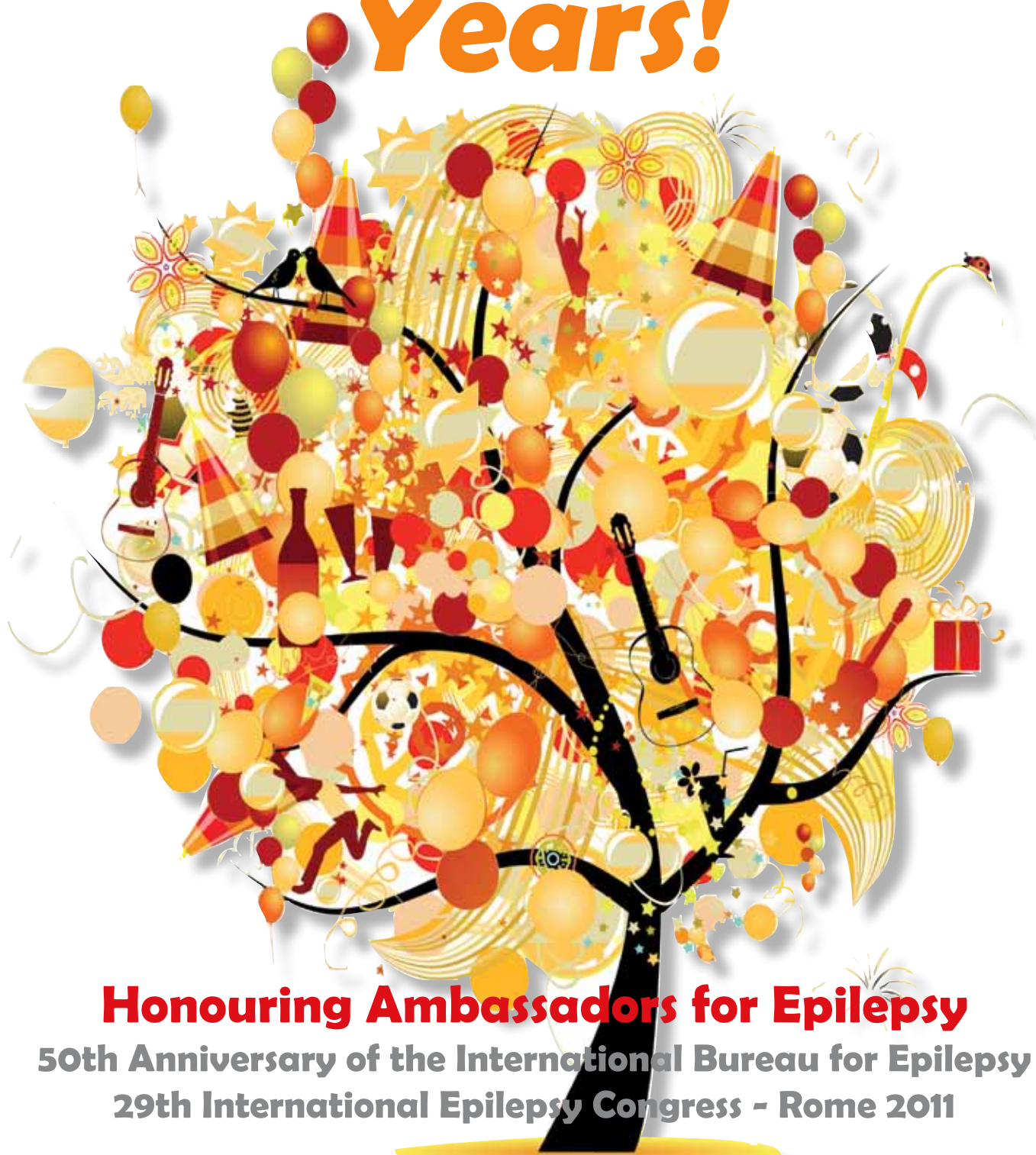


Celebrating

50

Years!



Honouring Ambassadors for Epilepsy

50th Anniversary of the International Bureau for Epilepsy

29th International Epilepsy Congress - Rome 2011

CELEBRATION DINNER

MENU

Belgian Endive Salad

with Gorgonzola cheese, walnuts, sun-dried tomatoes, bacon and mustard vinaigrette



Fusilli Pasta

sautéed with Mascarpone cheese, broccoli and black olives



Beef Fillet

with potatoes, asparagus and black pepper sauce



Mixed Wild Berries in a Chocolate Tulip with Vanilla Ice Cream



Wines

- Verdicchio di Jesi (white)
- Rosso Piceno (red)
- Prosecco Masottina

Greetings from the President

Dear Friends

Being honoured with the International Bureau for Epilepsy (IBE) and International League against Epilepsy (ILAE) Ambassador for Epilepsy Award carries with it no monetary gain, no scholarship grant nor major prize. Yet these awards, which are bestowed by ILAE & IBE on up to twelve recipients ever two years, are highly treasured by each person who receives one.

The awards were first proposed by IBE's first President, Mrs Ellen Grass, in 1968 as a way of formally honouring exceptional contributions to international epilepsy. The awardees receive a scroll signed by the Presidents of both the League and the Bureau together with a simple pin bearing a candle, one of the enduring symbols of epilepsy. The Ambassador awards are presented at each International Epilepsy Congress by the Presidents during the opening ceremony and in the presence of all congress delegates.

