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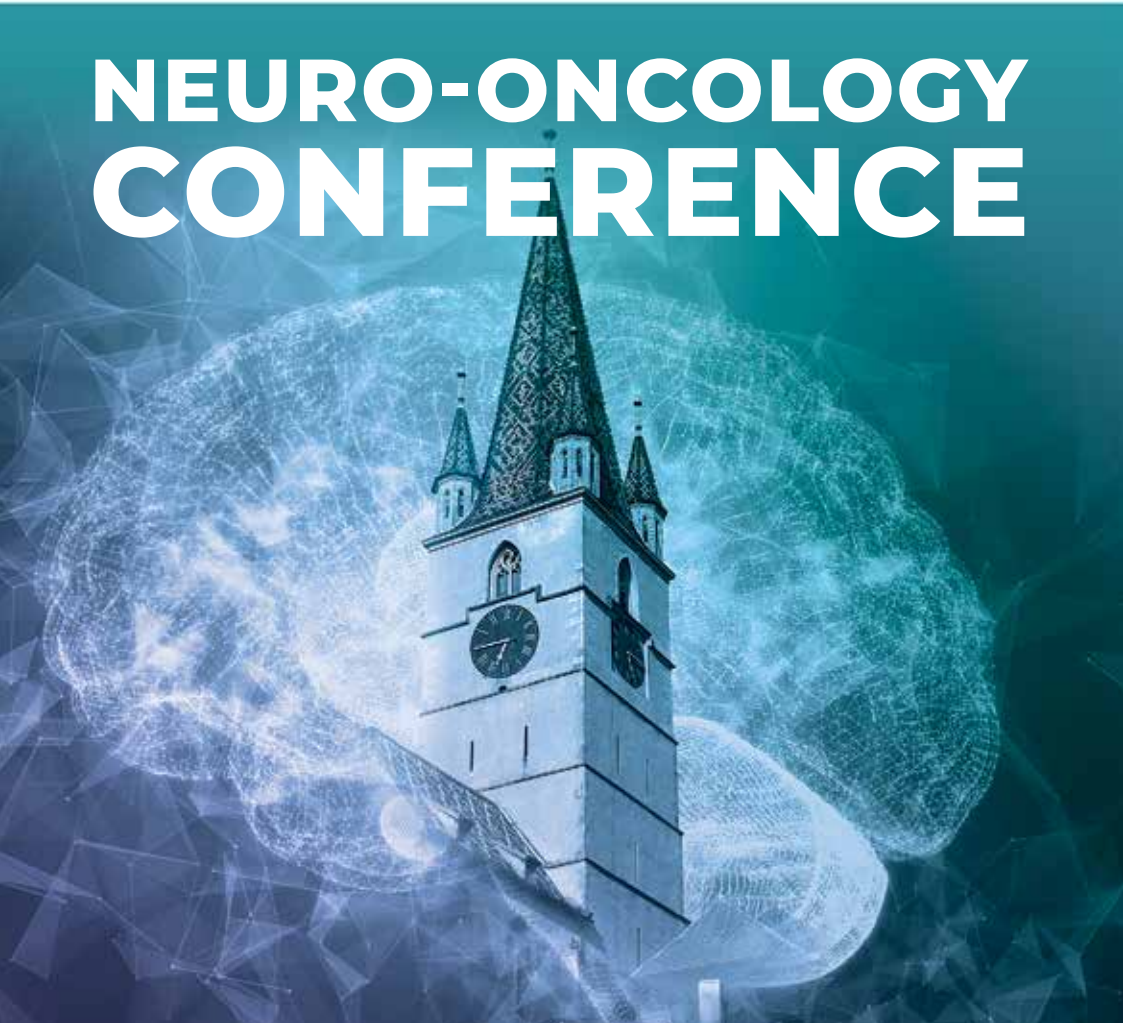
# NEURO-ONCOLOGY CONFERENCE



## SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM

SIBIU /23-26TH OF OCTOBER

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# Key Attractions:

## BRIDGE OF LIES

The pedestrian bridge connecting the two parts of the Small square allows the link between the Lower Town and the Upper Town. The bridge is placed on a gate bridge belonging to the 2nd fortification wall. The initially vaulted passage used to be made through an conglomerate of buildings which had been demolished in 1851.
The legend says that the bridge will collapse if someone will sit on it and tell a lie.
In the local oral tradition circulates various legends about this bridge,
legends about the lovers lies or those of the merchants that sold in the area.

## COUNCIL TOWER

**It is one of the most famous monuments of Sibiu.**
It bears this name because it used to defend the entrance gate into the second precinct, situated in the immediate vicinity of the building which once hosted the City Hall of Sibiu, mentioned in the documents for the first time in 1324.

## ASTRA – MUSEUM

The ASTRA Museum of Folkloric Traditional Civilization is situated in the Dumbrava Forest, at a distance of 4 kilometers from the city. The museum functions since 1963 under the name of the Museum of Folkloric Technique and stretches over 96 hectares and an exhibition circuit of 10 kilometers in length. The museum hosts original monuments representative for the values of the Romanian village.

## BRUKENTHAL MUSEUM

After his return to Sibiu as the Governor of the Great Principality of Transylvania (1777-1787), the Baron Samuel von Brukenthal brought along his collections, and Hochmeister's Calendar for the year 1790 mentions among the attractions of the city the painting collections including 800 paintings divided in 13 halls of the Brukenthal Palace. Over time the collections enriched both through acquisitions and donations.

## THE DEFENSE TOWERS AND WALLS

One next to another, the old stronghold towers gather round the heart of the city like a girdle of unflinching sentries. "The Red City" – that's how they called Sibiu because of its red clay brick walls that kept the foes at bay. The fortifications watched over the whole history of Hermannstadt and these walls carry the city's 823 years of attested history carved deep within them.

