Welcome to the 19th International Neurotoxicology Association Meeting
Two options: last week of May or third week of September 2025
Sommarøy, Norway
In the year 2025 INA has the opportunity to meet at Sommarøy, Norway. At Sommarøy Arctic Hotel Tromsø [https://sommaroy.no/eng-frontpage/](https://sommaroy.no/eng-frontpage/)
The local organizing committee consists of toxicologists from the Norwegian Institute of Public Health, the University of Oslo, and the Norwegian University of Life Sciences.
This provides a great opportunity for INA for participation of a great range of neurotoxicology scientists and students.
Sommarøy is a vibrant coastal community with 450 inhabitants.

- Located 50 minutes from Tromsø Airport, Langnes, Sommarøy Arctic Hotel offers you a different conference style hotel containing both new hotel rooms and seaside-cabins.
- Guests from around the globe meet here, to participate in meetings and conferences with a unique coastal scenery, top technical equipment, activities for all seasons, local food and local fishing village culture dating back nearly 1000 years.
- Sommarøy Arctic Hotel offers its conference guests the possibility to walk just outside the meeting room, lean back and look up to be enchanted by the green flames of the Aurora Borealis in the winter, conversely enjoy the rays of the Midnight sun.
- The Aurora and the midnight sun can both be enjoyed from or seaside bathhouse with sauna and hot tubs in the evening while enjoying a 360-degree view of the coastal islands.
Cost estimates May / September 2025 at Sommarøy Arctic Hotel Tromsø

• Single room kr 1495 (approx. 157 USD) per night incl breakfast
• Double room kr 995 (approx. 105 USD) per night incl breakfast
• Seahouse /Apartment kr. 150 (approx. 16 USD) kr ekstra per night incl breakfast

• Sommarøy Arctic Hotel Tromsø has 29 standard rooms, 39 Superior rooms, 3 Suits and 24 Seedhouse's and apartments.

• Almost all the standard rooms can be changes to «twin» (that is, move one double bed into two single beds)

• Pre & Post nights available at the same rate on request.
Meeting Facilities

• Meeting offer:

Whole day:
• 150 persons: Kr 975 (approx 102 USD) per person
• Includes Lunch buffet & 3-course Dinner.

Half day:
• 150 persons: Kr 725 (approx 76 USD) per person
• Includes: Lunch buffet & Fruitbreak

Breakout rooms: Kr 1500 (approx 158 USD) pr room pr day.
• Cost estimates include meeting room, technical setup, technician for 8 hrs, coffee / tea.

• https://sommaroy.no/meetings-and-conferences/
All figures are the number of people in classroom setup, except marked *, which are in board room setup.

Accommodation

74 rooms in hotel og 81 rooms i sea houses, total 155 rooms.

To 26 sea houses

Bathhouse with sauna and hot tub, and two outdoor jacuzzi.

VIP-relax (15-30) Sauna and gym.

Three suites 65 m², two sleeping rooms.

New hotel wing, 39 rooms w/balcony.

Hotel wing 29 rooms

Bord (8*)

Breakfast

Lysthuset (20)

Kontoret (14)

Exhibition space

Kalhuset (200)
Kahluset 1 (120)
Kahluset 2 (70)

Styrhuset (90)
Styrhuset 1 (60)
Styrhuset 2 (30)
Rødelet (12*)
Ørnvingen (40)

Styrbord (12*)

Posten (28)
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CONNECTIONS TO TROMSØ
We can offer transportation Tromsø - Sommarøy Arctic Hotel:

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The price could change due to these changes: several stops along the route, return on the same date or other wishes you might have. You can book the bus after you have made a definite booking.
Meeting Plan

• The theme of the meeting will be “xxxxx.” Building on the INA meetings of the last decade in Israel (2009), China (2011), The Netherlands (2013), Canada (2015), Brazil (2017), Germany (2019) and Durham (2022) we propose in 2025 to meet in Sommarøy, Tromsø, Norway. Possibilities for symposia to include:

• There will be active participation of students from several research institutions and universities in Norway.

Proposed Agenda: May / September, 2025

• Monday: Welcoming Afternoon Reception, XXXX Lecture (INA),

• Tuesday: Symposia and Platform sessions

• Wednesday: AM Scientific Meeting, PM social and cultural activities

• Thursday: Symposia, Business meeting, Poster session, farewell dinner at “Huset” restaurant

• Friday morning: Symposia and platform sessions, departure
Sign-on Activities

Sommarøy Adventure

We recommend to set up three different activities, and that these are based upon each client signing up for the one they wish to join.

1. We have the option of guided sea kayaking tours with a maximum of 25 persons joining per round of aprox 2 hours duration. This is a tour that requires no previous experience and will take you through the highlights of the Sommarøy Archipelago and beaches. All equipment included and one of our our most popular tours. We can do two consecutive runs here so a total of 50 persons are able to sign up.

2. A boat tours/eagle safari to the national reserve of Hekkingen lighthouse. A guided tour by boat on the rugged north west tip of Senja to spot for sea eagles and visit the Hekkingen lighthouse. The lighthouse was the last lighthouse in Norway to be automated and is the last tip of land for ships departing the coast. We have the ability to take out 23 passengers at a time and this tour can be run in consecutive rounds so a total of 56 may join if wanted.

3. For those that prefer to stay on land we can take the group on a coastal hiking trail, leading up to a summit point giving a grand view of the Sommarøy archipelago, the Island of Senja and the surrounding areas. An easy and for all hike with a short bus transfer from Sommarøy. We also have more enduring hikes in the area depending on the groups wish and abilities.

All tours can be run at a fixed price of kr 1590 per person (approx. 157 USD) and participants can sign up for their wished activity before arriving at Sommarøy.
Local Organizing Committee

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• Erik Ropstad, PhD/Professor, Norwegian University of Life Sciences
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We hope to see YOU in 2025.