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LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT

Dear colleagues and friends,

With nearly 2 months away from the event, preparations are well under way to deliver the 9th Congress of the **B**alkan **A**ssociation of **P**lastic **R**econstructive and **A**esthetic **S**urgeons (B.A.P.R.A.S), to be held in Thessaloniki, Greece, from 17 to 20 September 2015. Co-host of the congress is the Turkish Society of Plastic Reconstructive and Aesthetic Surgeons.

BAPRAS congress is a forum for research and development in all fields of our specialty. This, inevitably, reflects on the scientific program with contributions from surgeons and physicians from the finest institutions in the Balkan region and beyond. The stimulating program will give us an overview on the whole spectrum of Reconstructive and Aesthetic Surgery. Faculty members will present updates in the specialty, highlight innovations and pass on their experience in their specific fields. A complete, high-end educational aesthetic symposium, entitled "Figures and Shapes in the Balkans" will be incorporated within our congress. Prominent colleagues, well established aesthetic surgeons from the Balkan region and the rest of the world will join us, willing to share their knowledge and expertise.

We urge you to come and participate actively in the symposia and the plenary sessions, so that we may all benefit from the accumulated wisdom and experience of speakers and participants alike. Do take advantage of this "gathering of experts" to meet and discuss our common aims, to disseminate knowledge and experiences, and, in the end, promote our specialty.

We look forward to welcome you ALL in Thessaloniki, this coming September 2015.

Konstantinos MANOS

Plastic Surgeon
President of the Organizing Committee

TOPICS

Breast Reconstructive Surgery
Microsurgery
Aesthetic Surgery
Head and Neck Surgery
Hand Surgery
Alloplastic Implants
Lasers
Congenital Abnormalities
Paediatric Plastic Surgery
Tumor Surgery
Burns
Facial Rejuvenation
Lower extremity reconstruction
Lymphoedema
Chronic Ulcers

GENERAL INFORMATION

Congress dates

17 - 20 September 2015

Congress venue

Makedonia Palace 2, Megalou Alexandrou P.C. 54640, Thessalonki Phone: (+30) 2310 897197

Language of the Congress

The official language of the Congress is English

Website of the Congress

www.baprascongress2015.com

Organisation

Balkan Association of Plastic Reconstructive and Aesthetic Surgery **co-host** Turkish Society of Plastic Reconstructive

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SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM

THURSDAY 17 SEPTEMBER

HALL 1

12.00 - 14.00	Registration
14.00 - 15.00	Session 1: Free Papers
15.00 - 16.30	Session 2: Facial Surgery I
16.30 - 17.00	Session 3: Keynote Lecture - Tissue regeneration
17.00 - 17.30	Coffee break
17.30 - 18.30	Session 4: Breast reconstruction I
18.30 - 19.15	Session 5: Keynote Lecture - Muscle transfer
19.30 - 20.30	Opening Ceremony
20.30	Welcome Reception

HALL 2

12.00 - 14.00	Registration
14.00 - 15.00	Session 6: Free Papers
15.00 - 16.30	Session 7: Cleft Lip and Palate
16.30 - 17.00	Session 8: Keynote Lecture: Reconstructive Surgery
17.00 - 17.30	Coffee break
17.30 - 18.00	Session 9: Keynote lecture - Blepharoptosis
18.00 -19.15	Session 10: Facial Surgery II
19.30 - 20.30	Opening Ceremony
20.30	Welcome Reception

SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM

FRIDAY 18 SEPTEMBER

HALL 1

08.30 - 10.00	Session 11: Free Papers
10.00 - 10.45	Session 12: Failed Breast Surgery with Implant – How I do it!
10.45 - 11.30	Session13: Breast Surgery - Mammoplasty
11.30 - 12.00	Coffee break
12.00 - 13.00	Session 14: Lymphoedema
13.00 - 13.30	Session15: Keynote Lecture: Melanoma
13.30 - 14.30	Lunch break
14.30 - 16.00	Session 16: Head and Neck Reconstruction
16.00 - 16.30	Coffee break
16.30 - 17.30	Session 17: Urogenital surgery
17.30 - 18.00	Session 18: Keynote Lecture: Transplantation
18.00 - 19.30	Session 19: Breast Reconstruction II
21.00	President's Dinner