## ZOO SIBIU

The first zoo in Romania was founded in 1929 in the Dumbrava Forest, by the Electricity Factory Sibiu, thanks to the initiative of engineer Szekely. The idea occurred to him when he encountered some foxes while working at the Sadu dam.

# COMPREHENSIVE ADVANCEMENTS IN RESEARCH AND EXCHANGES FOR NEURO-ONCOLOGY

## Dear friends,

It is with great pleasure that I invite you to thake part in the second edition of the Interantional Conference Comprehensive Advancements in Research and Exchanges for Neuro-oncology, CARE4NEURO-ONCOLOGY,

organized by Lucian Blaga University of Sibiu, the Faculty of Medicine, with the support of The Romanian College of Physicians and MedLife. The event will take place on **October 23th - 26th, 2024, in Sibiu, Romania.**

The first edition of this conference also, organised under the auspices of the Faculty of Medicine within Lucian Blaga University of Sibiu was a great success and encouraged us to continue the event this year also.

**The first edition gathered more than 350 participants,** that had the opportunity to meet experts form diferent medical fields dealing with the diagnosis and treatment of brain tumors: oncology, anatomo-pathology, radiotherapy, neurosurgery, medical rehabilitation, psychiatry, internal medicine, palliative care, pain therapy, anesthesia and intensive therapy, ENT, ophthalmology, neurology or radiology.

Last year`s event **brought together 51 speakers with great expertise in neuro-oncology,** from many European countries and also from the USA. We had the privilege to benefit from the special collaboration with medical personalities from Romania, Germany, France, Poland, Great Britain and Spain will be presenting their avancements in brain tumor areas.

We remain confident to the principle that modern medicine is a multidisciplinary science and oncology treatments must be personalized and individualized on a case-by-case basis, as taught by Hippocrates, the father of medicine, who anticipated 2300 years ago, that: ***"we need to not treat the disease but the patient".***

Thus, we are inviting specialists from all medical fields involved in the diagnosis and treatment of brain, spinal or peripheral nerve tumors, both in adults and children, to join our conference. We are looking forward to meeting you at this scientific event, to share knowledge and experience with responsibility, confidence and realism on disease management in neuro-oncology.

**The event will be hosted in the same location as the last year, at Lucian Blaga University of Sibiu, the Faculty of Medicine, Aula Magna,** a spacious location with exceptional acoustics and the best conditions for such an outstanding event.

Newcomes are invited to visit the multicultural city of Sibiu, a tourist location known as former European cultural capital, where tradition harmoniously combines with modernism, looking forward to being explored during the days of CARE4NEURO-ONCOLOGY.

Warmly,

**Dr. Claudiu Matei, MD, PhD**

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# General Information

## ORGANIZERS

- Lucian Blaga University of Sibiu, Romania, Faculty of Medicine of Sibiu
- Romanian College of Physicians – Sibiu
- The conference was organized with the support of **MedLife**

## OFFICIAL LANGUAGE

The working language of the conference is Romanian. Scientific presentation will be held in English.

## BADGES

All participants must wear their badges while they are inside the congress center.

## CATERING

Participants will serve the coffee braks/lunch in the designated spaces, as detailed in the Program HandBook.

## MOBILE PHONES

During all sessions, it is necessary to turn off mobile phones.

## ACREDITATION

The Romanian College of Physicians (CMR) will award **24 Continuing Medical Education points** for attending the conference.

## INFO STAND

You will find the Info Stand at the Faculty of Medicine's lobby, with the following working schedule:

- Wednesday October 23th 2024
  09:00 - 19:00
- Thursday October 24th 2024
  09:00 - 18:15
- Friday October 25th 2024
  09:00 - 17:00
- Saturday, October 26th 2024
  09:00 - 16:45

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To enter the conference room, you'll need to use the badge that you'll receive upon registering at the Info Stand. Seats in the room will be allocated on a first-come, first-served basis.

## CERTIFICAT OF ATTENDANCE

Once the conference is over, you will receive a certificate of attendance, after completing a short satisfaction survey.

## SMOKING

Only in designated areas is smoking permitted.

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The information stand is the designated location to collect lost property. In case of a lost item, kindly get in touch with the Info Stand for reporting.

