

From: Giuseppe Bersani <giuseppe.bersani@uniroma1.it>
To: Gino Yu <[REDACTED]>, "Jeffrey E." <jeevacation@gmail.com>
Cc: Ornella Corazza <o.corazza@herts.ac.uk>
Subject: Re: Any news?
Date: Tue, 21 Feb 2017 09:57:14 +0000

Dear Gino,
wonderful news! Give me just few days, since I am overbusy in Beijing now for an intensive serie a of meeting and then I will be back to you for a final definition. The main issue at this point is just to merge your fantastic innovative ideas with the "clinical/research" topics expected by Cuban attendees. And the result will be really "creative"!
Thanks a lot for your enthusiasm and help!
Giuseppe

Il giorno mar 21 feb 2017 alle 16:56 Gino Yu <[REDACTED]> ha scritto:

Hi Giuseppi,
I've cc'd my benefactor, Jeffrey Epstein. He can make arrangements on the transfer of funds for the Conference.

Jeffrey is also really well connected and can bring significant relationships to make this an amazing event.

gino

On 21 Feb 2017, at 12:37 PM, Gino Yu <[REDACTED]> wrote:

Hi Giuseppi,
I'm still in Hong Kong. Any chance of coming down to Hong Kong?

My benefactor approved 25K. Am working out the contact for the transfer. I still owe you a writeup on the agenda.

Basically:

1) Focus on creativity and innovation. Would like to get people in this space to talk about it, as well as practices. This is good to attract people in business and corporate for future sponsorship. For example, this group is quite successful: [REDACTED] There are some artists and hyper creatives we can also get to talk about the experience and explore study methodologies. Would be great if we could get Rex Jung - <http://www.apa.org/research/action/speaking-of-psychology/neuroscience-creativity.aspx>

2) Studying people that have special abilities (synesthesia, empaths, etc.). I know a few and work with people like this: [REDACTED] This is more parapsychology, but also relates to intuition and insight. Different forms of knowing.

gino

On 16 Feb 2017, at 1:46 AM, Giuseppe Bersani <[REDACTED]> wrote:

Dear Gino,
from February 21st to 24th I shall be in Beijing for some meetings in Universities and Hospitals. Would you by chance be there too?
Any news for the Conference in Cuba? I am just waiting for your final communication to start the project!
Best wishes,
Giuseppe

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From: Giuseppe Bersani <giuseppe.bersani@uniroma1.it>
Date: 2017-02-01 19:38 GMT+01:00
Subject: Re: Any news?
To: Gino Yu <[REDACTED]>
Cc: "Corazza,Ornella" <[REDACTED]>

Dear Gino,
perfect, take the days you need with your family!
I am very anxious to make a joint program with you.
Quite fascinating to put together business, consciousness and neuroscience
Happy Chinese New Year!
Giuseppe

2017-02-01 17:49 GMT+01:00 Gino Yu <[REDACTED]>:

Hi Giuseppe,
Happy Chinese New Year. Give me a few days. Still celebrating with family. I'll probably do another one of these:
[REDACTED] before or after the event. Will also do a business and consciousness event in Cuba during that time. I also have another potential sponsor I'm talking to.

gino

On 31 Jan 2017, at 7:14 AM, Giuseppe Bersani <[REDACTED]> wrote:

Dear Gino,

have you seen the preliminary topics in my first draft of the program? What else do you want to add or what to change? Do you have in mind any particular speaker to invite? Some specific Symposium to propose?

Wonderful if we will add your workshops to the program!

As soon as you will confirm all, I will create a congress website and will start to spread a first announcement and work at practical operations. I will need your close counseling for this.

Regarding the administrative issues, I think it would be better if the sponsor would transfer all the amount to the Organizational Secretariat MIND, that will then take care, under my careful supervision, of all the organizational activities and costs.

I hope to receive your news soon.

