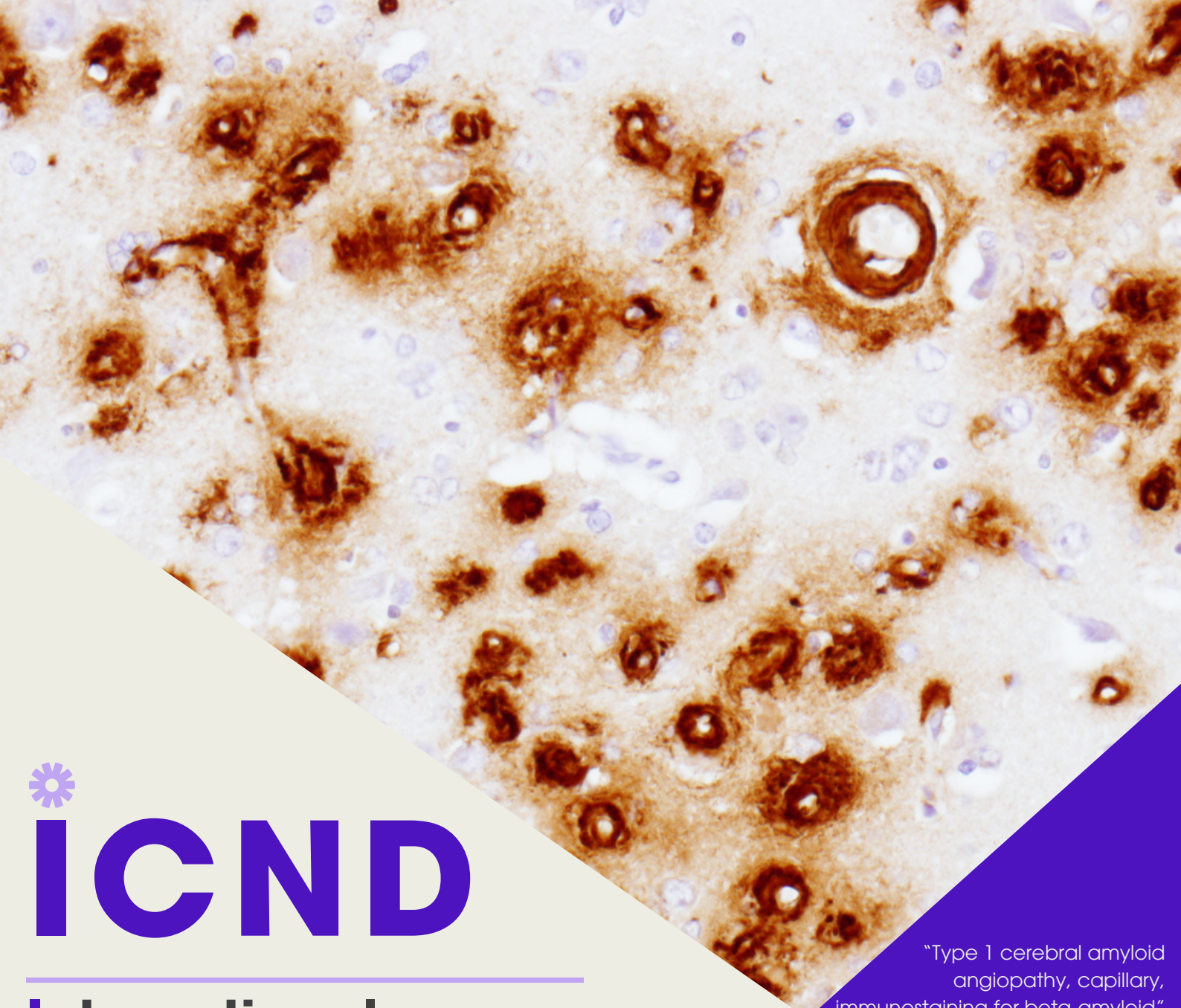




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9:00 - 9:30 h

Registration and poster setup

9:30 - 11:30 h

Scientific Session I: TAU

Moderator: Mercè Boada Rovira (Ace Alzheimer Center
Barcelona/CIBERNED - Spain)

9:25 h

Pascual Sánchez-Juan

CIEN - Centro Alzheimer Fundación Reina Sofía — Madrid, Spain
Title: TBD

9:50 h

Alberto Lleó

Unitat de Memòria Hospital Sant Pau/CIBERNED — Barcelona,
Spain
Title: TBD

10:15 h

Simon Mead

MRC Prion Unit at UCL - National Prion Clinic, UCLH — UK
Title: *Iatrogenic Alzheimer's disease - expanding the prion
concept*