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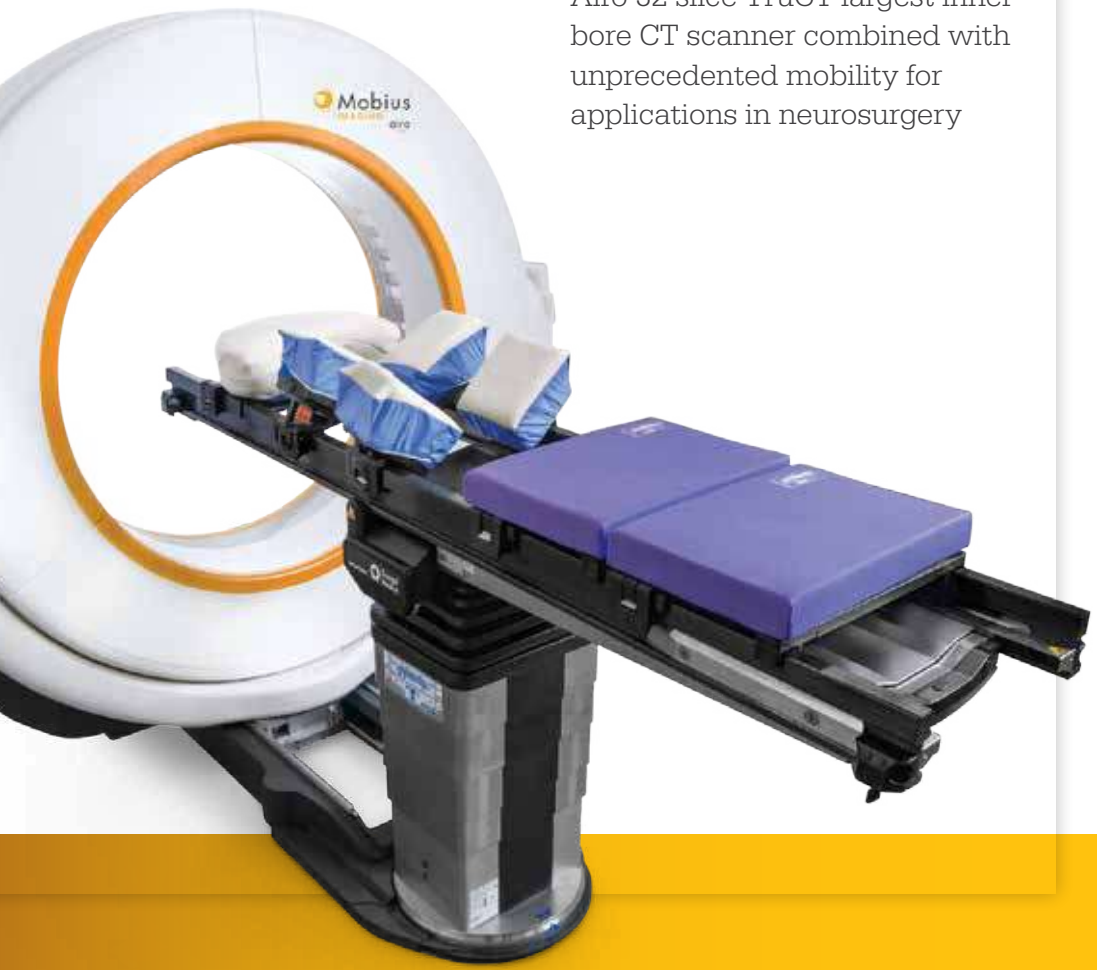


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## Preşedinte
## Comitet Organizatoric

*Comitetul nostru este format din profesioniști de renume, lideri în domeniul neuro-oncologiei, fiecare aducând o vastă experiență și o pasiune deosebită pentru această conferință. Împreună, ne dedicăm creării unui forum pentru învățare, colaborare și inovație în lupta împotriva cancerului.*

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**Claudiu Matei, MD, PhD**

Neurosurgeon

**Daniel Roy Thomas, MD, PhD**

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**Ioan Ștefan Florian, MD, PhD**

Neurosurgeon

**Lukas Rasulic, MD, PhD, IFAANS, FACS**

Neurosurgeon

**Marcel Ivanov, MD, PhD, MSc, FRCS, iFAANS, Dip Clin Ed**

Consultant Neurosurgeon and Spinal Surgeon

**Maria Fleșeriu, MD, FACE**

Neuroendocrinologist, Director pituitary center

**Valentin Calugaru, MD, PhD**

Radiotherapy

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(in alphabetical order)

**Ahmed Siam, MHBA, M.Sc.**
Orthopaedic Surgeon

**Ciprian Bolca, MD, PhD**
General Thoracic Surgery

**Dana M. Harris, MD**
Infectious Disease Specialist

**Jacek Kunicki**
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Radiation Oncologist

**Lucian Vlad MD**
Clinical Associate Professor

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General Internal Medicine

**Roxana S. Dronca MD**
Oncology

**Steven S. Rosenfeld, Md, PhD**
Neurologist

**Velko Stoimenov, PhD**
Radiotherapy Sales Director
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**Wendy J. Sherman, MD**
Neuro Oncologist

# LOCAL SPEAKERS

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**Adrian Moroti**
Ophthalmology

**Adrian Teodoru MD, PhD**
Ophthalmology

**Adriana Stănilă**
Ophthalmology

**Alin Blaga**
Neurosurgeon

**Alin Lădaru Bogdan PhD, GM**
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**Alina Cătană**

Hematologist

**Ana Teodora Băncila, MD, PhD**

Radiotherapy

**Anca Hâncu, MD, PhD**

Lifestyle medicine medical doctor

**Andrada Turcas, MD, PhD**

Radiation Oncologist

**Cristina Andreea Lechințan**

Psychologist

**AndreeaDan**

Radiology and Medical Imaging

**Bogdan Mocanu**

Radiation Oncology

**Cătălin Iacob, MD**

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**Ciprian Bacilă, MD, PhD**

Psychotherapist

**Ciprian Șofariu, MD, PhD**

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**Corina Liana Faur**

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**Cosmin Mutu, MD, PhD**

Neurologist

**Cristina Iftode, MD**
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**Dan Corneliu Jinga**
Oncologist

**Dan Filip, MD, PhD**
Neurologist

**Dan Stănilă, MD, PhD**
Ophthalmology

**Dan Șuiagă**
Neurosurgeon

**Dan Teleanu**
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**Victor Nimirceag**
Oncologist

# CONGRESS AGENDA

## Day 1

**WEDNESDAY, October 23th 2024**

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| **09:00** | **OPENING CEREMONY**<br>Care4Cancer 2024 and Press Conference |

SPEAKERS: **Dr. Claudiu Matei, Conf. univ. Dr. Radu Fleacă, Prof. Univ. Dr. Abil. Sorin RADU, Dr. Nicolae Marcu, Dr. Larisa Chiriac, Conf. Dr. Radu Chicea, Prof. dr. Ștefan Ioan Florian**