The list of recipients of the Ambassador awards reads like a Who's Who of epileptology. Names such as Burden, Dreifuss, Gastaut, Loeber, Mani and Seino spring from the pages where Ambassadors are listed; but these are just a few of the names of those eminent Ambassadors who are no longer with us. Happily, most of the Ambassadors for Epilepsy are still very active in their field and many of you are here with us in Rome at the 29th International Epilepsy Congress. It because IBE values so greatly the astonishing contributions that Ambassadors for Epilepsy have made in bringing positive change to the lives of people with epilepsy that we are celebrating this evening with this very special event as part of IBE's Golden Jubilee celebrations. As a momento of the evening IBE is presenting each Ambassador with a Jubilee Comemorative Pin, which I hope you will wear with pride alongside your Ambassador pin.

I would like to extend a very warm welcome to you all, including the twelve new Ambassadors who became members of this very prestigious club during yesterday's Opening Ceremony here in Rome.

I wish you all a very pleasant evening.

With best wishes



Mike Glynn
President



Ambassador for Epilepsy Awards

Background

The Ambassador for Epilepsy Award is a unique award introduced first by the International Bureau for Epilepsy in 1968. Ambassadors for Epilepsy are individuals who have been bestowed with an Ambassador for Epilepsy Award by the International League Against Epilepsy (ILAE) and the International Bureau for Epilepsy (IBE) to proclaim their extraordinary actions in the field of epilepsy. The award is given jointly by IBE and ILAE. Ambassador Awards will be made not more than once every two years and a maximum of 12 Awards will be given at any one time. The Award is given to individuals to recognise outstanding personal contributions to activities that advance the cause of epilepsy. These contributions and activities should either be performed at an international level or they should have an international impact or significance. The Award carries no monetary value but it does reflect international peer recognition and it is given for the lifetime of the recipient. The Award consists of an Ambassador's pin and a scroll. The name of each recipient is added to the Ambassadors' Hall of Fame maintained by IBE and ILAE.

Nominating procedure

- All IBE members and all ILAE chapters and all members of the Joint Executive Committees (JEC) of IBE and ILAE are eligible to nominate a maximum of 4 candidates in any two-year period.
- An invitation for nominations will be distributed to all IBE members and ILAE chapters and all members of the JEC at least 6 months prior to adjudication.
- The invitation will also be made available for download on the IBE website and the ILAE website.
- The invitation will include a letter that explains the process, an official nomination form and a list of existing Ambassadors.
- Existing Ambassadors cannot be re-nominated.
- Previously unsuccessful candidates are eligible for re-nomination. However, nomination papers are not carried over and must be resubmitted at the time of the following call for nominations.
- To be eligible, candidates must be nominated using an official nomination form. Supporting information can also be supplied but this must be limited to no more than 3 additional pages in total.
- Completed and signed nomination forms, together with any supporting information, must be sent to the Executive Director, International Bureau for Epilepsy, 11 Priory Hall, Stillorgan, Dublin 18, Ireland, by the notified closing date no later than 3 months prior to the date of decision.
- Wherever possible, nominations must be submitted electronically. Where this is not possible, nominations may be submitted by fax or by post.
- Nomination forms must be submitted by an authorised representative of an IBE member or ILAE chapter and must bear the name of the authorised representative.

Assessment criteria

- Only eligible nominations will be considered for an Award.
- The candidate must have made a personal contribution (either voluntarily or professionally) in any scientific, clinical, educational or psycho-social field of epilepsy that contributes towards the development of epilepsy care and/or the well-being of people with epilepsy in an international context.
- The activity to which the person has contributed must be at an international level or be of international impact or significance.
- The candidate's personal contribution to the success of the activity must be demonstrated.
- That contribution must be of a scale, impact, longevity, dedication, uniqueness and/or innovative nature that places the candidate above the thousands of other people all over the world who make valuable and important contributions towards improving the lives of people with epilepsy.
- A person who is currently serving on the executive committee of IBE or ILAE, or a family member, whether elected or ex officio is not eligible to be considered for the Ambassador Award during their term of office.

Method of assessment and decision

- Candidates will be assessed by the members of the JEC of IBE and ILAE.
- When making this assessment and deciding a slate of awardees, members of the JEC are requested to

be mindful of the value of reflecting diversity in the type of contribution people make and their regional diversity.

- The nomination form and any supporting information supplied for each eligible candidate must be distributed to each member of the JEC.
- Each member of the JEC must have the opportunity to speak on behalf of any candidate before any ballot.
- When all candidates have been assessed, the members of the JEC will vote by secret ballot to determine a slate of Award winners.
- A maximum of 12 Awards can be given every two years.
- Each member of the JEC may therefore vote for no more than 12 candidates in the first ballot.
- To be added to the slate, in any ballot, a candidate must receive an absolute majority of the members of the JEC present.
- Block voting by members of the IBE International Executive Committee or of the ILAE Executive Committee is not permitted.
- The 12 candidates with the most votes and who receive a majority of the votes of the members of the JEC will be the slate of Award winners.
- If less than 12 candidates receive a majority vote in the first ballot then a second ballot (and if necessary a third ballot) will be held excluding the already successful candidates.
- Further ballots after the third one may be held if a majority of the members of the JEC so decide.
- If more than 12 candidates receive a majority vote in the first ballot then the 12 candidates with the most votes will be the slate of Award winners.
- In the event of a tied vote for the 12th Award, there will be a subsequent ballot of just the tied candidates. The maximum number of votes each member of the JEC may have will be equal to the number of slate places that are left to be decided.
- For each ballot the maximum number of votes each member of the JEC may have will be equal to the number of slate places that are left to be decided.
- In any ballot, the chair or co-chairs of the JEC shall not have a second or casting vote in the event of a tie, nor a veto.
- When a slate of Award winners has been decided, the slate will be put to a vote of JEC for ratification. Ratification requires an absolute majority of ILAE JEC members in favour and an absolute majority of IBE JEC members in favour.
- The decision of the JEC is final.

