



تجمع الرياض الصحي الثاني  
Riyadh Second Health Cluster

19<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL MEETING OF  
**THE SAUDI ASSOCIATION OF NEUROLOGICAL SURGERY**

**AI** • REVOLUTIONIZING  
• NEUROSURGICAL FRONTIERS

**NeuroGraphia V**

**19TH ANNUAL SAUDI ASSOCIATION OF  
NEUROLOGICAL SURGERY (SANS) MEETING**

**DATES: FEBRUARY 2ND, 2025**  
**LOCATION: RIYADH, SAUDI ARABIA**



**CME**  
ACCREDITED

POWERED BY  
**KanozRetaj**



19<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL MEETING OF  
**THE SAUDI ASSOCIATION OF NEUROLOGICAL SURGERY**

**AI** REVOLUTIONIZING  
NEUROSURGICAL FRONTIERS

## NeuroGraphia V: Where Creativity Meets Neuroscience and Neurosurgery

We are excited to announce the fifth edition of NeuroGraphia, a unique competition merging art and neuroscience, held in conjunction with the 19th Annual SANS Meeting.

### About NeuroGraphia V:

NeuroGraphia stands at the intersection of art and neuroscience, pushing the boundaries of creativity and science.

This unique competition comprises two distinct components:

#### 1. Artistic Expression

Participants are invited to depict various aspects of neuroscience and neurosurgery, such as neuroanatomy, conditions, surgical approaches, or the emotional and healing aspects of neurological experiences.

#### 2. Scientific Illustration

Participants can illustrate the scientific intricacies of neuroscience and neurosurgery, such as neurological anatomy, surgical techniques, or other fascinating aspects of the field, with precision and artistic flair.



19<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL MEETING OF  
**THE SAUDI ASSOCIATION OF NEUROLOGICAL SURGERY**

**AI** REVOLUTIONIZING  
NEUROSURGICAL FRONTIERS

## NeuroGraphia V Neuroscience Art Competition 2025

A picture is worth a thousand words!



### NeuroGraphia Committee Chairman



**Dr. Abdulrahman J Sabbagh**  
King Abdulaziz University

### Judges



**Dr. Ahmed  
Lary**



**Dr. Mohammad  
Bafaquh**



**Ms. Walaa  
Jamal**



**Prof. Abdulrazag  
Ajan**

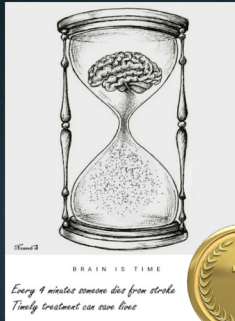




19<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL MEETING OF  
**THE SAUDI ASSOCIATION OF NEUROLOGICAL SURGERY**

**AI** : REVOLUTIONIZING  
 : NEUROSURGICAL FRONTIERS

**NeuroGraphia IV Art Competition Winners**



**Naqeeb Salam**



**Omar Ibrahim Aljohani**

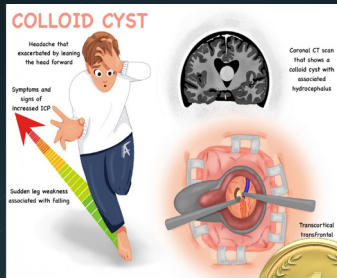


**Dieunedort Arnold  
 Djaowe Menga**

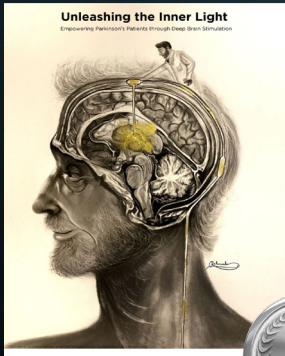
19<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL MEETING OF  
**THE SAUDI ASSOCIATION OF NEUROLOGICAL SURGERY**

**AI** REVOLUTIONIZING  
**NEUROSURGICAL FRONTIERS**

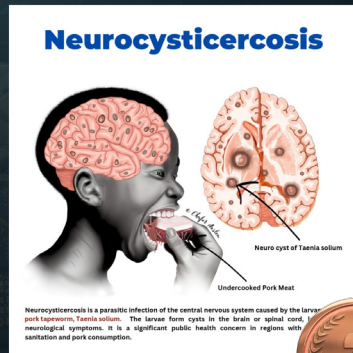
**NeuroGraphia IV Scientific Illustration Competition Winners**



**Fatimah Alghirash**



**Rahmah Majed**



**Chafor Nkemetia  
Anslam**





19<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL MEETING OF  
**THE SAUDI ASSOCIATION OF NEUROLOGICAL SURGERY**

**AI** REVOLUTIONIZING  
NEUROSURGICAL FRONTIERS

## NeuroGraphia V Neuroscience Art Competition 2025

A picture is worth a thousand words!