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| **09:30** | **11:15** | **Session A \|** Neurooncology updates |
| | | **Moderators: Wendy J. Serman / Michael Schenker** |
| **09:30** | **09:45** | **Management of Melanoma Brain Metastases - Multidisciplinary Approach**<br>**Laura Sinea** / *MedLife Polisano, Sibiu, Romania* |
| **09:45** | **10:00** | **Therapeutic Approach to Rapidly Progressive Glioblastoma Multiforme. Present and Future in Clinical Practice**<br>**Ramona Coca** / *Emergencies County Clinical Hospital, Sibiu, Romania* |
| **10:00** | **10:30** | **Medical Management of Brain Metastases**<br>**Steven S. Rosenfeld, Md, PhD** / *Mayo Clinic, Jacksonville, USA* |
| **10:30** | **11:00** | **Updates in The Management of Primary Brain Tumors**<br>**Wendy J. Sherman, MD** / *Mayo Clinic, Jacksonville, USA* |
| **11:00** | **11:15** | **Intracranial Radiosurgery with Cyber- Knife**<br>*Oncosystems* |
| **11:15** | **11:30** | **COFFEE BREAK**<br>Refreshments are available in the showcase exhibition area, **sponsored by:** |

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## WEDNESDAY, October 23th 2024

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| 11:30 | 13:45 | **Session B \|** Challenges and Breakthroughs in Brain Tumor Management |
| | | **Moderators:** Alina Cătană / Victor Nimirceag |
| 11:30 | 12:00 | **Peripheral Nerve Tumors as an Ongoing Challenges in Neurooncology-biological and Technical Nuances**<br>Lukas Rasulic, MD, PhD, IFAANS, FACS / *University Clinical Centre of Serbia*<br>KEYNOTE SPEAKER |
| 12:00 | 12:30 | **Ocular Colangiocarcinoma**<br>Alina Cătană / *Emergency County Clinical Hospital, Sibiu, Romania* |
| 12:30 | 12:45 | **The Dosimetric Gradient and the Importance of Daily Controls**<br>Nistor Dorian / *MedLife Polisano, Sibiu, Romania* |
| 12:45 | 13:00 | **Optimal Initial Treatment Indication for Breast Cancer Brain Metastases: Surgery vs Radiotherapy vs Systemic Treatment**<br>Victor Nimirceag / *MedLife Polisano, Sibiu, Romania* |
| 13:00 | 13:30 | **Fundamentals and Use of Protons and Particle Therapy for Skull Base Tumors**<br>Valentin Calugaru, MD, PhD / *Curie Insitut, Paris, France*<br>KEYNOTE SPEAKER |
| 13:30 | 13:45 | **Discussion** |
| 13:45 | 14:30 | **LUNCH**<br>Is available in the showcase exhibition area, **sponsored by:** RUBIN eat & relax |

# Day 1

## WEDNESDAY, October 23th 2024

**14:30 – 18:00 | Session C | Advances in Radiotherapy and Multidisciplinary Approaches**

**Moderators:** Jennifer L. Peterson, MD / Cătălin Iacob Ioan, MD

**14:30 – 15:00** LIVE

**Re-Irradiation with Stereotactic Radiosurgery for Recurrent High Grade Glioma**
Anca Ligia Grosu, MD, PhD /
*Radiation Oncology Department, University Medical Center Freiburg, Germany*

online
KEYNOTE SPEAKER

**15:00 – 15:15**
**Immunomodulatory Effects of Radiotherapy**
Cătălin Iacob Ioan, MD / *MedLife, Brasov, Romania*

**15:15 – 15:30**
**Recurrent High Grade Glioma: Treatment Options**
Cristina Iftode, MD / *Global Medical Health, Bucharest, Romania*

**15:30 – 16:00**
**Advancements in Radiation Oncology for CNS Tumors**
Jennifer L. Peterson, MD / *Mayo Clinic, Jacksonville, USA*

**16:00 – 16:15**
**Management of Relapsed Gliomas: Current Approaches and Future Perspectives**
Andrada Turcas, MD, PhD /
*Radiotherapy Department, Oncology Institute Cluj-Napoca*

**16:15 – 16:30**
**Multidisciplinary Management of CNS Germinoma: Advanced Insights from Radiation Oncology**
Roxana Pridon Nechita / *MedLife Polisano, Sibiu, Romania*

**16:30 – 17:00**
**Perioperative Evaluation of the Neurosurgical Patient**
Dana M. Harris, MD / *Mayo Clinic, Jacksonville, USA*

**17:00 – 17:30**
**Hyponatremia in the Neurosurgical Patient**
Razvan M. Chirila, MD / *Mayo Clinic, Jacksonville, USA*

**17:30 – 18:00**
**Roundtable:** Management of High-grade Glioma Recurrences - The Oncologist's and Radiation Therapist's Perspective
Anca Ligia Grosu / Wendy J. Sherman / Valentin Calugaru / Jeniffer Petterson / Eugeniu Banu / Catalin Iacob / Andrada Turcas Bologa / Ramona Coca, Steven Rosenfeld /

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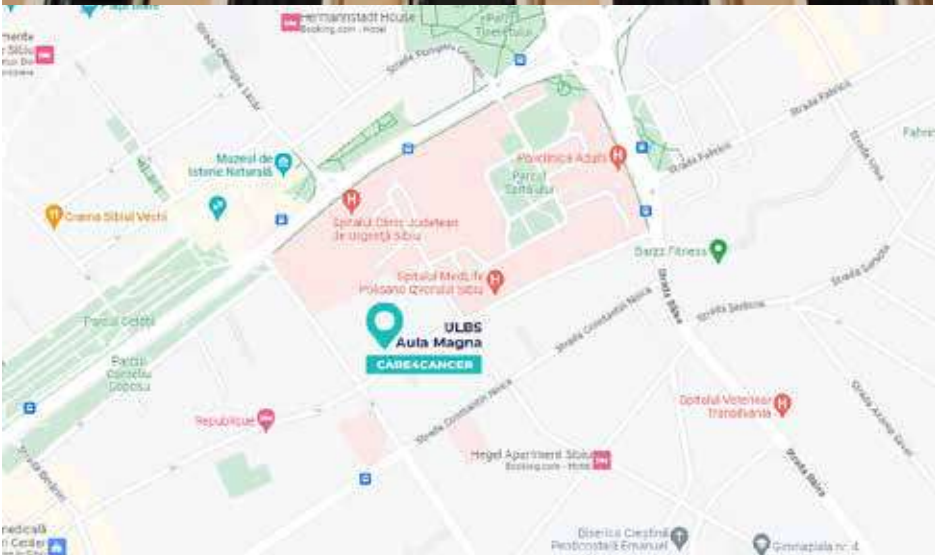