Thanks for all,

Giuseppe

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From: **Giuseppe Bersani** <[REDACTED]>
Date: 2017-01-21 16:39 GMT+01:00
Subject: Re: Any news?
To: Gino Yu <[REDACTED]>
Cc: "Corazza, Ornella" <[REDACTED]>

Dear Gino,

I enclose a brief advanced draft of the project. Please feel free to make remarks, suggestions and changes, all welcome. It is just a preliminary worksheet. You can see I left some reference to "mental disorders/psychiatry/clinical neuroscience"/ecc., since I think it can enlarge the number of participants. But check the preliminary list of topics and change it as you think better.

When we will have a shared draft, I will submit it as advanced to Prof. Valdès-Sosa and then we can start with selection of speakers, announcement, sponsor recruitment, diffusion, organizational actions, etc.

Mind and Solymed can take care of every organizational and administrative issues.

I am sure we are working at something great!

Looking to hearing from you,

many thanks,

Giuseppe

2017-01-10 13:42 GMT+01:00 Gino Yu <[REDACTED]>:

I have the 20K you asked for. Once we have a plan, we can explore other sources. They are introducing Alex Castro to me (Fidel's son).

Right now I am at this which we organized and will also do something around the time of our conference in Nov:

gino

On 10 Jan 2017, at 5:00 AM, Giuseppe Bersani <[REDACTED]> wrote:

Dear Gino,

I will try to get all three. It will increase the costs. Which amount of sponsor funding do you foresee to approximately have at this time?

Please let me know and I will start all the organizative actions!

Thanks again,

Giuseppe

2017-01-09 17:15 GMT+01:00 Gino Yu <[REDACTED]>:

Get all 3 days!! Will also run workshops.

Sent from my iPhone

On Jan 9, 2017, at 9:26 AM, Giuseppe Bersani <giuseppe.bersani@uniroma1.it> wrote:

Dear Gino,

I checked again but the best dates seems actually to be November 6-7 or 7-8.

If you confirm your project of cooperation, I will start the organizative actions soon!

Thanks for your help, I think we have a great event in mind!

Giuseppe

2016-12-30 21:32 GMT+01:00 Gino Yu <[REDACTED]>:

Begin forwarded message:

From: "jeffrey E." <jeevacation@gmail.com>

Subject: Re: Any news?

Date: 30 December 2016 at 9:14:40 PM GMT+1

To: Gino Yu <[REDACTED]>

i still prefer may, but if not, nov ok with me.

On Fri, Dec 30, 2016 at 4:12 PM, Gino Yu <[REDACTED]> wrote:

Feelings on dates?

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: Giuseppe Bersani <[REDACTED]>

Date: December 30, 2016 at 12:36:50 PM GMT+1

To: gino yu <[REDACTED]>

Cc: "Corazza, Ornella" <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Fwd: Any ne [REDACTED]

Dear Gino,

some possible participants to our event in La Habana suggested me to anticipate the dates to November 6-7, to avoid overlapping with the [Neuroscience 2016 Annual Meeting](#) in Washington, November 11-15.

I have still to check the room availability in the congress palace, but I want to know before if the new dates can be a problem for you or for your sponsor. In this case we can confirm the days of 13-14.

Please let me know your opinion and which type of sponsor you think to involve, so to be able to start to prepare an adequate preliminary program and list of participants.

Many thanks for your precious help,
I look forward to hearing from you soon,

warm wishes,
Giuseppe

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From: **Giuseppe Bersani** <[REDACTED]>
Date: 2016-12-23 13:09 GMT+01:00
Subject: Re: Any news?
To: Gino Yu <[REDACTED]>
Cc: "Corazza, Ornella" <[REDACTED]>

Dear gino,
Fantastic title!
I will contribute to mix my previous general presentation with all your suggestions.
Prof. Peter Valdès-Sosa must co-chair the congress with us. Please send me your final idea and I will work at it soon. I will keep you informed about the confirmation of the dates. I understand November is a good time for you.
Let's keep in touch!
And my best wishes for Christmas and New Year.
Giuseppe