Conflicts of interest

- Any member of the JEC who has a conflict of interest should declare as such and should excuse themselves from the decision making procedure.
- Announcing and presenting the Awards
- Immediately following the decision, the new Ambassadors and their nominators will be informed of their Awards.
- The Awards will be announced and presented individually by the Presidents of IBE and ILAE at the International Epilepsy Congress (IEC). Award winners will be invited to attend the IEC to receive their Award and will be offered free registration to the Congress. The offer of free registration is not transferable to anyone else.
- Information concerning the Ambassador for Epilepsy Award winners will be published by IBE and ILAE in their respective journals, newsletters, magazines and on their websites.

Note:

The International Executive Committee of the International Bureau for Epilepsy meets jointly with the Executive Committee of the International League Against Epilepsy, to consider matters of mutual interest and/or responsibility to both Executive Committees. Such meetings are known in full as a Joint Meeting of the Executive Committees of the IBE and ILAE, and in brief as a JEC.

Ambassadors for Epilepsy 1968-1973

1968



**Dr Arcaya
AMPARO**
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**Mr George
BURDEN**
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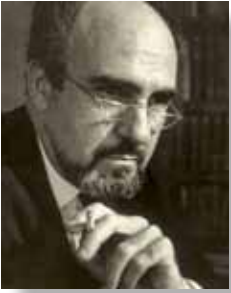
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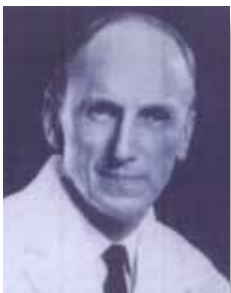
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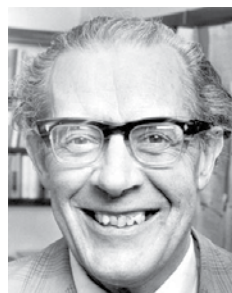
The Ambassador for Epilepsy Award is a unique award proclaiming extraordinary actions carried out in the field of epilepsy at international level



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**Prof Valentine
CHAPMAN**
New Zealand



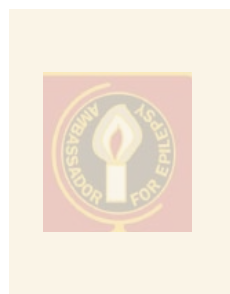
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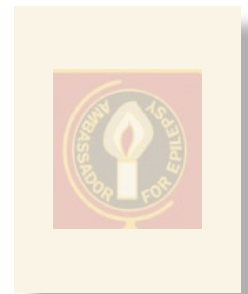
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Number of
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countries

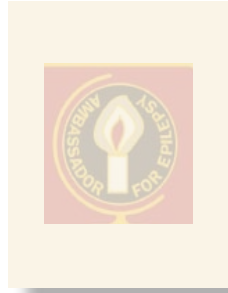
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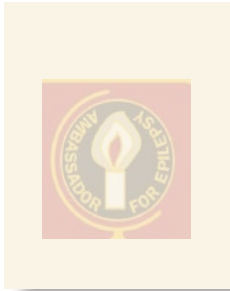
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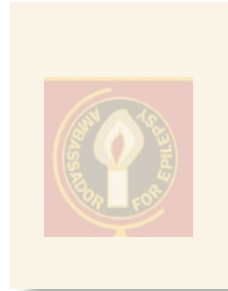
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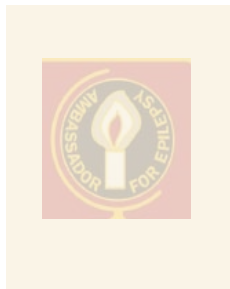
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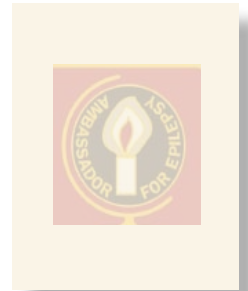
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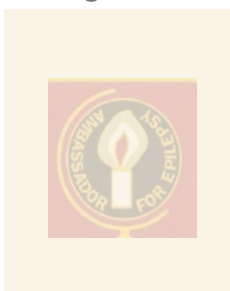
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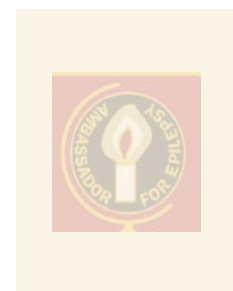
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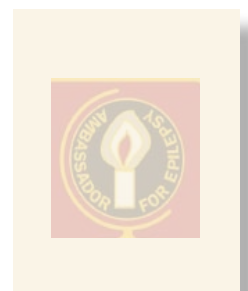
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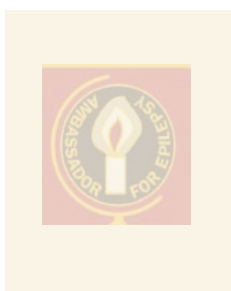
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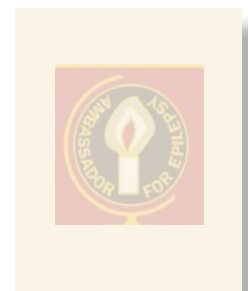
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1971

