

# PROGRAM AT A GLANCE

## SATURDAY 22 JUNE 2019

- 9.30-11.00 Coffee & Registration **GROUND FLOOR LOBBY**
- 11.00-19.00 **Education Course MAESTRALE**
- 11.00 **Welcome Address**  
Steven Scherer
- 11.10 **The Autonomic Nervous System – A Case-based Approach to Functional Neuroanatomy**  
Roy Freeman
- 11.50 **A Primer on WES, GWAS and WGS as Tools for Unravelling the Genetics of Inherited Neuropathies**  
Marina Kennerson
- 12.30 **Imaging of PNS**  
Simonetta Gerevini
- 13.10 Career Development Lunch  
**GROUND FLOOR LOBBY**
- 14.30 **Mammalian Models of Neuropathy – When and How to Use Them**  
Steve Scherer
- 15.10 **Emerging Therapies in Autoimmune Neuropathy – Beyond IVIg**  
Michael Lunn
- 15.50 **Neuropathy in Resource Limited Settings, What and How to Investigate**  
Umapathi Thirugnanam
- 16.30 **Educational Committee and Strategies: How to Apply for Educational Event Funding**  
Hugh Willison and Alessandra Bolino
- 16.45-17.15 Coffee Break & Exhibits **MODULE 8 & 7 1ST FLOOR**
- 17.15-18.45 **Clinical Case Presentations MAESTRALE**
- 19.00-23.00 **Welcome Reception CARLO FELICE THEATRE**

## SUNDAY 23 JUNE 2019

- 7.15-8.15 Coffee & Exhibits **MODULE 8 & 7 1ST FLOOR**
- 7.15-8.15 Poster Viewing **MODULE 7 2ND FLOOR**
- 7.15-8.15 **Sponsored Symposia**  
Kedrion Symposium **AUDITORIUM**  
Pfizer Symposium **LEVANTE/PONENTE**
- 8.30-9.00 **Peter J Dyck Lecture AUDITORIUM**  
**Neurological Disturbances in Patients with Diabetes Beyond Peripheral Neuropathy: CNS Involvement on Multimodal Brain Imaging**  
Geert Jan Biessels
- 9.00-10.30 **Platform Session I AUDITORIUM**
- 10.30-11.00 Coffee Break & Exhibits **MODULE 8 & 7 1ST FLOOR**
- 11.00-11.30 **Richard Bunge Lecture AUDITORIUM**  
**Peripheral Nerve Homeostasis and Regeneration – Links to Disease**  
Alison Lloyd
- 11.30-12.30 **Oral Poster Session I AUDITORIUM**
- 12.30-14.30 Lunch & Exhibits **MODULE 8 & 7 1ST FLOOR**
- 12.30-14.30 Poster Session I **MODULE 7 2ND FLOOR**

## 14.30-18.30 Special Interest Group (SIG) Parallel Sessions

### INFLAMMATORY NEUROPATHY CONSORTIUM (INC) MAESTRALE

- 14.30 **Monoclonal Gammopathies of Neurological Significance**  
Invited Speaker: Shirley D'Sa
- 15.00 **INC Project Updates**
- 15.30 **Oral Abstracts**
- 16.00 **Peripheral Neuropathy and Gastrointestinal Disease**  
Francisco de Assis Gondim
- 16.30 Coffee Break & Exhibits **MODULE 8 & 7 1ST FLOOR**
- 17.00 **An Overview of Inflammatory Neuropathies and Diabetes**  
Yusuf Rajabally
- 17.30 **Oral Abstracts**

### CHARCOT-MARIE-TOOTH & RELATED NEUROPATHIES CONSORTIUM (CMTR) GRECALE

- 14.30 **Platform Presentations: Schwann Cells and Myelination**
- 15.45 **Oral Posters: iPSCs**
- 16.00 **Pathogenetic Inflammation in Models for Schwann Cell-Related Charcot-Marie-Tooth Disorders**  
Rudolf Martini
- 16.30 Coffee Break & Exhibits **MODULE 8 & 7 1ST FLOOR**
- 17.00 **Mechanisms of TRPV4-induced Peripheral Nerve Disease**  
Charlotte Sumner
- 17.30 **Platform Presentations: Pathomechanisms**
- 18.00 **Oral Posters: Genetics and Phenotypes**

### INTERNATIONAL DIABETES NEUROPATHY CONSORTIUM (IDNC) LEVANTE/PONENTE

- 14.30 **Risk Factors for Presence and Progression of CAN in Type 2 Diabetes**  
Signe Toft Andersen
- 15.00 **Seeing What They are Feeling – The Central Nervous System in Diabetic Peripheral Neuropathy**  
Dinesh Selvarajah
- 15.30 **Deep Phenotyping to Explore Differences Between Painful and Painless Diabetic Neuropathy**  
Andreas Themistocleous
- 16.00 **Sodium Channel Mutations in Small Fiber Neuropathy: Implications for Diabetic Neuropathy**  
Daniele Cazzato
- 16.30 Coffee Break & Exhibits **MODULE 8 & 7 1ST FLOOR**
- 17.00 **Oral Poster Session**
- 17.45 **Emerging Concepts in the Early Detection and Management of Diabetic Neuropathy**  
Invited Speaker: Dan Ziegler

