CAN-ACN

CANADIAN ASSOCIATION FOR NEUROSCIENCE
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Connecting Neuroscientists across Canada

About the Association

The Canadian Association for Neuroscience is a non-profit organization dedicated to the promotion of Neuroscience research in Canada.

CAN-ACN is an Association of researchers, students and trainees actively working in Neuroscience research.

Our Association represents the interests of Canadian neuroscientists at national and international levels.

The Canadian Neuroscience Meeting

The Canadian Neuroscience Meeting is organized annually by CAN-ACN, and has taken place since 2007.

Plenary lectures, symposia and poster presentations showcase recent progress in Neuroscience research. This meeting provides excellent opportunities for networking, and for Canadian neuroscientist to discuss issues that matter to them.

The 10th Edition of the meeting will take place May 29 - June 1 in Toronto. Our presidential speaker will be Dr John O'Keefe (University College London), he is the recipient of last year's Nobel Prize in Medicine and received his PhD from McGill University in 1967.

CAN Young Investigator Award

Awarded yearly at our annual meeting since 2011, the CAN *Young Investigator Award* recognizes outstanding research achievements by a young neuroscientist at the early stage of his or her career. .

New and ongoing initiatives

We currently aim to:

Bring awareness about the current situation of neuroscience research funding in Canada, which is a major concern for our members.

Promote the value of basic, curiosity-driven research that will lead to a better understanding of the brain and nervous system.

Promote research as the foundation that will lead to the development of new treatments for neurological diseases and conditions that affect one in three Canadians.

Highlight important Canadian neuroscience discoveries on our website and social media.

Communicate the importance of health research to the public.

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