

Register Today to Attend ASNR 2026!

Have you registered yet for our 2026 Annual Meeting? We can't wait to see everyone in sunny Long Beach March 25–27th. We have an outstanding event that will bring together neurorehabilitation professionals from across the United States and around the world to connect, share new research, and shape the future of the field. We're excited to share what you can expect at this year's Meeting, and we encourage you to visit [our ASNR 2026 page](#) to get more information, browse the speakers and sessions, reserve your hotel room, and complete your registration. Our [early-bird discounted registration rates](#) are in effect through March 2, 2026.



Our Program and Education Committees, chaired by Drs. Heidi Schambra and Ela Plow, have put together an engaging program that includes scientific symposia, oral presentations, professional development sessions and roundtables, poster presentations, and ample networking opportunities. The single-track format means that all attendees can attend all sessions together, so you don't have to miss out on any content. It also provides opportunities to learn from researchers and clinicians with different backgrounds, to draw inspiration from work in other areas, and to build bridges across neurorehabilitation disciplines.

"It has been a delight to work with the Program Committee to plan the content for this meeting. They have been incredibly thoughtful about the structure of the scientific sessions and the selection of the symposia that will be featured this year. We are grateful to everyone who submitted symposium proposals, and we are thrilled to showcase a variety of scientific and clinical topics," remarked Dr. Schambra.

"ASNR's Education and Training Committee is excited to offer a host of programming this year, ranging from our popular "icebreaker" roundtable discussions to Professional Development Sessions, which focus on equipping attendees with new skills in innovative, cutting-edge areas," Dr. Plow explained.

There will be a [Pre-Conference Workshop](#) on Tuesday, March 24th, from 6:00-8:00pm focused on implantable brain-computer interfaces (iBCI) and how to define who is eligible and what success means for this intervention.

We'll kick off the Meeting on Wednesday, March 25th with our highly interactive Professional Development Roundtables, with experts facilitating discussions on lived experience, academia vs. industry, managing lab dynamics, writing for impact, making new connections, and cost-effective and resilient research. The agenda for day one of the conference includes two

scientific symposia examining cognitive-motor interactions and imposing brain rhythms to improve function, our ASNR Business Meeting, and oral abstract presentations from top-scoring trainees. You will also have multiple breaks where you can grab some refreshments and network with fellow attendees. A poster reception will be held at the end of the first day, and attendees can peruse the posters, speak with exhibitors, and sneak a peek at the beautiful sunset.

“We encourage you to meet ASNR TIGRR Grant recipients and Mentors and Mentees from our Virtual Mentoring program. New for Trainees at this year’s Annual Meeting is the “Be the Voice of ASNR” initiative, where we’ll be gathering input to shape the Trainee Special Interest Group (SIG),” noted Dr. Plow. “We look forward to connecting with you at ASNR 2026!”

On Thursday, March 26th, attendees will join us for a Professional Development Session focused on common data and closing the gap between clinical research and clinical practice. There will be three additional scientific symposia sessions: stem cell therapies for spinal cord injury, rethinking outcome metrics for motor function, and using ischemic preconditioning therapeutically. There will also be an awards presentation and panel discussion, as well as dedicated time to visit with exhibitors during lunch. Day two of the Annual Meeting will end following our second poster reception.

The final day of the meeting will start with a Professional Development Session on molecular blood biomarkers. This will be followed by our final two scientific symposia focusing on balance discordance and the CYCLE2 trial findings, interspersed with breaks. We’re looking forward to wrapping up the meeting on Thursday afternoon with final remarks and the big reveal of the location for our next Annual Meeting in 2027.

“I look forward to the ASNR Annual Meeting every year because it brings together a welcoming, thoughtful, and purpose-driven community devoted to neurorecovery and neurorehabilitation. I always leave with new ways of approaching our most stubborn questions and with new ideas that continue to shape my work long after the meeting ends,” Dr. Schambra reflected.

Our ASNR team is happy to answer any questions, and you can get in touch with us by email at info@asnr.com. During the Annual Meeting, ASNR leadership and ambassadors will also wear “Ask Me” buttons and can help with any questions or problems that arise onsite. Feel free to approach any of us for assistance, to share feedback, or to introduce yourself! See you in Long Beach!