to reimburse the attendee an amount with a pro rata credit of the costs already proven to have been incurred for the organization of the Meeting, which could not be recovered from third parties.

Sharing and data protection of contact details

During the registration process and the execution of the Meeting the personal data of each attendee is stored and processed. All personal data will be processed in accordance with the applicable data protection regulations, in particular the General Data Protection Regulation GDPR (Regulation (EU) 2016/679).

Personal data will not be forwarded to a third party unless in accordance with Art. 6 Sec. 1 lit a-f GDPR: (a) express consent, (b) performance or conclusion of a contract, (c) fulfilment of a legal obligation, (d) protection of vital interests of the data subjects or another natural person, (e) public interest or exercise of official authority, (f) legitimate interest of the data controller and balancing of interests.

For further details on data processing, your rights about information and access to the personal data, please contact the French Neuroscience Society (info@societe-neurosciences.fr).

Intellectual property rights

All content (trademarks, brands, copyrights, etc.) displayed at the Meeting remain the property of their respective owners and are used for identification purposes only. The content and compilations published on the event website and/or related websites are subject to the applicable copyright laws. The reproduction, editing, distribution, sharing and/or any kind of exploitation outside the limits of the applicable copyright laws require the written consent of the respective author and/or creator.

Downloads and copies of information, documents, files, presentations, and other content shared are only permitted if explicitly marked and solely for private use. The commercial use of content is prohibited without the consent of the author/creator.

The attendee further confirms that the above assurance also extends to the documentation of the event and public reporting by means such as photography, filming and recording as described above. The attendee shall indemnify and hold harmless the Organizer and the Meeting or any related entity from any claims, liability, loss and expense (including attorneys' fees as legally permissible) arising out of any breach of the foregoing representations.

The Meeting website and its use

Unless otherwise expressly stated or evident from the circumstances, all content displayed on the Meeting website is the property of the Organizer. Each attendee with completed and confirmed registration is entitled to view any part of the Meeting website and to copy or download content, provided it is used exclusively for personal or non-commercial use and third-party rights are not opposed. Any other reproduction of the content of the Meeting website requires in any case the permission of the Organizer.

Technical malfunctions; blocking of access; disclaimer of warranty

Access to the Meeting website, the associated digital offers and/or any digital event platform can be blocked temporarily or permanently if there are concrete indications that the participant is violating or has violated these GTC and/or applicable law or if the Organizer had another justified, substantial interest in blocking access. When deciding on a blocking, the legitimate interests of the participant will be considered appropriately.

The Organizer does not guarantee the adequacy, accuracy and/or completeness of information published in connection with the Meeting. Furthermore, the Organizer does not guarantee uninterrupted and/or error-free access to the Meeting website. The Organizer shall endeavor to remedy such interruptions as quickly as possible using economically or technical issues apply.

Film, photo and video recordings

The attendee understands that the Organizer will create image, film and audio recordings related during the Meeting for educational purpose. This material can be shared and published within public reporting or used in social networks (Facebook, X (Twitter), Instagram, LinkedIn, YouTube) about the event without entitlement to remuneration. Attendees explicitly give their consent to the use of their image, voice and other content captured at the Meeting for publications and communications relating to the Meeting according to the effective law.

In this respect, the attendees waive any remuneration and will not assert any claims for remuneration whatsoever. Attendees can withdraw their consent at any time by contacting the Organizer via e-mail to colloque@societe-neurosciences.fr

Liability

The liability of the Meeting Organizer – for whatever legal reason – shall be limited to intent and gross negligence. The liability of commissioned service providers shall remain unaffected by this. Attendees shall take part in the Meeting at their own risk.

Oral agreements shall not be binding if these have not been confirmed in writing by the Meeting Organizer.

Requirement of written form

Changes and/or additions to these terms and conditions must be made in writing to be effective. This also applies to the waiver of the requirement of the written form.

Severability clause

Should individually provisions of these General Terms and Condition be and/or become invalid and/or impracticable, the remaining provisions shall not be affected thereby. Rather, the parties undertake to replace the ineffective and/or impracticable provisions with legally valid and/or practicable provisions which correspond to the ineffective and/or impracticable ones in economic terms. This also applies to any loopholes.

Right of modification

The French Neuroscience Society may make changes and/or additions to the General Terms and Conditions at any time. Attendees will be informed of such revisions.

If the changes and/or amendments concern essential parts of the contract and if the rights of the attendees are substantially changed as a result, each attendee with an existing and paid registration will be informed separately with the possibility of consent.