



7th Annual Meeting  
**INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY  
FOR NEURODEGENERATIVE  
DISEASES**

**Innovation: From Lab to Courtroom**

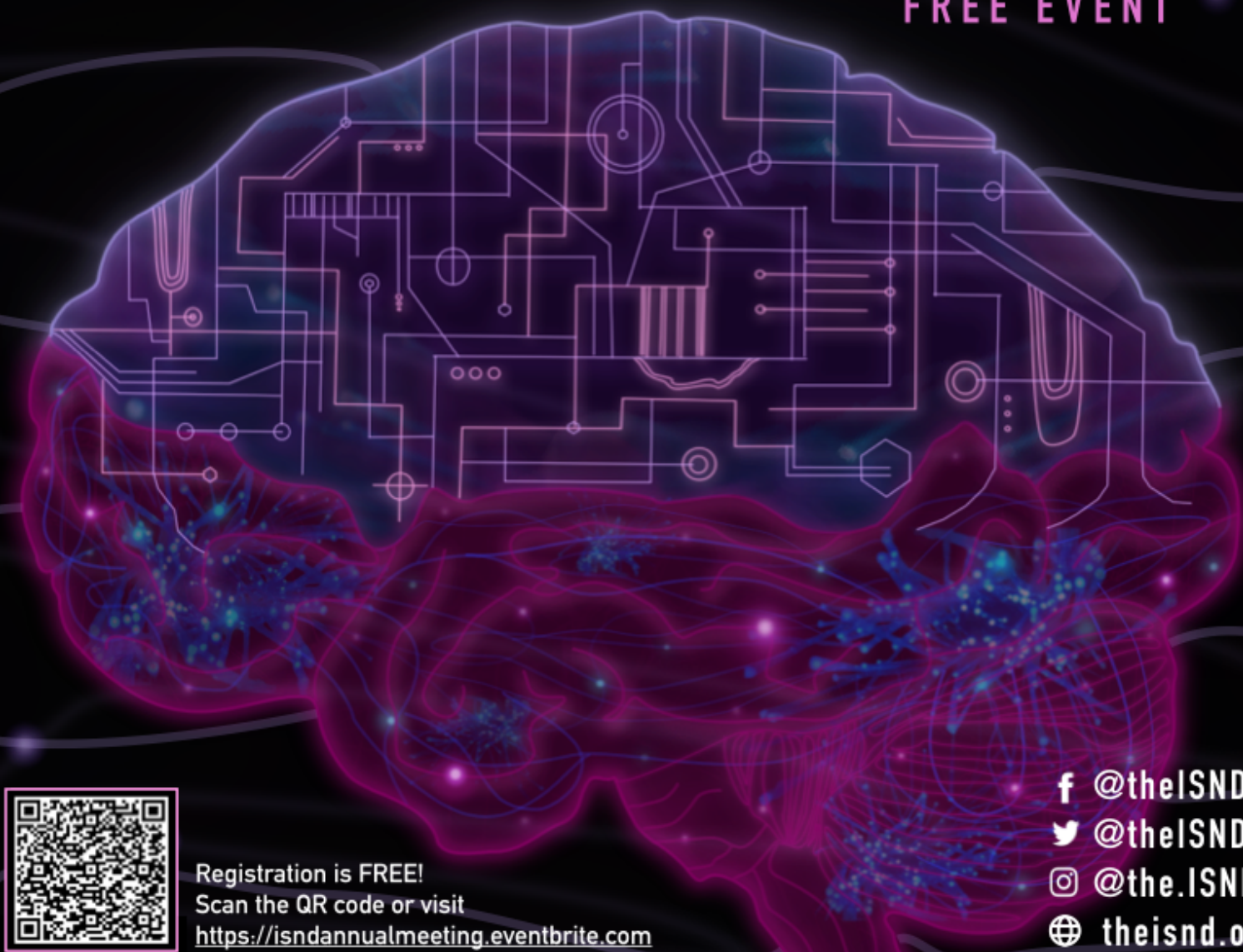
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**Zoom | Sept. 8, 4:30PM-8:30PM EST | Sept. 9, 10:00AM-2:00PM EST**

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**Hear from leading scientific researchers and legal figures, including a sitting federal judge and two winners of the \$3 million Breakthrough Prize!**

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**Dr. Anthony Lang, MD**

Jack Clark Chair for Parkinson's Disease Research,  
University of Toronto, Canada