2016-12-22 23:40 GMT+01:00, Gino Yu <[REDACTED]>:
> OK! Nov 13-14 it is! I started writing something up for it, but haven't
> finished (see attached).
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> gino
> From Known to New
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> Neuroscience, Creativity, and Innovation
> Gino Yu, Giuseppe Bersani, Ornella Corazza
> Havana, Cuba
> April 18-20, 2017
> [REDACTED]
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> Background
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> The Neupsyco Congresses organized by the Cuban Neuroscience Center, the
> Cuban Society of Psychiatry, and the Association MIND – Education and
> Research in Neuroscience and Medicine in conjunction with the Sapienza
> University in Rome and the Italian Society of Psychiatry, was established in
> 2013 and has run three editions in 2013, 2014, and 2015. The event bring
> together delegates from worldwide to promote advanced and high level
> scientific exchange, with the objective of creating an annual international
> meeting of clinicians and researchers in all fields of Neurosciences.
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> The scientific sessions and exhibition areas provide suitable sites for the
> discussion of issues related to the scientific program, cooperation
> projects, and commercial developments, with the participation of clinicians,
> professors, researchers, health professionals and entrepreneurs from
> Northern and Latin America, Asia and Europe.
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> For the 2017 edition, Dr. Gino Yu was invited to get involved with the
> event. Dr. Yu has hosted the Toward a Science of Consciousness Conference
> in 2009, and will host the new version, The Science of Consciousness, also
> in 2017. He also founded and ran the Asia Consciousness Festival
> (<http://imprint.co.uk/pdf/Gino.pdf>) and is a pioneer of the TranTech
> movement ([REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>). Combined
> with other gatherings in Europe and Asia, Neupsyco provides an excellent
> platform for developing a community of international researchers focused
> upon understanding the relationship between mind and body.
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> It was decided that the event would take a unique approach to mind-body

> understanding and also leverage the unique opportunities in the host country
> of Cuba by focusing on creativity and innovation rather than mental
> disorders. Hence, the title "From Known to New." The event can serve
> accelerate the creative and innovation industries by applying a
> science-based methodology for investigation and inquiry into creative
> processes and innovation. Such a program would stimulate new lines of
> inquiry and promoting cross-disciplinary collaboration. The event would
> also serve as a catalyst for the development and commercialization of new
> products and services arising from these collaborations.

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>> On 22 Dec 2016, at 10:55 PM, Giuseppe Bersani
>> [REDACTED] wrote:

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>> Dear Gino,
>> excuse my late contact, but I finally got the possible dates for the
>> Conference in La Habana: november 13-14, 2017. Are they convenient for
>> you? Please confirm your sponsorship availability and I will prepare the
>> first announcement soon. There may also be a second opportunity in the
>> Congress Palace rooms at the end of May, 29-30, that must still be
>> confirmed to me, but I think it is too close for a good organization.
>> Please let me know your opinion.
>> I would be very glad to join our efforts in this adventure!

>> Giuseppe
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>> 2016-11-30 14:30 GMT+01:00 Gino Yu <[REDACTED]>
>> <mailto:[REDACTED]>:
>> Let me know as soon as you know.

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>> I'll be in Torino at the end of dec.

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>> Gino
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>> Sent from my iPhone

>>> On Nov 30, 2016, at 8:19 PM, Giuseppe Bersani
>>> [REDACTED] <mailto:[REDACTED]>
>>> wrote:

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>>> Dear Gino,
>>> at the beginning of next week I will be able to let you know the
>>> dates, very possibly in the second half of november.
>>> Thanks for patience and cooperation!

>>> Giuseppe
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>>> 2016-11-28 7:03 GMT+01:00, Gino Yu <[REDACTED]>
>>> <mailto:[REDACTED]>:
>>>> Hi Giuseppi and Ornella,
>>>> Any word on dates for Cuba event?

>>>> gino
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>>>> On 27 Oct 2016, at 5:39 PM, Giuseppe Bersani
>>>> [REDACTED] <mailto:[REDACTED]>
>>>> wrote:

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>>>> Ho, Gino,
>>>> any news about programs? Please let me know to join.

>>>> Giuseppe
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