



ANNUAL CONFERENCE OF SOCIETY OF NEUROSONOLOGY

ACSN 2026

THEME: TRADITION INSPIRING INNOVATION IN
NEUROSONOLOGY AND PATIENT CARE



28th & 29th
November, 2026



Hotel Taj Ganges
Nadesar, Varanasi

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Scientific Agenda



PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Dear Friends & Colleagues,

It gives me immense pleasure to welcome you to the Annual Conference of the Society of Neurosonology. Over the past few years, our Society has made remarkable progress through academic meetings, workshops, training programmes, collaborative initiatives and hands-on learning opportunities. With each passing year, our annual conference has become more engaging, comprehensive and scientifically enriching, introducing newer concepts and expanding the clinical applications of neurosonology.

I am confident that this year's conference will provide an excellent platform for learning, interaction and collaboration.

I extend my best wishes and wholehearted support to the organising team for a highly successful and memorable conference.



Dr. Arvind Sharma
President
Society of Neurosonology

SECRETARY'S MESSAGE

Dear Friends & Colleagues,

The Society of Neurosonology continues to grow steadily, both in its membership and in the scope of its academic activities.

Neurosonology today extends beyond transcranial Doppler and cerebrovascular ultrasound to include carotid duplex, neuromuscular ultrasound, neurocritical-care applications and several emerging areas of clinical practice. It is especially encouraging to see increasing interest among young neurologists, who are embracing ultrasound as a dynamic, bedside and clinically relevant diagnostic tool.

Through structured training, scientific programmes and collaborative initiatives, we hope to nurture this growing community and further strengthen neurosonology across India. I warmly welcome everyone to the conference and look forward to an enriching academic experience.



Dr. Meenakshi Gowrishankar
Secretary
Society of Neurosonology

WELCOME MESSAGE

Dear Delegates,

Greetings from the organising committee !

It is our great pleasure to welcome you to the Annual Conference of the Society of Neurosonology 2026, to be held at Hotel Taj Ganges, Nadesar, Varanasi, on 28th- 29th November 2026.

This year's conference brings together an outstanding community of clinicians, researchers, and experts in neurosonology, all united by a common goal of advancing neurological care through innovations in vascular imaging and ultrasound-based diagnostics.

The scientific program shall be designed to offer a rich and comprehensive learning experience, featuring thoughtprovoking lectures, interactive case-based discussions, hands-on learning opportunities, and presentations of the latest research and technological advancements in the field. We are confident that these sessions will inspire meaningful discussions, enhance clinical practice, and promote interdisciplinary collaboration.

Beyond the academic program, we encourage you to make the most of this opportunity to interact with our distinguished national and international faculty, exchange ideas with colleagues, and build lasting professional relationships.

We sincerely hope you enjoy an enriching scientific experience and a memorable stay in our vibrant capital city.

Once again, we extend a warm and heartfelt welcome to Varanasi and wish you a successful and rewarding conference.

Warm regards,



Dr. Varun Kumar Singh
(Organizing Chairman)



Dr. Abhishek Pathak
(Organizing Secretary)



Dr. Anand Kumar
(Treasurer)

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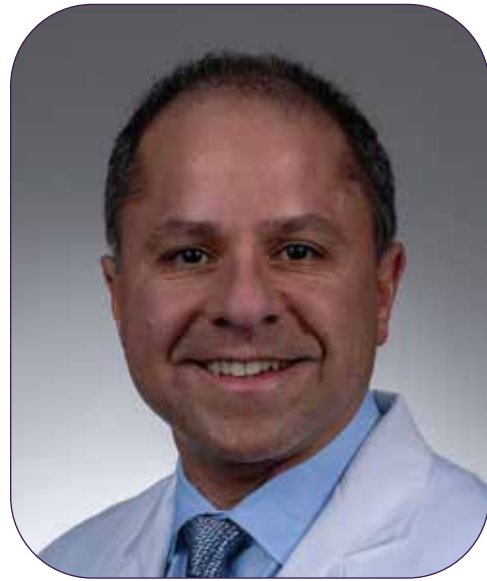


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Dr. Vijay Kumar Sharma

Associate Professor of Neurology,
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Director, TCD Services & President,
American Society of Neurosonology (ASN)

HIGHLIGHTS OF ACSN 2026 KASHI



Cutting-Edge Neurosonology
with latest advances



Live Demonstrations with
case-based techniques and clinical
interpretation



Joint Scientific Sessions with
Indian Stroke Association and
American Society of Neuroimaging



Hands-On & Procedural Training



Neurosonology Quiz



American society of Neuroimaging
(ASN) certification exam (RPNI)