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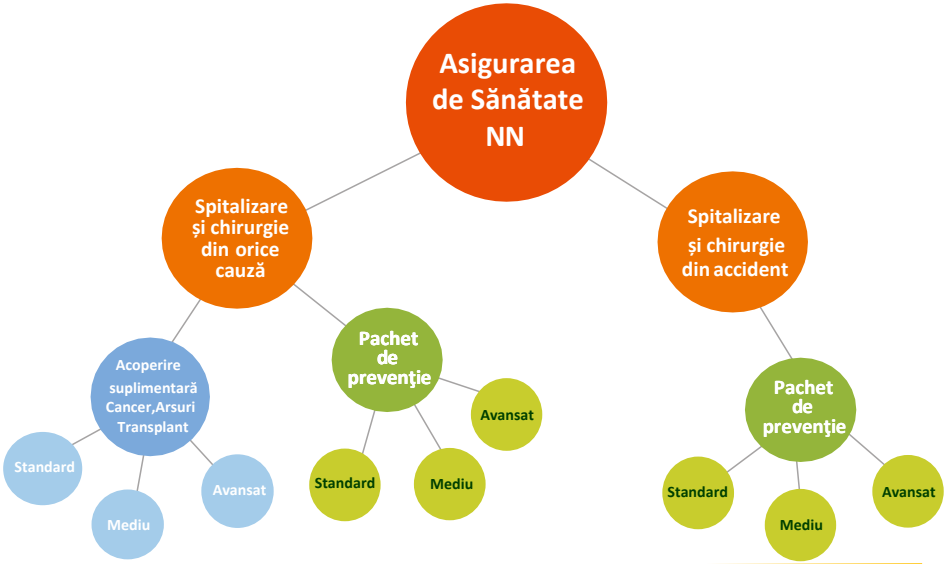


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## THURSDAY, October 24th 2024

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| 09:00 | 11:00 | **Session D |** Diagnostic in Neuro-Oncology |
| | | **Moderators:** Raluca Ghica / Ciprian Radu Șofariu, MD, PhD |
| 09:00 | 09:15 | **Case Reports in Brain Tumours**<br>Mihaela Racheriu, MD, Phd /<br>*Emergencies County Clinical Hospital, Sibiu, Romania* |
| 09:15 | 09:30 | **Advaced Imaging in Preoperative Settings**<br>Mariana Sandu / *MedLife Polisano, Sibiu, Romania* |
| 09:30 | 09:45 | **Advanced in Glioma Classification**<br>Raluca Ghica / *MedLife Humanitas, Cluj-Napoca, Romania* |
| 09:45 | 10:00 | **Radionecrosis, Pseudoprogresion and Disease Progression**<br>Dan Andreea / *MedLife Polisano, Sibiu, Romania* |
| 10:00 | 10:15 | **Preoperative Evaluation of Brain Tumors in Children: Answers from the Radiologist**<br>Ciprian Radu Șofariu, MD, PhD /<br>*Pediatric Clinical Hospital, Sibiu, Romania* |
| 10:15 | 10:30 | **Interventional Treatment of Vertebral Metastatic Disease**<br>Ovidiu Palea / *Provita Medical Grup, Bucharest, Romania* |
| 10:30 | 10:45 | **High Grade Glioma Cases**<br>Simona Bondari, MD, PhD Associate Professor /<br>*MedLife Prima Medical Craiova* |
| 10:45 | 11:00 | **Roundtable:** Diferential diagnosis Radionecrosis vs Recidive<br>Mariana Sandu / Mihaela Racheriu, MD, Phd / Andreea Dan / Ciprian Radu Șofariu, MD, PhD / Simona Bondari, MD, PhD |
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# Day 2