1972

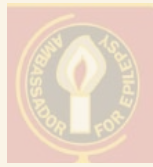
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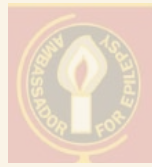
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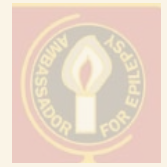
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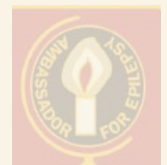
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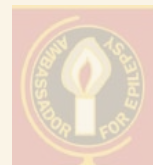
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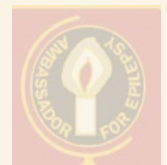
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1976



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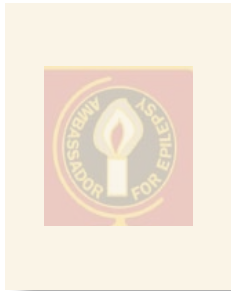
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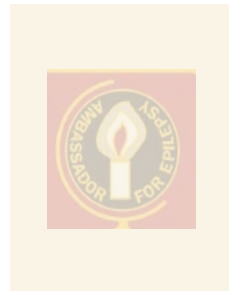
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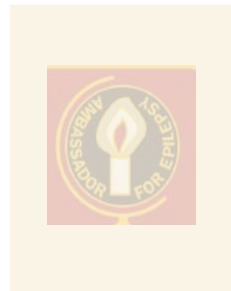
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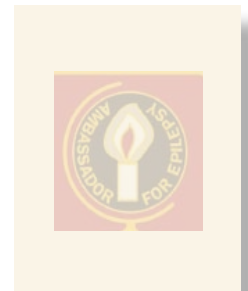
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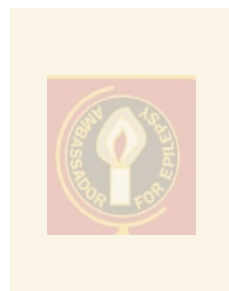
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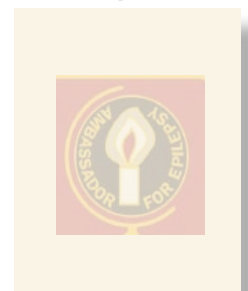
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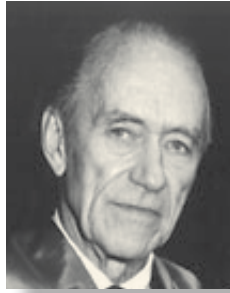
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Ambassadors for Epilepsy 1979-1985

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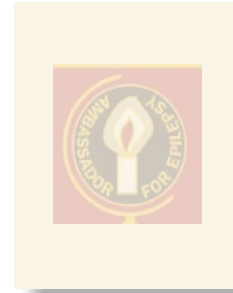
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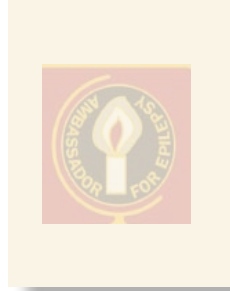
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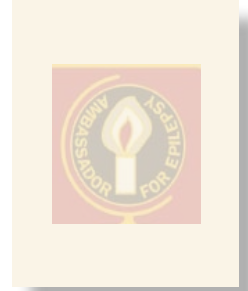
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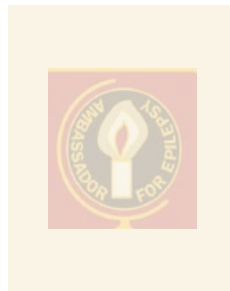
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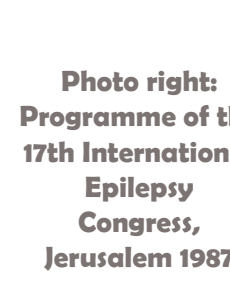
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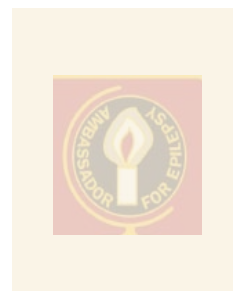
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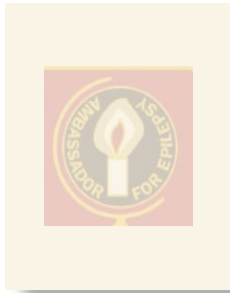
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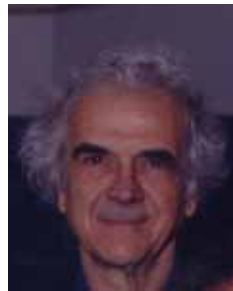
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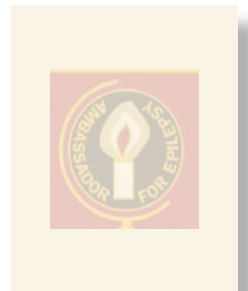
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International Epilepsy
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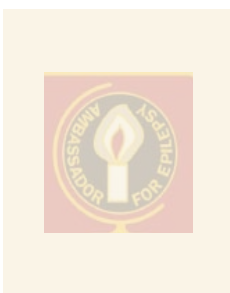


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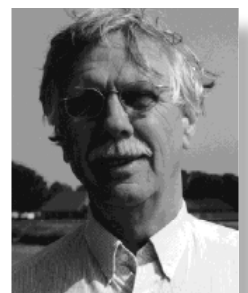
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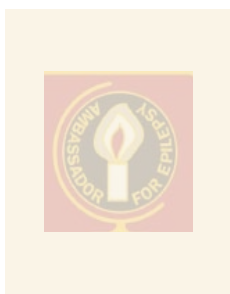
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1985