SCIENTIFIC AGENDA

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TIME	TOPICS	SPEAKER / DEMONSTRATOR
8.00 - 8.45	Live Demonstration I - Normal Cerebrovascular Sonoanatomy (TCD & Cervical Duplex)	Dr. RN Komal Kumar (Demonstrator) Dr. Suryanarayana Sharma (Speaker) Dr. Anand Kumar (Demonstrator) Dr. Pramod Chalasani (Speaker)
SYMPOSIUM I - CEREBROVASCULAR ULTRASOUND		
8.45 – 9.00	L1 - TCD in Acute Ischemic Stroke: Finding LVO, Decoding Collaterals	Dr. Amit Batra
9.00 – 9.15	L2 - Decoding the Carotid Plaque: From Morphology to Vulnerability	Dr. RN Komal Kumar
9.15 – 9.30	L3 - Therapeutic Ultrasound in Stroke: The Sonothrombolysis Story	Dr. Vijayan
9.30 – 9.45	Q & A	
9.45 - 10.15	SOCIAL BREAK	
ASN-SON JOINT SYMPOSIUM		
10.15 – 10.35	L4 - Across Continents, Beyond Boundaries: The ASN Journey and the Future of ASN–SON Collaboration	Dr. Ryan Hakimi
10.35 – 10.55	L5- TCD in Subarachnoid Hemorrhage: From Vasospasm to Clinical Decisions	Dr. Methil Pradeep
10.55 – 11.00	Q & A	
11.00 – 12.00	PRESIDENTIAL ORATION	Dr. Arvind Sharma
SYMPOSIUM II- ADVANCED TCD		
12.00 – 12.15	L6 - The Doppler Perspective on ICAD: Stenosis, Flow & Collaterals	Dr. Amit Kulkarni
12.15 – 12.30	L7 – Bubbles & Shunts: TCD for RLS and HITS Monitoring	Dr. Meenakshi Gowrishankar
12. 30 – 12.45	L8 - Testing the Brain's Reserve: Cerebrovascular Reactivity & Autoregulation	Dr. Lokesh Bathala
12.15 – 13.00	Q & A	
13.00 - 13.45	LUNCH	
ISA – SON JOINT SYMPOSIUM		
13.45 – 14.05	L9 - Asymptomatic Carotid Stenosis: Who Is Really at Risk?	Dr. Vijay Kumar Sharma
14.05 – 14.25	L10 - Asymptomatic Carotid Stenosis: The Case for Intervention	Dr. Vikram Hudud
14.25 – 14.30	Q & A	
14.30 - 15.30	AWARD PAPERS	
15.30 – 16.00	INAUGURATION	
16.00 - 16.15	SOCIAL BREAK	
16.15 - 17.00	LIVE DEMONSTRATION II – NORMAL NEUROMUSCULAR SONOANATOMY	Dr. Arun Shivaraman (Demonstrator) Dr. Lokesh Bathala (Speaker)

TIME	TOPICS	SPEAKER / DEMONSTRATOR
17.00 – 17.45	LIVE DEMONSTRATION III – Cerebrovascular Diseases	
	Case I - High Grade Carotid Stenosis Case II – Moya-Moya Disease or PFO	Dr. Nikhil Hiremath (Demonstrator) Dr. Rajeshwari (Demonstrator) Dr. Vijay Kumar Sharma (Speaker)
17.45 – 18.15	QUIZ	Dr. Lakshmi Pratyusha
18.15 – 19.00	Hands on Demonstration – Dr. Ch. Vijay, Dr. Maharani & Dr. Nikhil H	
19.30 Onwards	WELCOME DINNER	

