MEIR BIALER - CV



Professor Meir Bialer, born in Israel in 1948. His current post is as David H. Eisenberg Professor of Pharmacy at the School of Pharmacy, Faculty of Medicine of The Hebrew University of Jerusalem.

He received his B. Pharm., M.Sc., M.B.A. and Ph.D. degrees from The Hebrew University of Jerusalem. He has been awarded the Fellowship (1992) of the American Association of Pharmaceutical Scientists (AAPS), Kaye Innovation Awards (2000, 2006 and 2007) of The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, and honorary membership of the All-Russian Societies of Neurologists (2012).

He has devoted much time and energy to assisting the ILAE, and his work has included:

- Chair (2009-2013) of the Commission on European Affairs (CEA) and previously treasurer

- Membership of various ILAE commissions, including CEA, the subcommission on therapeutic drug monitoring of antiepileptic drugs (AEDs) and the task force on regulatory affairs of AEDs.

- Member of the Scientific and Organizing Committees of several European Congresses on Epileptology, Co-Chair of the scientific and organizing committee of the Berlin (2008) and London (2012) congresses, respectively, co-founder and member of the Organizing Committees of the eleven (1992-2012) EILAT Conferences on New AEDs and the four Eilat International Educational Courses on the Pharmacological Treatment of Epilepsy four (2005-2011). He is a former president of the Israeli League Against Epilepsy (1996-2002).

In 2001 he received an Ambassador for Epilepsy Award from The ILAE and The International Bureau for Epilepsy (IBE).

His main research interests have been focused on the design and development of new AEDs and how to improve existing AEDs as well as on AEDs pharmacokinetics and therapeutic drug monitoring. He has supervised 28 PhD and 17 MSc students and is an author of 210 peer reviewed publications and 14 book chapters.