Ambassadors for Epilepsy 1985-1991

1985



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USA**



**Dr Masakazu
SEINO
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The Ambassador pin bears a lighted candle as the internationally recognised symbol of the fight to bring epilepsy out of the shadows

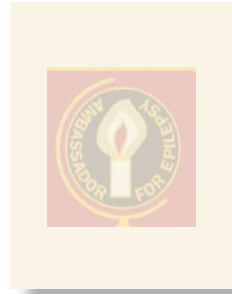
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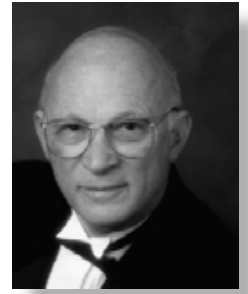
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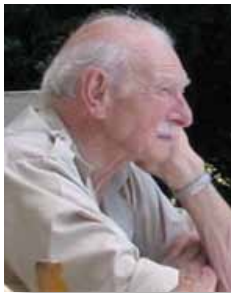
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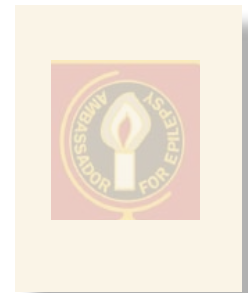
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1989



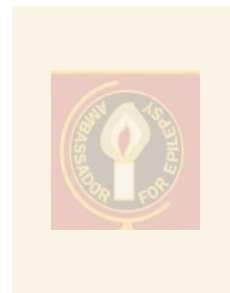
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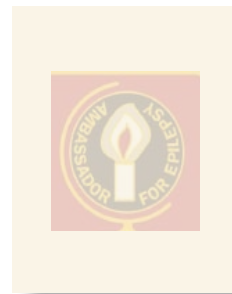
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Ambassadors pose for a photograph following the awards ceremony at the 18th International Epilepsy Congress, New Delhi 1989



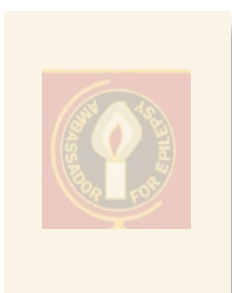
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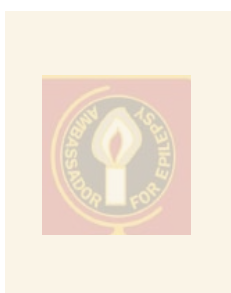
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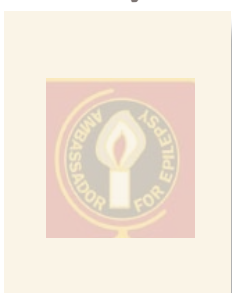
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1989

1991

Ambassadors for Epilepsy 1993-1999

1993



**Dr Marc
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France



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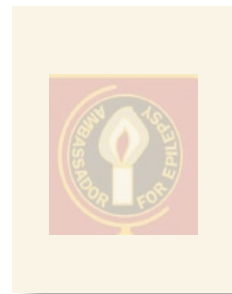
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Ireland



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Ireland



**Prof Josemir
SANDER**
UK



**Mrs Nancy
SANTILLI**
USA



**Dr Nimal
SENANAYAKE**
Sri Lanka



**Dr Matti
SILLANPÄÄ**
Finland



**Dr Michael R
TRIMBLE**
UK

1995



**Prof Agostino
BARUZZI**
Italy



**Dr Gertrud
BECK-MANNAGETTA**
Germany



**Dr Eddie
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India



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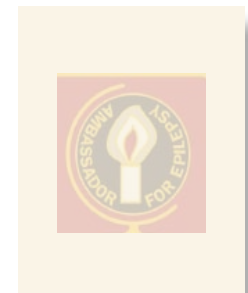
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DIJKGRAAF**
Netherlands



**Dr Natalio
FEJERMAN**
Argentina



**Mrs Leena
HYVÄRINEN**
Finland



**Prof José
KEATING**
Portugal

1995



Dr Pavel MARES
Czech Republic



Dr John P MUMFORD
UK



Prof Robert NAQUET
France



Dr Sandra PARKS-TRUSZ
USA



Prof Timothy A PEDLEY
USA



Mrs Marijke De PUIT
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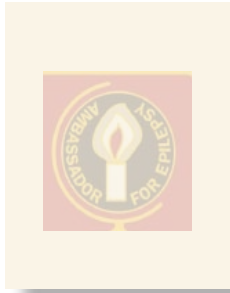
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Mrs Catherine BUGLER
UK



Mrs Greti HALDEMANN
Switzerland



Dr Louise JILEK-AALL
Canada



Dr Christoph PACHLATKO
Switzerland



Dr Emilio PERUCCA
Italy

1997



Dr Shih-Hui Lim, Singapore, receives his award in 2009



Dr Maria POPOVIC
Yugoslavia



Dr Heinz-Gregor WIESER
Switzerland



Dr Cosimo AJMONE-MARSAN
USA



Dr Gus A BAKER
UK

1999

Ambassadors for Epilepsy 1999-2005

1999



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UK**



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CAVALHEIRO
Brazil**



**Dr Peter
HALASZ
Hungary**



**Dr Michael D
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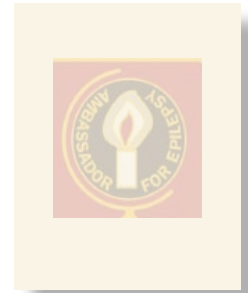
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USA**



