

Conference Information

Phone No.: (202) 234-0700

The Registration Desk in the lobby of the hotel will be open as follows:

October 27	4:00 p.m. to	9:00 p.m.	\$25.00
October 28	8:00 a.m. to	6:00 p.m.	
October 29	8:00 a.m. to	6:00 p.m.	
October 30	8:30 a.m. to	11:30 a.m.	
for Members			\$20.00
for Non-Members			\$25.00
for Students			\$ 5.00

Registration fee includes attendance at all meeting sessions and a copy of the Abstracts Program.

Registration fee is \$10.00

per day admission to meeting sessions and Abstracts Program.

A registration card is enclosed for an inter-city telephone call.

Message Center: A Conference Message Center will be operating during the same hours as the Registration Desk. We suggest that callers who wish to reach the message center each day ask the hotel operator (202-234-0700) for the Conference Message Center.

Reservations: Blocks of rooms at the Shoreham Park Hotels have been set aside for the Society for Neuroscience First Annual Meeting. To insure confirmed reservations from your reservation must be RECEIVED BY OCTOBER 6, 1971. An oral or written guarantee of payment is required for your room if arrival is scheduled after October 6. Please use the enclosed hotel reservation card.

A cash bar reception is scheduled for October 27, from 8:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. in the Shoreham Hotel. The room location will be posted in the lobby. President Mountcastle, officers, members of the Council and Chapter officers and representatives will be there to greet you.

Program: Each member of the Society for Neuroscience and all non-members who register in advance will receive a copy of the Meeting Abstracts Program. PLEASE BRING THIS WITH YOU TO THE MEETING. There will be a charge for additional program materials.

Hotel: A Hospitality Room for Conference delegates and their spouses will be set aside in the Shoreham Hotel. Information about Washington sight-seeing, theatre, restaurants and other special activities is available in this area.

Transportation: For the October 29, Kennedy Center transportation will be provided to and from the Shoreham Hotel and the Kennedy Center.

Delegates to Enjoy Gala Evening at Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts

A block of tickets for the Friday evening, October 29, performance at the Kennedy Center Opera House, has been reserved for delegates to the First Annual Meeting of the Society for Neuroscience. "Candide," adapted from Voltaire's satirical play, with music by Leonard Bernstein, and lyrics by Richard Wilbur and John La Touche, is the first musical play to be produced at the Center, and is scheduled for performance that evening. The score, according to Washington Post critic Richard L. Coe, is Bernstein's most sophisticated, with the "melodic verve of Mozart" and the "lilt of Gilbert and Sullivan."

Tickets are \$10.50. Those attending the Kennedy Center will be conveniently bussed to the Center from the Shoreham Hotel where that evening's reception and buffet dinner is being held. Reception and buffet tickets are \$13.00 each. You may attend the reception without purchasing tickets for the performance of "Candide," or attend the Kennedy Center performance without going to the reception. It's your pleasure!

The John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts is located on the Potomac River and offers a magnificent view. The two-block long structure includes a theatre, an opera house (with one of the largest stages in the world), a concert hall, movie theatre, restaurants, lounges, and a 1,600 car garage. Gifts from foreign countries include marble from Italy, chandeliers from Norway, Sweden and Ireland, furnishings from Denmark, a silk curtain from Japan and bronze sculptured panels from Germany. Designed by Edward Durell Stone, the Center will serve as the focal point of music, theatre and dance for the Nation's Capital.

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PRELIMINARY PROGRAM

Wednesday 27 October

4:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

Registration

8:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.

Opening Reception

Thursday 28 October

8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Registration

9:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

Three Simultaneous Programs

- Sensation and Perception: Psychophysical Measurements and Brain Mechanics
Chairman: Vernon B. Mountcastle, M.D., Ph.D., Director, Department of Physiology, Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine

- Macromolecular Mechanisms
Chairman: Francis O. Schmitt, Ph.D., Chairman, Neurosciences Research Program, Massachusetts Institute of Technology

- Critical Periods in CNS Development
Chairman: Richard Held, Ph.D., Professor of Experimental Psychology, Massachusetts Institute of Technology

1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Nine simultaneous sessions of contributed papers.

(10 minutes per paper plus 5 minutes discussion)

Session Topics

- Non-cortical Visual Mechanisms
- Metabolism
- Molecular Modification and Memory
- Hypothalamic Functions
- Neural Nets and Models
- EEG and Behavior
- Coding in Sensory Systems
- Drugs and Neural Function
- Problems of Pattern Recognition

1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

**Morphology and Ultrastructure:
Demonstration and Discussion Lounge**

4:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.

Presidential Address

- Vernon B. Mountcastle, President
Society for Neuroscience

Friday 29 October

8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Registration

9:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

Three Simultaneous Programs

- Education in the Neurosciences
Chairman: Horace W. Magoun, M.D., Dean, Graduate Division, University of California, Los Angeles

- Order and Disorder in Movement
Chairman: Edward V. Evarts, M.D., Chief, Laboratory of Neurophysiology, National Institute of Mental Health

- Synaptic Mechanisms
Chairman: Stephen W. Kuffler, M.D., Chairman, Department of Neurobiology, Harvard Medical School

1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

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Session Topics

- Mammalian Geniculo-striate Mechanisms
- Biogenic Amines
- Memory and Motivation
- Cellular Mechanisms
- Sleep
- Motor Control
- Synaptic Transmission
- EEG
- Behavior

4:00 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.

Business Meeting

Society for Neuroscience (open to Membership)

5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

Reception and Buffet

8:00 p.m.

Kennedy Center Event

Saturday 30 October

8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

Registration

9:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

Two Simultaneous Programs

- Neural Nets
Chairman: Donald M. Maynard, Ph.D., Professor of Biology, University of Oregon School of Medicine

- Information Processing and Storage
Chairman: Walter A. Rosenblith, Professor of Communications, Biophysics, Massachusetts Institute of Technology

9:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

General Public Session

Chairman: Karl H. Pribram, Department of Psychiatry, Stanford University School of Medicine

This last session deals with information on and about the broad range of the neurosciences. It is geared to the general public and students.

All meeting activities will adjourn at 12 noon.