10:40 h

Amira Latif-Hernandez

Stanford University School of Medicine — San Francisco, USA
Title: TBD

11:05 h

Discussion panel

12:00 - 13:00 h

Official Inauguration

13:00 - 14:00 h

Keynote Lecture

Introduction by: Javier Sáez Valero — Universidad Miguel Hernández
de Elche — Alicante, Spain

Francisco Juan Martínez Mojica — Universidad de Alicante, Spain

Title: *CRISPR's Journey: Tracing the Roots of a Revolutionary Genetic
Toolbox*

14:00 - 15:30 h

Posters & Lunch Chairperson: Aitana Sogorb
(Sala Kursaal, Gran Teatro)



15:30 - 17:30 h

Scientific Session II: Other targets

Moderator: Alberto Rábano

15:30 h

Alberto Rábano

BT-CIEN, Centro Alzheimer Fundación Reina Sofía — Madrid, Spain

Title: TBD

15:55 h

Michel Grothe

CIEN - Centro Alzheimer Fundación Reina Sofía — Madrid, Spain

Title: *Limbic age-related TDP-43 encephalopathy (LATE)*

16:20 h

José Ramón Naranjo

Centro Nacional de Biotecnología-CSIC/CIBERNED — Madrid, Spain

Title: *The DREAM/ATF6 interaction mediates disease progression in FTL-D mouse models*

16:45 h

Tiago Outeiro

University Medical Center Goettingen — Göttingen, Deutschland

Title: *From biology to classification: understanding Parkinson's disease*

17:10 - 17:30 h

Discussion panel

9:00 - 11:00 h

Scientific Session III: APOE

Moderator: Daniel Alcolea

9:00 h

Daniel Alcolea

Sant Pau Memory Unit, Hospital de Sant Pau/CIBERNED —
Barcelona, Spain

Title: TBD

9:25 h

Juan Fortea

Hospital of Sant Pau/CIBERNED — Barcelona, Spain

Title: TBD

9:50 h

Javier Sáez Valero

Universidad Miguel Hernández de Elche/CIBERNED— Alicante,
Spain

Title: *Compromised APOE Signaling in Alzheimer's Disease and
COVID-19, different profiles similar consequences?*

10:15 h

Jorge Sepulcre

Yale University — New Haven, USA

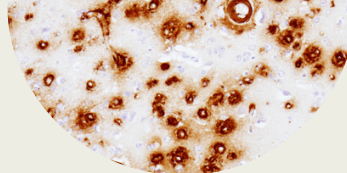
Title: *In Search of Novel Molecular Targets for Neurodegenerative
Diseases: PET and Multiomics Integration*

10:40 h

Discussion panel

11:00 - 11:30 h

Coffee break & Posters (Sala Kursaal, Gran Teatro)



11:30 - 13:30 h

Scientific Session IV: Neuromodulation

Moderator: Álvaro Pascual-Leone

11:30 h

Álvaro Pascual-Leone

Harvard Medical School — Boston, USA

Title: TBD

11:55 h

Christopher R Butler

Imperial College London — London, UK

Title: TBD

12:20 h

Guglielmo Foffani

HM CINAC — Madrid, Spain

Hospital Nacional de Paraplégicos — Toledo, Spain

Title: *Transcranial static magnetic field stimulation (tSMS) in movement disorders*

12:45 h

Giacomo Koch

Fondazione Santa Lucia — Rome, Italy

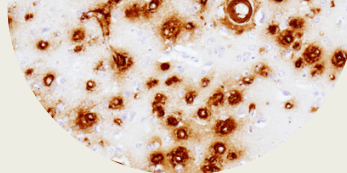
Title: TBD

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Discussion panel

13:30 - 14:30 h

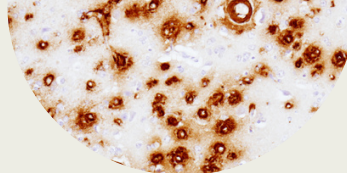
Lunch break & Posters (Sala Kursaal, Gran Teatro)



Tuesday 16

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14:30 - 16:30 h	Scientific Session V: Glia Moderator: Marta Fernández Matarrubia
14:30 h	Marta Fernández Matarrubia Hospital Univeristario Marqués de Valdecilla — Santander, Spain Title: TBD
14:55 h	Estrella Morenas Hospital Univeristario 12 de Octubre — Madrid, Spain Title: TBD
15:20 h	Amaia Arranz Achucarro - Basque center for Neuroscience — Leioa, Spain Title: <i>Divergent Effects of Human Astrocytes with Different APOE Variants on Key Alzheimer's Disease Hallmarks in Chimeric Mice</i>
15:45 h	Eduardo Zimmer Universidade Federal Rio Grande do Sul — Porto Alegre, Brazil Title: TBD
16:10 h	Discussion panel
16:30 - 16:45 h	Coffee break & Posters (Sala Kursaal, Gran Teatro)