**Dr Stephen
HERMANN
Germany**



**Dr Torbjörn
TOMSON
Sweden**



**Mr Steven
WALKER
USA**

2001



**Dr Carlos
ACEVEDO
Chile**



**Prof Elving
ANDERSON
USA**



**Prof Meir
BIALER
Israel**



**Dr John E
CHAPLIN
Sweden**



**Dr Zenebe Gedlie
DAMTIE
Ethiopia**



**Prof A Gallo
DIOP
Senegal**



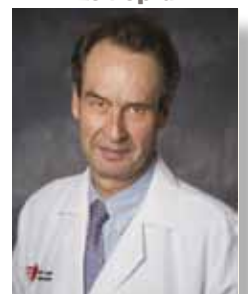
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India**



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USA**



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Paris 2005**



**Dr Jing-Jane
TSAI
Taiwan**



**Dr Federico
VIGEVANO
Italy**

2001



**Dr Athanasios
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Greece**



**Prof Dragoslav
ERCEGOVAC
Yugoslavia**



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GLYNN
Ireland**



**Dr Renzo
GUERRINI
Italy**



**Dr Marshal
Mo-Song HSU
Taiwan**

2003



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KOMÁREK
Czech Republic**



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KRÄMER
Switzerland**



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LUND
Sweden**



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NOEBELS
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**Dr Elinor
BEN-MENACHEM
Sweden**



**Prof Sam
BERKOVIC
Australia**



**Mr John
BOWIS
UK**



**Dr Jaderson
COSTA DA COSTA
Brazil**



**Dr John S
DUNCAN
UK**

2005



**Prof Christian
ELGER
Germany**



**Mr Eric
HARGIS
USA**



**Dr Istvan
MODY
USA**



**Mrs Hilary
MOUNFIELD
Scotland**



**Dr Amel
MRABET
Tunisia**

Ambassadors for Epilepsy 2005-2011

2005



**Dr Perrine
PLOUIN**
France



**Dr Chong-Tin
TAN**
Malaysia

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2007



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Finland



**Dr Shih-Hui
LIM**
Singapore



**Dr Fernando
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Netherlands



**Dr Man Mohan
MEHNDIRATTA**
India



**Dr Tomás
MESA**
Chile



**Dr Paolo
TINUPER**
Italy

2009



**Dr Ettore
BEGHI**
Italy



**Prof Anne T
BERG**
USA



**Dr Warren
BLUME**
Canada



**Mrs Carol
D'SOUZA**
India



**Dr Norman
DELANTY**
Ireland



**Dr Jacqueline F
FRENCH
USA**



**Dr Shung-Lon
LAI
Taiwan**



**Dr Shichuo
LI
China**



**Dr Lilia
NUÑEZ-OROZCO
Mexico**



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ÖZKARA
Turkey**



A special performance of Bihari János Folk Ensemble showcasing Hungarian national dance at the Opening Ceremony of the 28th International Epilepsy Congress



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**Dr William
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USA**



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USA**



**Dr Hasan
AZIZ
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CARMANT
Canada**



**Dr Jaime
FANDIÑO
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**Dr Andres
KANNER
USA**



**Dr Weiping
LIAO
China**



**Dr Wolfgang
LÖSCHER
Germany**



**Dr Eli
MIZRAHI
USA**



**Dr Rosey
PANELLI
Australia**



**Dr Asla
PITKÄNEN
Finland**



**Dr Steve
SCHACHTER
USA**



**Dr Walter
Van EMDE BOAS
Netherlands**

Ambassadors for Epilepsy listed by country

Argentina

- Fejerman, Dr Natalio (1995)
- Mosovich, Dr Abraham (1972)
- Turner, Dr Marcos (1981)

Australia

- Berkovic, Prof Sam (2005)
- Bladin, Dr Peter F (1991)
- Burroughs, Mr Frank (1973)
- Gourley, Mr Robert WP (1985)
- Hutchison, Hon Mrs Ruby (1969)
- Panelli, Dr Rosey (2011)
- Somerville, Dr Ernest (2009)

Belgium

- Bowis, Mr John (2005)
- Sorel, Prof Lucien (1974)
- Tits, Mlle Millie (1974)

Brazil

- Bittencourt, Dr Paulo RM (1991)
- Cavaleiro, Dr Esper A (1999)
- Costa Da Costa, Dr Jaderson (2005)

Canada

- Andermann, Dr Eva (2007)
- Andermann, Dr Frederic (1989)
- Blume, Dr Warren (2009)
- Carmant, Dr Lionel (2011)
- Jilek-Aall, Dr Louise (1997)
- Kent, Mrs Joan (1982)
- McNaughton, Dr Francis L (1968)
- Rasmussen, Dr Theodore (1979)
- Robb, Dr Preston (1978)
- Wada, Prof Dr Juhn (1981)

Chile

- Acevedo, Dr Carlos (2001)
- Arcaya, Dr Amparo (1968)
- Chiofalo, Dr Nelly (1979)
- Mesa, Dr Tomás (2007)

China

- Li, Dr Schichuo (2009)
- Liao, Dr Weiping (2011)

Colombia

- Fandiño, Dr Jaime (2011)
- Medina-Malo, Dr Carlos (1987)

Czech Republic

- Komárek, Prof Vladimír (2003)
- Mares, Dr Pavel (1995)
- Matulay, Dr Karol (1976)
- Servit, Prof Zdenek (1976)