## THURSDAY, October 24th 2024

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| 11:30 | 12:00 | **Augmented Reality and Navigation Transforming Spine Surgeryand Tumor Treatment.**<br>**Marcel Ivanov, MD, PhD, MSc, FRCS, iFAANS, Dip Clin Ed** / *Royal Hallamshire Hospital, Sheffield, UK*<br>**KEYNOTE SPEAKER** |
| 12:00 | 12:30 | **Spine Navigation & Intra-op CT Solutions: Q Guidance & Airo TruCT**<br>**Mert Agcioglu, Marketing Manager, Enabling Technologies** /<br>*Stryker - Turkey, CEE & Poland* |
| 12:30 | 13:45 | **Session E \|** Challenges and Solutions in Neuro - Oncology |
| | | **Moderators: Lazăr Ioana / Jinga Dan Corneliu** |
| 12:30 | 12:45 | **Modern Treatment of Brain Metastases in Melanoma: Concurrent and Sequential Systemic and Local Therapies**<br>**Dan Corneliu Jinga[1], Ana Bancila[2], Raluca Bulboaca[3]**<br>*Medical Oncology and Hematology Department, Neolife Bucharest[1]*<br>*Radiation Oncology Department, Neolife Bucharest[2]*<br>*Medical Oncology Department, Prof. Dr. Alexandru Trestioreanu Institute, Bucharest[3]* |
| 12:45 | 13:00 | **Glioblastoma - 3 Years Survival and Counting: Clinical Case Report**<br>**Ioana Lazar[1], Ana Bancila[2], Sabina Sucuri[3]**<br>*Medical Oncology and Hematology Department, Neolife Bucharest[1]*<br>*Radiation Oncology Department, Neolife Bucharest[2]*<br>*Radiation Oncology Department, Coltea Clinical Hospital Bucharest[3]* |
| 13:00 | 13:15 | **Primitive Cerebral Lymphoma in Elderly Patients: Challenges of Different Therapeutic Strategies**<br>**Iuliana Nicorescu[1], Alina Menciu[2], Ana Bancila[2], Bogdan Mocanu[3]**<br>Medical Oncology and Hematology Department, Neolife Bucharest1<br>Radiation Oncology Department, Neolife Bucharest2<br>Radiation Oncology Department, Coltea Clinical Hospital Bucharest3 |
| 13:15 | 13:30 | **Lifestyle - the Support for Cancer Survivor Patients.**<br>**Anca Hâncu, MD, PhD** / *MedLife Bucharest* |
| 13:30 | 13:45 | **Parathyroid cancer – Rare but aggressive cancer**<br>**Mihaela Stanciu, MD, PhD** /<br>*Emergencies County Clinical Hospital, Sibiu, Romania* |
| 13:45 | 14:30 | **LUNCH**<br>Is available in the showcase exhibition area, **sponsored by:** RUBIN eat & relax |

# Day 2

## THURSDAY, October 24th 2024

**14:30 – 15:00**

**Brain Melanoma Metastasis**
**Roxana S. Dronca, MD** / *Mayo Clinic, Jacksonville, USA*

**15:00 – 15:30**

LIVE

**Keynote Lecture - Live OnLine**
**Alfredo Quinones-Hinojosa, M.D.** /
*Mayo Clinic, Jacksonville, USA*

online
KEYNOTE SPEAKER

**15:30 – 15:45**

**Discussion**

**15:45 – 16:00**

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## THURSDAY, October 24th 2024

| | | Session F \| Quality of life |
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| | | **Moderators:** Liana Chicea, MD, PhD / Lucian Vlad, MD |
| 16:00 | 16:15 | **Evaluation of Cognitive Function in Patients with Brain Cancer vs Benign Brain Tumors**<br>Ciprian Băcilă, MD, PhD /<br>*Emergency County Clinical Hospital, Sibiu, Romania* |
| 16:15 | 16:30 | **Why should a Rheumatologist Join Neurooncology Multidisciplinary Team**<br>Liana Chicea, MD, PhD /<br>*Emergency County Clinical Hospital, Sibiu, Romania* |
| 16:30 | 16:45 | **Neuroplasticity and the Importance of Reabilitation Interventions**<br>Florina Ligia Popa, MD, PhD / *MedLife Polisano, Sibiu, Romania* |
| 16:45 | 17:00 | **Palliative Care in Neurological Disorders and Comorbidities**<br>Cosmin Mutu, MD, PhD / *Emergency County Clinical Hospital, Sibiu, Romania* |
| 17:00 | 17:15 | **Secondary Wound Healing and Reconstruction Options Scaffoloding Grafts, HBO, NPWT**<br>Lucian Vlad, MD / *Winston-Salem, North Carolina, USA* |
| 17:15 | 17:30 | **Nutritional Recommendations for The Cancer Patient or About Unicorns and a Rainbow.**<br>Simona Gălățan / *Pediatric Clinical Hospital, Sibiu, Romania* |
| 17:30 | 17:45 | **The Impact of Stimulating Activities in Mitigating the Side Effects of Cancer Treatments**<br>Cristina Andreea Lechințan / *MedLife, Brașov, Romania* |
| 17:45 | 18:15 | |
| | | **Roundtable: Quality of life**<br>Lucian Vlad, MD / Cosmin Mutu, MD, PhD /<br>Simona Gălățan / Ciprian Băcilă, MD, PhD |
| 20:00 | | **GALA DINNER** |

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## Day 3

**FRIDAY, October 25th 2024**

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| 09:00 | 11:45 | **Session G \|** Skull Base and Pituitary Tumors |
| | | **Moderators:** Maria Fleșeriu, MD, FACE / Jacek Kunicki |
| 09:00 | 09:15 | **Transnasal Endoscopic Surgery of Pituitary Tumors**<br>Sorin Sabău, MD, PhD / *MedLife Polisano, Sibiu, Romania* |
| 09:15 | 09:30 | **Endoscopic Endonasal Approach for Supraselar Tumors**<br>Jacek Kunicki / *National Institue of Oncology, Warsaw, Poland* |
| 09:30 | 09:45 | **Neuromonitoring in Skull Base Tumors Surgery**<br>Dan Filip, MD, PhD / *MedLife Polisano, Sibiu, Romania* |
| 09:45 | 10:00 | **Skull Base Tumors - the Anesthesiologist View**<br>Iulia Dancu / *MedLife Polisano, Sibiu, Romania* |
| 10:00 | 10:15 | **Endocrinologic Disturbances in Neurooncology**<br>Corina Liana Faur / *MedLife Polisano, Sibiu, Romania* |
| 10:15 | 10:30 | **Hypophysitis in Patients Receiving Immune Checkpoint Inhibition**<br>Maria Fleșeriu, MD, FACE / Liana Chicea, MD, PhD /<br>*Oregon Health & Science University, Portland, USA* / |
| 10:30 | 11:00 | **Medical Management of Functioning Pituitary Tumors: Guidelines and Controversies**<br>Maria Fleșeriu, MD, FACE /<br>*Oregon Health & Science University, Portland, USA*<br>KEYNOTE SPEAKER |
| 11:00 | 11:15 | **Discussion** |
| 11:15 | 11:45 | **Wound Care Solutions**<br>Alina Barbieru / *Medica Advanced Solutions* |
| 11:45 | 12:00 | **COFFEE BREAK**<br>Refreshments are available in the showcase exhibition area, **sponsored by:** |