Tuesday 16

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16:45 - 18:15 h

Scientific Session VI: Amyloid

Moderator: Raquel Sánchez Valle

16:45 h

Raquel Sánchez Valle

Hospital Clínic Barcelona — Barcelona, España

Title: TBD

17:10 h

Estela Area-Gómez

Centro de Investigaciones biológicas. CSIC — Spain

Columbia University — NYC

Title: *The role of MAM in the regulation of APP processing*

17:35 h

Bart de Strooper

VIB-KU Leuven Center for Brain & Disease Research — Belgium

University College London & UK-Dementia Research Institute - UK

Title: TBD

18:00 - 18:15 h

Discussion panel

9:00 - 11:00 h

Scientific Session VII: Other mechanisms

Moderator: Teodoro del Ser

9:00 h

Teodoro del Ser

CIEN - Centro Alzheimer Fundación Reina Sofía — Madrid, Spain

Title: *Other therapeutic approaches in Alzheimer's disease*

9:25 h

Ángel Cebolla

Olavide Neuron STX S.L. (ONESTX) — Sevilla, Spain

Title: *Modulating Sulfated Steroid Availability to Treat Neurodegenerative Diseases*

9:50 h

Jose María Frade

Instituto Cajal CSIC — Madrid, Spain

Title: *A multifactorial gene therapy with the potential to cure Alzheimer's disease*

10:15 h

Johannes Levin (TBC)

Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität München — München, Germany

Title: TBD

10:40 h

Discussion panel

11:00 - 11:30 h

Coffee break & Posters (Sala Kursaal, Gran Teatro)

11:30 - 13:30 h

Scientific Session VIII: Metabolism

Moderator: Maite Mendioroz Iriarte

11:30 h

Maite Mendioroz Iriarte

Hospital Universitario de Navarra — Pamplona, Spain

Title: TBD

11:55 h

Ignacio Torres Alemán

Achucarro - Basque center for Neuroscience/CIBERNED — Leioa, Spain

Title: *IGF-1 and neurodegenerative diseases: from bench to bedside*

12:20 h

Javier Salvador Rodríguez

Universidad de Navarra — Pamplona, Spain

Title: TBD

12:45 h

Emiliano Bruner

Museo Nacional de Ciencias Naturales CSIC — Madrid, Spain,
CIEN - Centro Alzheimer Fundación Reina Sofía — Madrid, Spain

Title: *The evolution of the human precuneus: topological, vascular, and metabolic drawbacks of the deep brain.*

13:10 h

Discussion panel

13:30 - 14:30 h

Lunch & Posters (Sala Kursaal, Gran Teatro)

Miércoles 17

17:00 - 18:00 h

La visión del paciente sobre la investigación en enfermedades neurodegenerativas (Centro de Congresos)

Presentado por: TBD

Mariló Almagro — CEAFA

Alicia Campos — FEP

Teodoro del Ser — CAFRS - CIEN

Aitana Sogorb — CAFRS - CIEN

18:00 - 18:30 h

Café (Centro de Congresos)

18:30 - 20:00 h

"Neurodiálogos en clave de sol" - Interpretación de piano y violín (Centro de Congresos)

Guglielmo Foffani

Luca Bagagli

Jueves 18

17:00 - 18:00 h

Diagnóstico precoz en enfermedades neurodegenerativas: Utopía o realidad clínica (Centro de Congresos)

Presentado por: TBD

Pascual Sánchez-Juan — CAFRS - CIEN

María Ascensión Zea Sevilla — CAFRS - CIEN

Javier Saez Valero — Universidad Miguel Hernández de
Elche/CIBERNED

18:00 - 18:30 h

Café (Centro de Congresos)

18:30 - 19:30 h

La perspectiva del paciente con las asociaciones de familiares de pacientes: Abordaje y recursos de apoyo en enfermedades neurodegenerativas (Centro de Congresos)

Presentado por: TBD

Asociación de Familiares de Alzheimer de Elche (AFAE)

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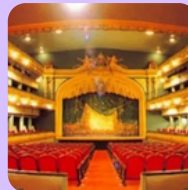
José Francisco Barragán (Presidente de AFAE)

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