Denmark

- Dam, Dr Mogens (1979)
- Gram, Dr Lennart (1985)
- Johansen, Mr Bent (1976)
- Kiorboe, Dr Erik (1980)
- Lennox-Buchthal, Dr Margaret (1969)

Ethiopia

- Damtie, Dr Zenebe Gedlie (2001)

Finland

- Hyvärinen, Mrs Leena (1995)
- Iivanainen, Dr Matti (1983)
- Lehtovaara, Mr Raimo (1977)
- Kälviäinen, Dr Reetta (2007)
- Pitkänen, Dr Asla (2011)
- Sillanpää, Dr Matti (1993)

France

- Aicardi, Prof Jean (1978)
- Arzimanoglou, Dr Alexis (2007)
- Bancaud, Prof Jean (1980)
- Beaussart, Dr Marc (1993)
- Chapelin, Mlle C (1974)
- Dravet, Dr Charlotte (1989)
- Dulac, Dr Olivier (1993)
- Gastaut, Prof Henri (1968)
- Genton, Dr Pierre (2007)
- Jallon, Dr Pierre (1999)
- Loiseau, Prof Pierre (1987)
- Morselli, Dr Paolo L (1979)
- Naquet, Prof Robert (1995)
- Perret, Dr André (1989)
- Plouin, Dr Perrine (2005)
- Roger, Prof J (1980)

Germany

- Beck-Mannagetta, Dr Gerturd (1995)
- Doose, Dr Hermann (1975)
- Dreyer, Dr Rudolf (1975)
- Elger, Prof Christian (2005)
- Heinemann, Dr Uwe (1993)
- Helmchen, Prof Dr H (1975)
- Hermann, Dr Stefan (1999)
- Janz, Prof Dieter (1969)
- Lieb-Jückstock, Mrs Victoria (1991)
- Löscher, Dr Wolfgang (2011)
- Matthes, Dr Ansgar (1979)
- Penin, Prof H (1981)
- Schikarski, Dr Marie-Luise (1975)
- Schmidt, Dr Dieter (1983)
- Thorbecke, Mr Rupprecht (1989)
- Wolf, Prof Peter (1982)

Greece

- Covanis, Dr Athanasios (2003)
- Generalis, Mrs Anna (1973)

Hungary

- Halasz, Dr Peter (1999)

India

- Bharucha, Dr Eddie (1995)
- D'Souza, Mrs Carol (2009)
- Jain, Prof Satish (2001)
- Maheshwari, Prof Dr MC (1989)

- Mani, Prof Dr Kartik (1975)
- Mehndiratta, Dr MM (2007)
- Saxena, Dr Vinod S (1991)

Ireland

- Delanty, Dr Norman (2009)
- Glynn, Mr Mike (2003)
- Holmes, Mr Richard (1993)
- Kirker, Dr John G (1975)
- Lyons, Dr Jack (1976)
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- O'Donohoe, Dr Niall (1983)

Israel

- Bialer, Prof Meir (2001)
- Manelis, Dr Judith (1987)

Italy

- Avanzini, Dr Giuliano (1983)
- Baruzzi, Prof Agostino (1995)
- Canger, Prof Raffaele (1977)
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- Tassinari, Prof Carlos Alberto (1979)
- Tinuper, DrvPaolo (2007)
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Japan

- Akimoto, Prof Haruo (1980)
- Fukuyama, Dr Yukio (2007)
- Ohtahara, Dr Shunsuke (1999)
- Seino, Dr Masakazu (1985)
- Wada, Dr Toyijo (1978)

Kenya

- Dekker, Dr Nelly (1995)
- Ruberti, Prof Renato F (1976)

Korea

- Robinson, Dr Lenna-Belle (1973)
- Woo-Sik, Dr Kang (1973)

Malaysia

Tan, Dr Chong-Tin (2005)

Mexico

- Nuñez, Dr Lilia (2009)
- Rubio-Donnadieu, Dr Francisco (1975)
- Velasco-Suarez, Dr Manuel (1978)

Netherlands

- Aldenkamp, Prof Albert (1991)
- Boer, Mrs Hanneke M de (1987)
- Brandsteder, Ms Margreet (1977)
- Bruens, Dr J (1971)

- Brulleman, Mr LH (1975)
- Dijkgraaf, Mr Siebe (1995)
- Loeber, Mr Joop N (1980)
- Lopes da Silva, Dr Fernando (2007)
- Lorentz de Haas, Dr Albert M (1968)
- Magnus, Dr Otto (1969)
- Meijer, Dr JWA (1981)
- Meinardi, Prof Dr Harry (1971)
- Puit, Mrs Marijke de (1995)
- Seyffert, Mr J (1974)
- Sonnen, Dr AEH (1983)
- Van Emde Boas, Dr Walter (2011)

New Zealand

- Chapman, Prof Valentine (1969)
- Hills, Dr Michael D (1999)
- Kerr, Mr Ray (1987)

Nigeria

- Dada, Dr TO (1968)
- Osuntokun, Dr Benjamin O (1983)

Norway

- Falk-Pedersen, Mr Johan K (1993)
- Henriksen, Dr George F (1971)
- Henriksen, Dr Olaf (1991)
- Johannessen, Dr Svein L (1982)
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Pakistan

- Aziz, Dr Hasan (2011)

Poland

- Majkowski, Prof Jerzy (1976)
- Zielinski, Dr Janusz J (1976)

