



**Our aim is to increase public awareness of hydrocephalus and spina bifida and to promote research across the diverse fields of study relevant to these conditions, with the ultimate goal of alleviating, managing and preventing the conditions. The Society, founded in 1957, is made up of members from 30 countries worldwide and is a registered charity in the UK**

#### **What we do**

The Society meets every year at its Annual Scientific Meeting, where the latest research is presented and discussed. All members, including junior professionals and trainees, are encouraged to present their results, adding to global research efforts. The meeting usually takes place in June or July, in different International locations. Our interests range from special needs education through social and psychological aspects to nursing, urological, neurological, orthopaedic and neurosurgical approaches.

#### **How to join**

Ordinary membership is for professionals working in the fields of hydrocephalus or spina bifida. Applications must be proposed and seconded by existing members of SRHSB. Please contact any Committee member if you are interested in joining. Application forms can be downloaded from the SRHSB Website ([www.srhsb.org](http://www.srhsb.org))

#### **Member area**

Exclusive to members only, access to archives and publications and other areas.

#### **Forthcoming Meeting**



**Further information : [www.srhsb.org](http://www.srhsb.org)**  
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#### **Submit Abstracts: Vancouver 2010**

*Research papers are invited on all aspects of hydrocephalus and spina bifida*

#### **The Casey Holter Prize Essay**

*The Casey Holter Memorial Prize Essay will be awarded in 2010 – See website for details.*

#### **Prizes for Paper / Poster**

*Best Oral Presentation, Best Poster and a President's Prize*

#### **Invited Lecturers for Vancouver**

*Dr. Benjamin Warf, Dr. Rima Rozen,  
Dr Margot van Allen*

For more information, please visit [www.srhsb.org](http://www.srhsb.org) for instructions of how to submit your abstract, or essay and to read about prizes. **Closing date for both submissions is the 12<sup>th</sup> February 2010.**

**Travel bursaries available for students and trainees**

#### **Future Meeting**

**55th Annual SRHSB Scientific Meeting:** Jun 22-25 2011. University of Nottingham, UK  
At the kind invitation of Dr Roger Bayston ([roger.bayston@nottingham.ac.uk](mailto:roger.bayston@nottingham.ac.uk))

**Dr Roger Bayston, SRHSB President**