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### **WIKISTIM Abstract to be Featured at INS**

We were delighted to learn that the INS Scientific Committee awarded our WIKISTIM update abstract a top score and accepted it for an Oral and Poster Presentation within a Scientific Session at the 14th World Congress of INS in Sydney, Australia, in May. Our Editor-in-Chief, Dr. Richard B. North, will make the presentation. He would be delighted to speak with any of you who might be in attendance.

### **Spreading the Word**

Jonathan Young, MD, our noninvasive brain stimulation editor (whom we featured in last month's newsletter), is working with a group of students to fill in WIKISTIM data sheets for his upcoming section. He and his students recently created a poster on WIKISTIM for presentation at a symposium at the Duke Institute for Brain Sciences. We are looking forward to the launch of Dr. Young's section of WIKISTIM!

### **Save the Date**

Our friends Eric Grigsby, MD, MBA, and Elliot Krames, MD, (our dorsal root ganglion stimulation section editor) asked up to alert our readers to the 26th Annual NAPA Pain Conference, which will take place August 15-18, 2019 in Napa, California. Drs. Grigsby and Krames have a distinguished track record of producing excellent educational programs.

### **March 2019 STATISTICS**

#### **Most clicked PUBMED links during the past month from previous newsletters**

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### **Membership**

In the short month of February, the number of our subscribers grew by 22 to 912. Thank you for spreading the word!

### **Number of citations in each section**

- DBS 4783, with 2 completed WIKISTIM abstracts
- DRG 96, with 9 completed WIKISTIM abstracts
- GES 483
- PNS 55
- SCS 2296, with 129 completed or partially completed WIKISTIM abstracts
- SNS 926

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