Portugal

- Bethencourt da Silva, Dr Dora (1978)
- Keating, Prof José (1995)
- Lourdes Levy, Prof Maria de (1978)

Scotland

- Brodie, Prof Martin (1995)
- Cochrane, Mrs Judy (1993)
- Davidson, Dr JR (1969)
- Kilgour, Mrs Christina (1968)
- Miller, Mr Stewart (1973)
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Senegal

- Diop, Prof A Gallo (2001)

Singapore

- Lim, Dr Shih-Hui (2007)

Slovenia

- Ravnik, Dr Igor (1995)

Spain

- Oller-Daurella, Dr Luis (1973)
- Vila-Bado, Dr Jose (1973)

Sri Lanka

- Senanayake, Dr Nimal (1993)

Sweden

- Ben-Menachem, Dr Elinor (2005)
- Chaplin, Dr John E (2001)
- Lund, Mrs Susanne (2003)
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- Tomson, Dr Torbjorn (1999)

Switzerland

- Bolis, Dr C Liana (1976)
- Dengler, Mr Hans (1987)
- Gibbs, Mr Richard H (1978)
- Haldemann, Mrs Greti (1997)
- Hess, Prof Rudi (1972)
- Krämer, Dr Günter (2003)
- Landolt, Dr Hans H (1968)
- Pachlatko, Dr Christoph (1997)
- Prilipko, Dr Leonid (1999)
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Taiwan

- Hsi, Dr Marshal Mo-Song (2003)
- Lai, Dr Shung-Ion (2009)
- Tsai, Dr Jing-Jane (2001)

Tunisia

- Hamida, Prof Ben (1989)
- Mrabet, Dr Amel (2005)

Turkey

- Ozkara, Dr Cigdem (2009)

UK

- Aspinall, Mr Alex (1985)
- Baker, Prof Gus A (1999)
- Beasley, Dr Reginald (1980)
- Betts, Dr Timothy A (1987)
- Binnie, Dr Colin (1985)
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- Brett, Dr Edward (1972)
- Brown, Prof Stephen (1999)
- Bugler, Mrs Catherine (1997)
- Burden, Mr George (1968)
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- Chadwick, Mr David (1993)
- Cross, Dr Helen (2007)
- Dawson, Mrs Winifred (1979)
- Duncan, John S (2005)
- Fenwick, Dr Peter (1993)
- Gairdner, Ms Irene (1968)
- Grant, Dr Richard (1974)
- Jacoby, Prof Ann (1999)
- Jeavons, Dr Peter M (1972)
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- Oxley, Dr Jolyon (1989)
- Parsonage, Dr Maurice (1972)
- Pond, Prof Desmond A (1969)
- Reynolds, Prof Edward H (1979)
- Richens, Dr Alan (1976)
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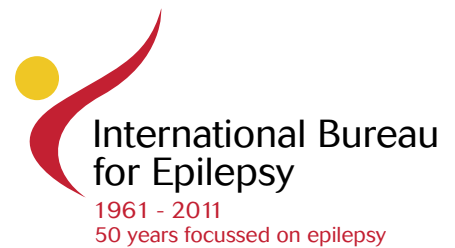
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- Booker, Dr Harold (1983)
- Boshes, Dr Louis D (1969)
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- Cramer, Ms Joyce A (1995)
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- Dodrill, Dr Carl B (1991)
- Dreifuss, Dr Fritz E (1978)
- Engel jr, Prof Jerome (1991)
- Fisher, Dr Robert (2001)
- French, Dr Jacqueline A (2009)
- Grass, Mrs Ellen (1968)
- Gumnit, Dr Robert (1980)
- Hauser, Dr W Allen (1991)
- Hargis, Mr Eric (2005)
- Hernandez, Mrs Nyrma (1981)
- Holmes, Dr Gregory (2007)
- Kanner, Dr Andres (2011)
- Kessler, Ms Bonnie (1989)
- Penry, Dr Kiffin (1972)
- Kupferberg, Prof HJ (1987)
- Levy, Dr Rene (1989)
- Lombroso, Dr Cesare T (1981)
- Luders, Prof Hans O (2001)
- Masland, Dr Richard L (1976)
- Mattson, Dr Richard H (1989)
- McCall, Mrs Patsy (1978)
- McLin, Mr William M (1985)
- Merlis, Dr Jerome K (1968)
- Mizrahi, Dr Eli (2011)
- Mittan, Dr Robert J (1989)
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- Morrell, Dr Martha J (1999)
- Moshé, Dr Solomon L (1999)
- Noebels, Prof Jeffrey (2003)
- Parks-Trusz, Dr Sandra (1995)
- Pedley, Prof Timothy A (1995)
- Pippenger, Dr Charles E (1982)

- Plum, Dr Fred (1973)
- Porter, Dr Roger J (1982)
- Rodin, Dr Ernst A. (1979)
- Santilli, Mrs Nancy (1993)
- Schachter, Dr Steven (2011)
- Scherer, Mrs Ann (1977)
- Schoenberg, Dr Bruce (1985)
- Schwartzkroin, Dr Philip (1999)
- Theodore, Dr William (2009)
- Thomas, Dr Madison (1972)
- Tower, Dr Donald (1980)
- Troxell, Mr Jim (1995)
- Urich, Mr Robert (1981)
- Walker, Dr Earl A (1971)
- Walker, Mr Steven (1999)
- Ward jr, Dr Arthur (1976)
- Wasterlain, Prof Claude (2003)

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- Ercegovic, Prof Dragoslav (2003)
- Popovic, Dr Maria (1997)



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