## **International Society for the History of the Neurosciences**

15<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting, Paris June 15-19 2010 **Preliminary Meeting Announcement** 

The 15th meeting of ISHN will be held in Paris, France from June 15-19 2010. It will be organised by Marjorie Lorch (President) and Jean-Gaël Barbara (Chair of local organising committee) in collaboration with the Ecole Normale Supérieure d'Ulm (Claude Debru) and the Club d'Histoire des Neurosciences, the community of historians of the neurosciences at the Société des Neurosciences.



The meeting will take place at the Ecole Normale Supérieure d'Ulm on the Montagne Sainte Geneviève in the heart of Paris, near the Sorbonne, Panthéon, and Muséum d'Histoire Naturelle. The old building offers modern le cture room facilities and a lovely garden. A list of nearby hotels will be provided ranging from 120 Euros and higher.



L'Ecole Normale Supérieure d'Ulm on the Montagne Sainte Geneviève

The social programme will include a visit to the old Ecole de médecine, the old Anatomical amphitheatre, Musée Dupuytren (the home of Broca's famous Leborgne brain) in the Cloître des Cordeliers, and to the Salpêtrière with a visit to the Charcot library and an organ recital in the chapel by Bernard Lechevalier. The Society Banquet will be held at the Maison de l'Amérique Latine, Charcot's former Paris residence in the boulevard Saint-Germain.



Musée d'Histoire de la Médecine, La Salpêtrière, Musée Dupuytren and Charcot's home.

This meeting will be a great occasion to gather a large international community of scientists, clinicians, historians and philosophers interested in the history of the neurosciences and the rich heritage of French neuroscience.

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