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## FRIDAY, October 25th 2024

**12:00 – 14:00 | Session H | Innovations and Challenges in Brain and Spine Tumor Surgery**

**Moderators: Alin Blaga / Ionuț Gobej, MD**

**12:00 – 12:15**
**Awake Surgery in Keyhole Glioma Surgery**
**Ionuț Gobej, MD** / *Neuro Hope, Bucharest*

**12:15 – 12:30**
**Butterfly Glioblastoma: to Operate?**
**Alin Blaga** / *Emergency County Clinical Hospital, Oradea,Romania*

**12:30 – 12:45**
LIVE
**Complications in Tumors Spine Surgery**
**Ahmed Siam, MHBA, M.Sc.** / *Helios Klinik Kothen, Germany*
online

**12:45 – 13:00**
**Modern Technology in Primary Spine Tumors**
**Tiberiu Maior** / *MedLife Humanitas, Cluj-Napoca, Romania*

**13:00 – 13:15**
**ZEISS Tumor Workflow: Intraoperative radiotherapy in the Brain**
**Velko Stoimenov, PhD** / *Oncosystems*

**13:15 – 13:45**
**Reflexions on Glioma Surgery**
**Ioan Ștefan Florian MD, PhD** /
*Emergency County Clinical Hospital, Cluj-Napoca, Romania*
KEYNOTE SPEAKER

**13:45 – 14:00**
**Stories About Cranio - Facial Bones Pahology**
**Mihai Rusu, MD** / *MedLife Polisano, Sibiu, Romania*

**14:00 – 15:00**
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# Day 3

## FRIDAY, October 25th 2024

**15:00 – 17:00 | Session I | Neurooncology and Beyond: Surgical Advances and Challenges**

**Moderators:** Dan Șuiagă / Dan Teleanu, MD, PhD

**15:00 – 15:30** LIVE

**Renaissance of petrosal approaches**
Roy Thomas Daniel, MD, PhD /
*Lausanne, Switzerland*

online
KEYNOTE SPEAKER

**15:30 – 15:45**

**Posterior Fossa Medulloblastoma in Adults**
Dan Șuiagă / *MedLife , Bucharest, Romania*

**15:45 – 16:00**

**Thalamic Tumors Apporach**
Claudiu Matei, MD, PhD /
*MedLife Polisano, Sibiu, Romania*

KEYNOTE SPEAKER

**16:00 – 16:15**

**Rare Tumors of Posterior Fossa in Adults - A Single Unit Experience**
Dan Teleanu, MD, PhD /
*Emergency University Hospital, Bucharest, Romania*

**16:15 – 16:30**

**Posterior Fossa Tumors in Pediatric Population: Managemend and Prognostic**
Sorin Târnoveanu / *Marie Curie Hospital, Bucharest, Romania*

**16:30 – 16:45**

**Management of Post Surgical Neuropathic Pain**
Sofia Nistor / *MedLife Polisano, Sibiu, Romania*

**16:45 – 17:00**

**Roundtable:** Management of High-grade Glioma Recurrences - Neurosurgeons Point of View
Ioan Ștefan Florian MD, PhD / Claudiu Matei, MD, PhD /
Marcel Ivanov, MD, PhD, MSc, FRCS, iFAANS, Dip Clin Ed /
Dan Teleanu, MD, PhD / Sorin Târnoveanu / Ionut Gobej / Dan Șuiagă

**19:00** DINNER

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## Day 4

| SATURDAY, October 26th 2024 | | |
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| 09:00 | 10:45 | **Session J \|** Neuro-ohtalmologic cancers |
| | | **Moderators:** Elisabeta Gabriela Murgoi / Liviu Bran |
| 09:00 | 09:15 | **Case Report - New Onset Glioblastoma and Complete Remission of Psoritic Arthritis**<br>Nedelcu Mihaela / *MedLife Polisano, Sibiu, Romania* |
| 09:15 | 09:30 | **Intraocular Tumors Management**<br>Liviu Bran / *MedLife Polisano, Sibiu, Romania* |
| 09:30 | 09:45 | **Ophtalmologic Onset of Intracranial Tumors**<br>Adriana Stănilă / Dan Mircea Stănilă, MD, PhD<br>*Ofta Total Clinic, Sibiu, Romania* |
| 09:45 | 10:00 | **Neuroretinitis - Challanges in Diagnosis and Management**<br>Adrian Teodoru, MD, PhD / Florea Emilia, PhD Std<br>*Arcadia Ophatalmology, Sibiu, Romania* |
| 10:00 | 10:15 | **OCT Examination in Brain Tumors**<br>Adrian Moroti / *MedLife Polisano, Sibiu, Romania* |
| 10:15 | 10:30 | **A Young Face, a Hidden Thereat: A Rare Case of Lacrimal Gland Tumor**<br>Elisabeta Gabriela Murgoi /<br>*Oncological Institute "Al. Trestioreanu", Bucharest, Romania* |
| 10:30 | 10:45 | **Discussion** |
| 10:45 | 11:00 | **COFFEE BREAK**<br>Refreshments are available in the showcase exhibition area, **sponsored by:** |