HALL 2

08.30 - 10.00	Session 20: Free Papers
10.00 - 11.30	Session 21: Tumors
11.30 - 12.00	Coffee break
12.00 - 13.00	Session 22: Vascular malformations
13.00 - 13.30	Session 23: Keynote Lecture: Scar Management in Burns
13.30 - 14.30	Lunch break
14.30 - 16.00	Session 24: Miscellaneous
16.00 - 16.30	Coffee break
16.30 - 18.00	Session 25: Fat transfer in Breast reconstruction
18.00 - 19.30	Session 26: Microsurgery
21.00	President's Dinner





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AESTHETIC SYMPOSIUM / Figures and Shapes in the Balkans

SATURDAY 19 SEPTEMBER

HALL 1

08.20 - 08.30	Opening
08.30 - 10.00	Session 27: Body contouring
10.00 - 11.30	Session 28: Rhinoplasty
11.30 - 12.00	Coffee break
12.00 - 13.00	Session 29: Facelifts
13.00 - 13.30	Session 30: Keynote Lecture - Attractiveness
13.30 - 14.30	Lunch break
14.30 - 15.30	Session 31: Facial rejuvenation
15.30 - 16.00	Session 32: Keynote lecture - Hair transplantation
16.00 - 16.30	Coffee break
16.30 - 17.30	Session 34: Breast augmentation
17.30 - 18.00	Session 35: Keynote Lecture - Hair removal
18.00 - 19.30	Session 36: Rhinoplasty - secondary
21.00	Congress Dinner

HALL 2

08.30 - 10.00	Session 37: Free Papers
10.00 - 11.30	Session 38: Lower extremity reconstruction
11.30 - 12.00	Coffee break
12.00 - 13.30	Session 39: Burns
13.30 - 14.30	Lunch break
14.30 - 16.00	Session 40: Facial palsy
16.00 - 16.30	Coffee break
16.30 - 17.30	Session 41: Upper extremity reconstruction
17.30 - 18.00	Session 42: Keynote Lecture - Breast Reconstruction
18.00 - 19.30	Session 43: Hand reconstruction
21.00	Congress Dinner

SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM

SUNDAY 20 SEPTEMBER

HALL 1

08.30 - 10.00	Session 44: Free Papers
10.00 - 11.30	Session 45: Aesthetic Satellite Symposium
11.30 - 12.00	Coffee break
12.00 - 13.30	BAPRAS General Assembly

HALL 2

08.30 - 10.00	Session 46: Free Papers
10.00 - 11.30	IPRAS National Delegates Meeting
11.30 - 12.00	Coffee break
12 00 - 13 30	BAPRAS General Assembly





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ABSTRACTS

The scientific program of the Conference will include oral and e-poster presentations. All interested parties are invited to submit an abstract of their paper or their research by e-mail no later than 17 June 2015.

Abstracts must be submitted online **ONLY** via the conference website.

Note: Abstracts submitted by fax or e-mail without using the electronic submission form will NOT be accepted.

You are kindly requested to study carefully the instructions for preparation and submission, in order to proceed to "proper submission" of abstracts.

Those wishing to present oral or poster presentations are invited to submit an abstract of their paper.

Abstracts should be submitted ONLY electronically via the conference website.

Important Dates

Deadline for submission of abstracts for review: 17 June 2015

Date of information on abstract acceptance / rejection: 7 July 2015

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- The summary must be submitted in the English language.
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- o Introduction Purpose
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- o Results
- o Conclusions

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REGISTRATION FOR THE CONGRESS IS NOW OPEN

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Early registration Available until 23:59 on Wednesday 15 July 2015	Whole Meeting	Day Rate
BAPRAS Members: Full, Overseas, Interspecialty	300 €	150 €
BAPRAS Members: Trainee, Junior, other	200 €	100 €
Medical students/Physiotherapists/Nurses/other	20 €	

Standard registration	Whole	Day
from 16 July 2015 and On site registration	Meeting	Rate
BAPRAS Members: Full, Overseas, Interspecialty	400 €	200 €
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- Entrance to the Opening Ceremony
- Welcome Reception and Exhibition opening
- Daily tea and coffee breaks
- Light lunch
- All documentation
- Entry to all general sessions and exhibition area
- Certificate of attendance

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- Daily tea and coffee breaks
- Printed Program
- Entry to all general sessions and exhibition area
- Certificate of attendance

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Makedonia Palace	****		
City View		120,00	130,00
Sea View		130,00	140,00
City Hotel	****	75.00	85.00
City View		120,00	130,00
Queen Olga	***	45.00	60.00
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