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# **Featured Entrepreneurs**

Afferent Corp., Providence, RI Manufacturer of sensory stimulation devices for treatment of stroke

Epic Biosonics, Victoria, B.C. Manufacturer of totally implantable cochlear prostheses

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Cyberkinetics Inc., Foxborough, MA Manufacturer of brain computer interfaces and electrode arrays

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Sessions cover a range of technologies and market segments in the neuro space, including neuromodulation, neural prostheses, neurodiagnostics, and neurostimulation. Attendees will hear from some of the leading researchers and entrepreneurs developing clinically and commercially promising products such as cochlear implants, functional electrical stimulation devices, pain stimulators, neural-computer interfaces, and advanced brain sensors.

A morning panel discussion on the VC outlook for neurotechnology features some of the leading venture capital firms active in the neuro space. An afternoon panel discussion on neurotechnology spinoffs includes several entrepreneurs and executives from leading neurotechnology firms. The forum will also feature presentations from six early-stage neurotechnology firms covering a range of product and technology areas.

# **Hotel Information**

The Hyatt Regency San Francisco Airport Hotel is located at 1333 Bayshore Highway. Burlingame, CA 94010. Rooms are available for \$149 per night. Call the hotel at 650 347 1234 and mention Neurotech Leaders Forum to secure this rate.

# Moderators

# Speakers and Panelists

James Cavuoto, Editor and Publisher, Neurotech Reports Warren Grill, Ph.D., Case Western Reserve University

## **Panelists and Presenters**

Konstantinos Alataris, Ph.D., Bay City Capital Peter Baillie, Epic Biosonics Chris Berka, Advanced Brain Monitoring, Inc. Lee Cuthbert, Intelli-Scents Wendy Fong, Quallion LLC Jennifer French, STIM Society Jack Gardner, STIM Society Jason Harry, Ph.D., Afferent Corp. Jon Joseph, Ph.D., Nicolet Biomedical Philip Kennedy, M.D., PhD., Neural Signals Gerald Loeb, M.D., Ph.D., AMI/USC Heath Lukatch, Ph.D., Piper Jaffrey Ventures Steve Michelson, Cyclotec AMT Daniel O'Connell, NeuroVentures Capital Alan Olsen, Robomedica, Inc. Robert Pickar, TechMarket Research Roger Quy, Ph.D., Technology Partners Timothy Surgenor, Cyberkinetics, Inc. Geoffrey Thrope, NDI Medical Yitzhak Zilberman, Ph.D., Alfred Mann Foundation

# 2003 Neurotech Leaders Forum

September 9, 2003, Hyatt Regency, San Francisco Airport		
8:30-9:00	Registration and Coffee	
9:00-9:15	The Market for Neurotechnology, James Cavuoto, Neurotech Reports	
9:15–9:30	Neurotechnology: The User's Perspective, Jennifer French, STIM Society	
9:30-10:15	Neurostimulation Market Opportunities	
	This session looks at some of the latest technological innovations in	
	neurostimulation, including applications in treating Parkinson's disease, stroke, urinary incontinence, and pain.	
10:15-10:30	Coffee Break	
10:30-11:15	Neurodiagnostics Market Opportunities	
10.30-11.13	This session examines market opportunities, competitive outlook, and techno-	
	logical advances in neurodiagnostics, including applications in epilepsy, sleep	
	apnea, and psychiatric disorders.	
11:15-12:00	Neurotechnology Capital Markets	
	This session looks at the current outlook for VC funding for neurotechnology devices. A panel of venture capital professionals will offer their insight on	
	recent activity, competition for funds, and factors leading to funding decisions.	
12:00-1:30	Lunch, Sponsored by Quallion, LLC	
1:30-3:00	Entrepreneur Panel	
	This session features presentations from CEOs and founders of several key	
	neurotechnology start-up firms and more established technology ventures.	
	Each executive will present an overview of their firm's technology and markets.	
3:00-3:15	Refreshment Break	
3:15-4:00	Neurotechnology Spinoffs This session looks at the benefits and issues involved with spinning off university	
	neurotech research into commercial endeavors. Several examples of successful	
	spinoffs will be discussed, with a critical examination of the risks and rewards.	
4:00-5:00	The Neurotechnology Industry of 2010	
	This wrap-up session involves the forum's presenters and attendees in an inter-	
	active and free-form discussion on the future of the neurotechnology industry.	
	Topics to be considered include technology directions, competitiion from other fields, merger and acquisition activity, funding, and public awareness.	
5:00-6:30	Cocktail Reception	

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