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## SATURDAY, October 26th 2024

| 11:00 | 14:30 | **Session k \|** Varia |
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| | | **Moderators:** Sofia Nistor, Dan Filip, MD, PhD |
| 11:00 | 11:30 | **Surgically Resection for Locally Advanced Lung Cancer with Vertebral Invasion**<br>Ciprian Bolca, MD, PhD / *L'Hopital Charles LeMoyne, Quebec, Canada* |
| 11:30 | 12:00 | **Uro-Oncology Relations with Neurologic and Neurosurgical Field**<br>Valentin Pîrvuț, MD / *MedLife Polisano, Sibiu, Romania* |
| 12:00 | 12:30 | **Patient Specific Implants and Biomaterials in Neurosurgery**<br>Alin Bogdan Lădaru, PhD / *EnLife, Bucharest, Romania* online |
| 12:30 | 13:00 | **Awake Surgery for High Grade Gliomas**<br>Claudiu Matei, MD, PhD /<br>*MedLife Polisano, Sibiu, Romania*<br>KEYNOTE SPEAKER |
| 13:00 | 13:30 | **Postzoosterian Trigeminal Neuralgia - Sphenopalatine Block, A New Possibility**<br>Sofia Nistor / *MedLife Polisano, Sibiu, Romania* |
| 13:30 | 14:00 | **Perfect timing? Anticoagulant Therapy Optimization in Postoperative Management of Brain Tumors - a Literature Review**<br>Gherman Joseph / *MedLife Polisano, Sibiu, Romania* |
| 14:00 | 14:30 | **Neuromonitoring in Spinal Tumors Surgery**<br>Dan Filip, MD, PhD / *MedLife Polisano, Sibiu, Romania* |
| 14:30 | 14:45 | **Discussion** |
| 14:45 | 15:00 | **COFFEE BREAK**<br>Refreshments are available in the showcase exhibition area, **sponsored by:** |

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## Day4

| SATURDAY, October 26th 2024 | | |
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| 15:00 | 16:45 | **Young researchers corner \|** Session dedicated to students and residents |
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| 16:45 | 17:00 | **Closing Remarks** |

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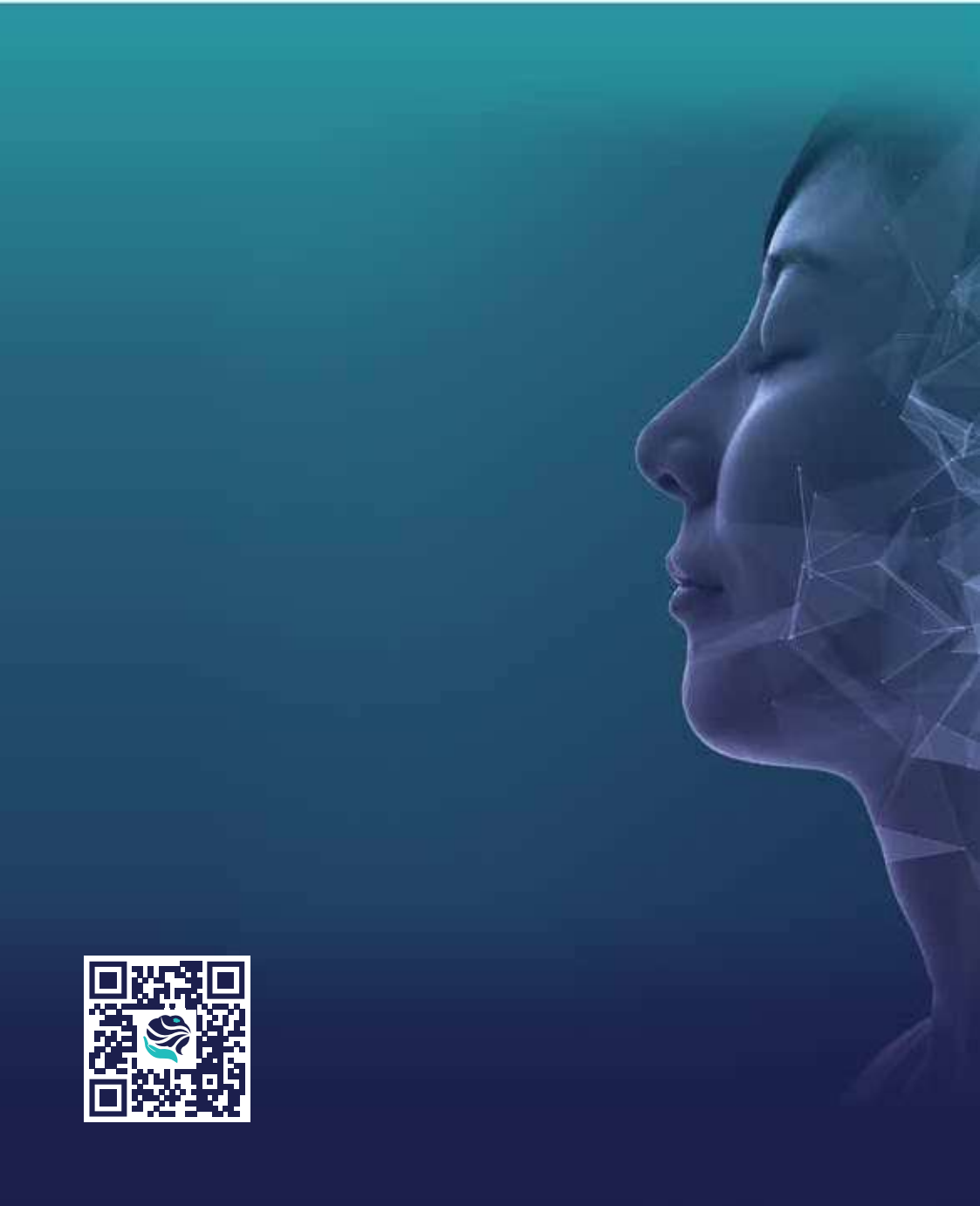
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