**Dr. Don Cleveland, PhD**

Breakthrough Prize Laureate  
University of California, San Diego, USA



**Dr. Kazutoshi Mori, PhD**

Breakthrough Prize Laureate  
Kyoto University, Japan

## SPEAKER LINEUP

SEPT. 8, 2023, 4:30PM-8:30PM EST  
SEPT. 9, 2023, 10:00AM-2:00PM EST

## FREE EVENT ZOOM



**Dr. Guy Brown, PhD**

Professor of Cellular Biochemistry,  
University of Cambridge, UK



**Dr. Valina Dawson, PhD**

World's Most Influential Minds Honoree  
Johns Hopkins University, USA



**Dr. Paula Moreira, PhD**

World's Top 2% Scientists List Honoree  
University of Coimbra, Portugal



**Dr. Peter Marks, MD, PhD**

Director, Center for Biologics Evaluation and Research,  
Food and Drug Administration, USA



**Honorable Judge George H. Wu, JD**

Federal Judge, United States District Court,  
Central District of California, USA



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# International Society for Neurodegenerative Diseases

## **ISND 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting**

The International Society for Neurodegenerative Diseases (ISND) is hosting its **FREE 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting on September 8 and September 9, 2023, online over Zoom!** The ISND is a consortium of students, working professionals, and scientists and clinicians, dedicated to educating about and raising awareness of innovation in the field of neurodegenerative diseases.

This year, join us to learn from the world's preeminent authorities in science and law about the current forefront of **INNOVATION – FROM LAB TO COURTROOM.**

Attendance is **FREE!** To register and for more information about the 7th Annual Meeting, please scan the QR code in our flyers or visit <https://isndannualmeeting.eventbrite.com>. For more information about ISND, please visit <https://www.theisnd.org/>. For any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us at [contact.isnd@gmail.com](mailto:contact.isnd@gmail.com).

Please find the 7th Annual Meeting Program below:

## **ISND 7<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL MEETING PROGRAM**

***Day 1 | September 8, 2023, 4:30 pm EST – 8:30 pm EST***

### **4:30 pm EST - 5:00 pm EST:**

- **Dr. Anthony Lang, MD**, Professor and Jack Clark Chair for Parkinson's Disease Research at the University of Toronto, Canada, and a Thomson Reuters World's Most Influential Minds Honoree
  - Opening Remarks

### **5:00 pm EST - 6:00 pm EST:**

- **Dr. Peter Marks, MD, PhD**, Director of the Center for Biologics Evaluation and Research (CBER) at the U.S. Food and Drug Administration, U.S.A.
  - "FDA's efforts to facilitate the development of biologic products for neurologic diseases"

**6:00 pm EST - 7:00 pm EST:**

- **Honorable Judge George H. Wu, JD**, Federal Judge of the United States District Court for the Central District of California, U.S.A.
  - “Patentability limitations in the United States, including life sciences/biotech considerations”

**7:00 pm EST - 8:00 pm EST:**

- **Dr. Kazutoshi Mori, PhD**, Professor of Biophysics at the Graduate School of Science, Kyoto University, Japan, and a recipient of the Lasker Award and the world’s largest science prize, the Breakthrough Prize in Life Sciences
  - “Dynamics of function and regulation of the endoplasmic reticulum (ER): main focus on seipinopathy, an ER stress-associated motor neuron disease”

**8:00 pm EST:**

- Closing Remarks

***Day 2 | September 9, 2023, 10:00 am EST – 2:00 pm EST***

**10:00 am EST - 10:30 am EST:**

- **Dr. Valina Dawson, PhD**, Professor of Neurology, Neuroscience, Physiology and Director of Neuroregeneration and Stem Cell Programs at Johns Hopkins University, U.S.A., and a Thomson Reuters World’s Most Influential Minds Honoree
  - Opening Remarks

**10:30 am EST - 11:30 am EST:**

- **Dr. Paula Moreira, PhD**, Professor of Physiology at the Faculty of Medicine, University of Coimbra, Portugal, and a World’s Top 2% Scientists List Honoree
  - “The key role of mitochondria in Alzheimer’s disease”

**11:30 am EST - 12:30 pm EST:**

- **Dr. Guy Brown, PhD**, Professor of Cellular Biochemistry at the University of Cambridge, U.K., and an internationally renowned expert and author of several books in neuroinflammation and neurodegeneration
  - “Microglial phagocytosis of neurons and synapses contributes to neurodegeneration”

**12:30 pm EST - 1:30 pm EST:**

- **Dr. Don Cleveland, PhD**, Department Chair of Cellular and Molecular Medicine at the University of California at San Diego, U.S.A., and a recipient of the world’s largest science prize, the Breakthrough Prize in Life Sciences
  - “Development of designer DNA drugs for neurodegenerative disease”

**1:30 pm EST:**

- Closing Remarks