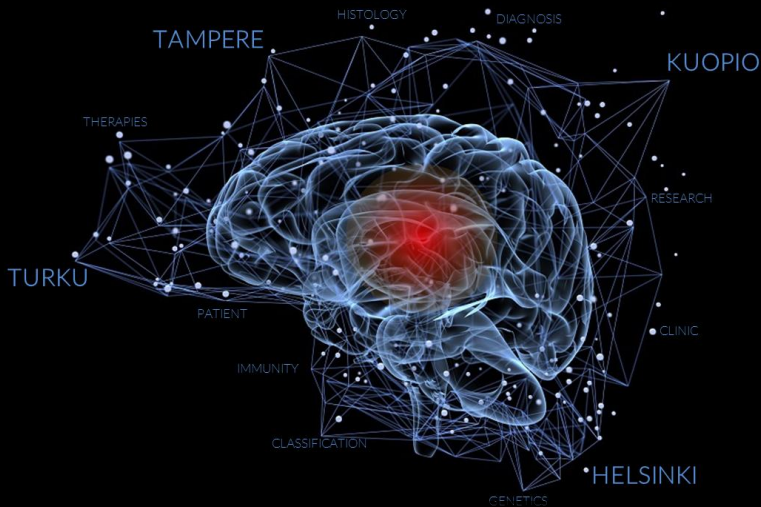


2ND ANNUAL SYMPOSIUM
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FINNISH BRAIN TUMOR
RESEARCH ASSOCIATION

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Symposium Booklet



Welcome to the second edition of the annual symposium *Finnish Brain Tumor Research Association*

Finnish Brain Tumor Research Association welcomes you to the 2nd Annual Finnish Symposium on Brain Tumors, which is held at Uunisaari, Helsinki, in November 1-2, 2016.

The symposium is an interdisciplinary meeting, where different aspects of brain tumor research and management are covered, including e.g. neuro-oncology, neuropathology, and molecular tumor biology.

We want to acknowledge that different disciplines are important for improving our understanding and management of various brain tumors. Hopefully the symposium will increase interaction between different experts working with these diseases, including both clinicians and researchers, and provide bases for future collaborations.

We look forward to have you at the 2nd Annual Finnish Symposium on Brain Tumors on Uunisaari, which is an atmospheric island with a fascinating history. May your attendance at the symposium be pleasant, beneficial, and inspiring.

On behalf of the organizing and the scientific committee,

Kirsi Granberg

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An axial MRI scan of a human brain, showing the cerebral cortex, white matter, and ventricles. The image is in grayscale. Overlaid on the center of the brain is the text "LET'S MAKE THIS BETTER TOGETHER". The words "LET'S MAKE THIS" are in white, and "BETTER TOGETHER" is in a light red color.

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