## 19.00-20.00 Sponsored Symposia

- CSL Behring Symposium **MAESTRALE**  
Alnylam Symposium **GRECALE**

## 20.10-23.00 Junior Reception AQUARIUM

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## MONDAY 24 JUNE 2019

- 7.15-8.15 Coffee & Exhibits **MODULE 8 & 7 1ST FLOOR**
- 7.15-8.15 Poster Viewing **MODULE 7 2ND FLOOR**
- 7.15-8.15 **Sponsored Symposia**
- Takeda Symposium **AUDITORIUM**
- Pharnext Symposium **LEVANTE/PONENTE**
- 8.30-9.00 **Arthur K Asbury Lecture** **AUDITORIUM**  
**Skin for Neurologists**  
Giuseppe Lauria
- 9.00-10.30 **Platform Session II** **AUDITORIUM**
- 10.30-11.00 Coffee Break & Exhibits **MODULE 8 & 7 1ST FLOOR**
- 11.00-11.30 **Jack Griffin Lecture** **AUDITORIUM**  
**Neuronal and Glial Mechanisms Regulating Nerve Regeneration**  
Valeria Cavalli
- 11.30-12.30 **Oral Poster Session II** **AUDITORIUM**
- 12.30-13.00 **PNS Annual General Meeting**  
*(all are welcome)* **AUDITORIUM**
- 13.00-14.30 Lunch & Exhibits **MODULE 8 & 7 1ST FLOOR**
- 13.00-14.30 Poster Session II **MODULE 7 2ND FLOOR**
- 14.30-18.30 **Special Interest Group (SIG) Parallel Sessions**

### INFLAMMATORY NEUROPATHY CONSORTIUM (INC) **MAESTRALE**

- 14.30 **INC Project Updates**
- 15.00 **Ultrasound and MRI of Peripheral Nervous System: Usefulness for Diagnosis and Therapeutic Indication**  
Luca Padua and Simonetta Gerevini
- 16.00 **Oral Abstracts**
- 16.30 Coffee Break & Exhibits **MODULE 8 & 7 1ST FLOOR**
- 17.00 **Neuropathology of Inflammatory Neuropathies**  
Haruki Koike
- 17.30 **Oral Abstracts**

### CHARCOT-MARIE-TOOTH & RELATED NEUROPATHIES CONSORTIUM (CMTR) **GRECALE**

- 14.30 **Rare and Genetically Undiagnosed Forms of Inherited Peripheral Neuropathies**  
Invited Speaker: Jan Senderek
- 15.00 **Platform Presentations: Genetics, Biomarkers, Amyloidosis**
- 16.30 Coffee Break & Exhibits **MODULE 8 & 7 1ST FLOOR**
- 17.00 **Measuring Disability of Infants, Children and Adults with CMT**  
Joshua Burns
- 17.30 **Platform Presentations: Therapy**
- 18.15 **Oral Posters: Therapy**

### INTERNATIONAL DIABETES NEUROPATHY CONSORTIUM (IDNC) **LEVANTE/PONENTE**

- 14.30 **Ultrasound of Peripheral Nerve in Diabetes**  
Stefan Meng
- 15.00 **MR Neurography in Peripheral Neuropathies**  
Jennifer Kollmer
- 15.30 **Testing Autonomic Outcomes in Diabetic Neuropathy Research: Challenges and Advantages**  
James Russell

- 16.00 **Scientific Pitfalls in Emerging Technology for Study of Neuropathy**  
Brian Callaghan & Chris Gibbons
- 16.30 Coffee Break & Exhibits **MODULE 8 & 7 1ST FLOOR**
- 17.00 **Oral Poster Session**
- 17.30 **Platform Session**

### TOXIC NEUROPATHY CONSORTIUM (TNC) **LIBECCIO**

- 14.30 **Summary/Update of Activities**  
Guido Cavaletti
- 15.00 **The Power of Neurophysiology in Chemotherapy-Induced Peripheral Neuropathy**  
Susanna Park
- 15.30 **Oral Abstracts**
- 16.30 Coffee Break & Exhibits **MODULE 8 & 7 1ST FLOOR**
- 17.00 **Oral Abstracts**
- 17.30 **Relevance of Peripheral Neuropathy in Cancer Patients Treated with Chemotherapy**  
Alberto Sobrero
- 18:00 **Palliative Care in Oncology and Neuropathic Pain**  
Invited Speaker: Augusto Caraceni

### 19.00-20.00 **Sponsored Symposia**

- Grifols Symposium **MAESTRALE**
- Akcea Symposium **GRECALE**

## TUESDAY 25 JUNE 2019

- 7.15-8.15 Coffee & Exhibits **MODULE 8 & 7 1ST FLOOR**
- 7.15-8.15 Poster Viewing **MODULE 7 2ND FLOOR**
- 7.15-8.15 **Sponsored Symposia**
- LFB Symposium **AUDITORIUM**
- 8.30-9.00 **PK Thomas Lecture** **AUDITORIUM**  
**Familial Amyloid Polyneuropathy as a Model of Medical Progress**  
David Adams
- 9.00-10.30 **Platform Session III** **AUDITORIUM**
- 10.30-11.00 Coffee Break & Exhibits **MODULE 8 & 7 1ST FLOOR**
- 11.00-11.30 **Pembroke Lecture** **AUDITORIUM**  
**The Impact of Mitochondrial Biology on Central and Peripheral Nervous System Disorders**  
Massimo Zeviani
- 11.30-12.30 **Oral Poster Session III** **AUDITORIUM**
- 12.30-14.30 Lunch & Exhibits **MODULE 8 & 7 1ST FLOOR**
- 12.30-14.30 Poster Session III **MODULE 7 2ND FLOOR**
- 14.30-16.30 **Clinical Trial Updates** **AUDITORIUM**
- 16.30-17.00 Coffee Break & Exhibits **MODULE 8 & 7 1ST FLOOR**
- 17.00-18.00 **Presidential Lecture** **AUDITORIUM**  
**Peripheral Neuropathy – 6th Edition**  
Steven Scherer
- 18.00-18.30 **Awards & Prizes** **AUDITORIUM**
- 18.30-23.00 **Closing Reception** **VILLA LO ZERBINO**  
Buses depart from convention centre main entrance every 30 minutes