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TIME	TOPICS	SPEAKER / DEMONSTRATOR
8.00 – 9.00	AGM & VALEDICTORY	
SYMPOSIUM III – NEUROMUSCULAR ULTRASOUND (NERVE)		
9.00 - 9.15	L11- Entrapment Neuropathies: Beyond Carpal Tunnel Syndrome	Dr. Ujjawal Roy
9.15 - 9.30	L12- Nerve Ultrasound in CIDP and Immune-Mediated Neuropathies	Dr. Muralidhar Reddy
9.30 - 9.45	L13- Ultrasound in Hereditary Neuropathies: An Update	Dr. Madhu Nagappa
9.45 - 9.55	Q & A	
9.55 - 10.10	SOCIAL BREAK	
SYMPOSIUM IV – EXPANDING THE ULTRASOUND WINDOW		
10.10 - 10.25	L 14 - Bedside Autoregulation monitoring: from Theory to Practice	Dr. Saurabh Anand
10.25 - 10.40	L 15 - TCD in Infectious vasculitis	Dr. BK Madhusudhan
10.40 - 10.55	L 16 - Beyond Imaging: Ultrasound-Guided Neurological Interventions	Dr. Guhan Ramamurthy
10.55 - 11.05	Q & A	
SYMPOSIUM V – SPECIAL APPLICATIONS OF TCD		
11.05 - 11.20	L 17 - TCD in Sickle Cell Disease: From Screening to Stroke Prevention	Dr. Suryanarayana Sharma S
11.20 - 11.35	L18 - ICP Through the Doppler Window: The Role of TCD	Dr. Ryan Hakimi
11.35 - 11.50	L 19 - TCD Through the Decades: From Bedside Doppler to Precision Neurovascular Monitoring	Dr. Manmohan Mehendiratta
11. 50 - 12.00	Q & A	
SYMPOSIUM VI - RAPID FIRE		
12.00 - 12.10	L 20 - TCD in Brain Death: Decoding Cerebral Circulatory Arrest	Dr. Varun Kumar Singh
12.10 - 12.20	L 21 - Seeing the Vessel Wall: Ultrasound in Giant Cell & Takayasu Arteritis	Dr. Abhishek Pathak
12.20 - 12.30	L 22 - Subclavian Steal Under the Doppler Lens	Dr. Deepti Vibha

TIME	TOPICS	SPEAKER / DEMONSTRATOR
12.30 - 12.40	L 23 - MND Under the Ultrasound Lens	Dr. Maharani
12.40 - 12.50	Q & A	
12.50 - 13.30	LIVE DEMONSTRATION IV – NEUROMUSCULAR DISEASES	
	Case III - Carpal Tunnel Syndrome	Dr. M. Narendhar (Demonstrator) Dr. Muralidhar Reddy (Speaker)
	Case IV - Leprosy	Dr. Yamini (Demonstrator) Dr. Ujjwal Roy (Speaker)
13.30 Onwards	CLOSING LUNCH	



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ABSTRACT GUIDELINE

The Annual Conference of Neurosonology 2026 Kashi invites original submissions for consideration at ACSN 2026 Kashi. Submissions are accepted under the following guidelines:

Guidelines

- All abstracts for **ACSN 2026** should be submitted only through the **www.acsn2026kashi.org**
- Abstracts should be submitted in **ENGLISH language only**.
- Last date for submission of Abstracts is **15th October 2026**.
- Five abstracts will be selected for platform presentation.
- Prizes for the **2 best papers**.
- Registration for the conference is mandatory.

The Title

- Concise titles are easier to read than long, convoluted ones.
- A running head of no more than **40 words**.

Authors

- Presenting Authors' name (First, Middle & Last Name), Department and Institutional Affiliation, Address, E-mail & Mobile Number.
- Details of co-authors, if any.

Mode

- Disclaimers, if any.
- Source(s) of support in the form of grants, etc.

Body of the Article

The text of observational and experimental articles should be divided into sections with the headings:

- **Background & Aims**
- **Material & Method / Methodology**
- **Results**
- **Discussion / Conclusion**
- **Bibliography**

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Total word count for this section should not exceed 300 words

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Note: The below rates are inclusive of GST. Additional banking charges will be applicable.

Category	Upto October 31st, 2026	From 1st November onwards
Member	INR 6,490	INR 8,580
Non-Member	INR 7,788	INR 10,725
Overseas	INR 20,570	INR 30,855
Students / Nurses Paramedics / Technologists	INR 2,860	INR 3,575
Accompanying Person	INR 2,600	INR 2,860
Residential Package 2 N / 3 D (Single Occupancy)	INR 58,410	
Residential Package 2 N / 3 D (Double Occupancy)	INR 60,770	

Registration/ Cancellation Policy

Due to advance planning and organisational commitments, the following refund policy applies:

- 60% Refund – For cancellations made 60 days or more before the conference.
- 40% Refund – If cancellation is requested between 30–59 days before the conference.
- No Refund – If cancellation is made within 30 days of the event.

Important points related to registration;

- Registration is mandatory to access the conference area
- Registration is non- transferable
- Delegate should carry registration/ payment proof at the time of registration
- PG student has to submit an NOC from their HOD/ Institute
- Delegate kits has to be handed over to the registered delegate only
- Only Cash/ UPI/ IMPS shall be accepted for Spot Registration
- Online offline registration will be closed on 25th November 2026 and registration can be done at the spot registration counters
- Refund processing will be made one month after the completion of the conference
- Applicable transaction fees, convenience fee and taxes shall be excluded from the refundable amount

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