### Eligibility:

- Participants for the Artistic Expression component are welcome from all walks of life and any part of the community, regardless of age, gender, nationality, or specialization.
- Participants for the Scientific Illustration component must have a scientific background.
- Participants must either reside in Saudi Arabia or be attending the 19th Annual SANS Meeting.

### Submission Guidelines:

#### The artwork will be judged by two methods:

- Each participant may submit up to three original pieces in high-quality PDF or JPG format.
- Submissions must be the competitor's original creation and not contain any previously published or third-party material.
- Plagiarism will not be accepted. Any plagiarized submission will be disqualified.
- Works requiring copyright can be lightly watermarked with a statement: "This work is copyrighted and the image is for competition purposes only."
- Submissions must not have been submitted to NeuroGraphia previously.

**Submission Deadline:** January 27th, 2025

**Submission Email:** neurographia@gmail.com





19<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL MEETING OF  
**THE SAUDI ASSOCIATION OF NEUROLOGICAL SURGERY**

**AI** REVOLUTIONIZING  
NEUROSURGICAL FRONTIERS

## NeuroGraphia V Neuroscience Art Competition 2025

A picture is worth a thousand words!



### Judgment Criteria:

#### 1. Scientific Merit:

- Relevance
- Accuracy
- Comprehensiveness
- Ease of understanding
- Aesthetic quality

#### 2. Artistic Merit:

- Creativity
- Originality
- Visual impact

### Awards:

- Two competition categories:
  1. NeuroGraphia Art Competition
  2. NeuroGraphia Scientific Illustration Competition
- Three winners in each category.
- Awards consist of certificates only (no financial rewards).



19<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL MEETING OF  
**THE SAUDI ASSOCIATION OF NEUROLOGICAL SURGERY**

**AI** : REVOLUTIONIZING  
: NEUROSURGICAL FRONTIERS

## NeuroGraphia V Neuroscience Art Competition 2025

A picture is worth a thousand words!



### Examples to participants:

#### Example illustrations:

1. Pterional approach of craniopharyngioma under the microscope, just before resection: This is an example of a standard approach for a common lesion. This would demonstrate theoretical surgical anatomical understanding.
2. An illustration based on a real case portraying the participant's ability to retrieve three dimensional imagination from real images and illustrate them. this would reflect the participant's ability to utilize their drawing skills in planning for surgery. (I suggest a case that includes angiogram, since it requires good stereo- manipulation of imaging).
3. Drawing of a surgical steps of an uncommon procedure. This will demonstrate the participant's ability to communicate surgical steps by drawing. And their ability to employ their talent in surgical education. For example: Explaining the surgical steps of endoscopic repair of sagittal craniosynostosis. Since it is poorly illustrated in the books and poorly explained by many. The drawing of such procedure can be added to The SANS publications/literature, as it will be helpful to many.
4. Basic Neurosciences illustrations of any kind.
5. Pure artistic innovative pieces of art that would reflect an or be inspired by any part of the nervous system in terms surgical, clinical or basic neurosciences perspectives.





19<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL MEETING OF  
**THE SAUDI ASSOCIATION OF NEUROLOGICAL SURGERY**

**AI** REVOLUTIONIZING  
NEUROSURGICAL FRONTIERS

## NeuroGraphia V Neuroscience Art Competition 2025

A picture is worth a thousand words!



### Rules:

1. The pieces of art will be refereed individually regardless of the artist/illustrator.
2. Each participant would only be allowed to submit a total of 3 pieces of high quality PDF or JPG file format.
3. The Submission must be the competitor's original creation and not contain any previously published or third party material. No plagiarism is allowed.
4. If the illustrator requires the work copyrighted to them, then the work should be lightly watermarked in the background with a statement similar to this: "this work is copyrighted and the image is for competition purposes only"
5. The judges as well as the SANS Conference Chairman reserve the right to disqualify any illustration due to poor quality, incompleteness, poor taste, inappropriateness of content, or concerns regarding copyright infringement in the original work.
6. The art should not have been submitted previously to NeuroGraphia.



19<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL MEETING OF  
**THE SAUDI ASSOCIATION OF NEUROLOGICAL SURGERY**

**AI** REVOLUTIONIZING  
NEUROSURGICAL FRONTIERS

## Event Highlights

A picture is worth a thousand words!



For submission guidelines and additional information: [NeuroGraphia@gmail.com](mailto:NeuroGraphia@gmail.com)

[sans.org.sa](http://sans.org.sa)

**The NeuroGraphia awards will be announced during a short session on February 2nd, 2025, before the conference's closing remarks.**

**Join this exceptional opportunity to merge art and science at the 19th Annual SANS Meeting in Riyadh.**

*For more information and updates, visit the official SANS website: [sans.org.sa](http://sans.org.sa)*



تجمع الرياض الصحي الثاني  
Riyadh Second Health Cluster