

Historical image of the amygdala in a patient with Alzheimer's disease. Immunohistochemical staining for GFAP. Reactive astrocytes, plaques, and blood vessels—key elements for the interpretation of different biomarkers (colors). - By CIEN



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9:30 - 10:00 h

Registration and poster setup

10:00 - 12:00 h

Scientific Session I: Core 1 biomarkers

Moderator: Mercé Boada

10:00 h

Javier Arbizu

Clínica Universidad de Navarra — Pamplona, Spain

Title: Amyloid PET

10:25 h

Pascual Sánchez-Juan

CIEN - Centro Alzheimer Fundación Reina Sofía — Madrid, Spain

Title: SCAP-AD Project

10:50 h

Jonathan Schott

Dementia Research Centre, UCL Institute of Neurology — London, UK

Title: Lothian cohort

11:15 h

Michael Schöll

University of Gothenburg — Gothenburg, Sweden

Title: Real AD

11:40 - 12:00 h

Discussion panel

12:30 - 13:15 h

Official Inauguration

13:15 -
14:00 h

Keynote Lecture

Bill Jagust

UC Berkeley — California, USA

Introduction by: Michel Grothe - CIEN

Title: TBD

14:00 - 16:00 h

Posters & Lunch



16:00 - 17:30 h

Scientific Session II: Core 2 Biomarkers

Moderator: Michel Grothe

16:00 h

Alexis Moscoso

CIMUS-USC - Health Research Institute of Santiago de Compostela (IDIS) — Galicia, Spain

Title: Tau PET

16:25 h

Gemma Salvadó

Fundación Pasqual Maragall — Barcelona, Spain

Title: TBD

16:50h

Laia Montoliu

University of Gothenburg — Gothenburg, Sweden

Title: TBD

17:15 - 17:30 h

Discussion panel



9:00 - 11:35 h

Scientific Session III: Role of inflammation / GFAP / PET

Moderator: José López Barneo — IBiS

9:00 h

Keynote Lecture

Michael Heneka

University of Luxembourg — Esch-sur-Alzette, Luxemburgo

Introduced by: José López Barneo — IBiS

Title: TBD

10:00 h

Alberto Pascual

IBiS, CSIC/CIBERNED — Seville, Spain

Title: TBD

10:25 h

Tharick Pascoal

University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine — Pittsburgh, USA

Title: (GFAP, Microglia-PET)

10:50 h

Maura Malpetti

Race Against Dementia ARUK Fellow at University of Cambridge
— Cambridge, UK

Title: TBD

11:15 - 11:35 h

Discussion panel

11:35 - 12:05 h

Coffee break & Posters



12:05 - 14:00 h

Scientific Session IV: Role of other (co-)pathologies / AD-negative amnesic síndromes (or more general: non-AD related cognitive decline)

Moderator: Alberto Rábano

12:05 h

Alberto Rábano

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Title: TBD

12:30 h

Michel Grothe

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Title: *LATE/HS/PART*

12:55 h

Jesús Silva

CIEN - Centro Alzheimer Fundación Reina Sofía — Madrid, Spain

Title: *LB (including LBD)*

13:20 h

Nico Franzmeier

LMU Munich — Munich, Germany

Title: PSP/PET

13:45 -14:00 h

Discussion panel

14:00 - 15:00 h

Lunch break & Posters



15:00 - 17:30 h

Scientific Session VI: Technology, AI, Omics

Moderator: Guglielmo Foffani

15:25 h

Emrah Duezel

DZNE — Magdeburg, Germany

Title: TBD

15:50 h

Eugenio Iglesias

Harvard University — Cambridge, USA

Title: TBD

16:15 h

Charlotte Teunissen

Amsterdam UMC — Amsterdam, Netherlands

Title: TBD

16:40 h

Jake Vogel

Lund University — Lund, Sweden

Title: TBD

17:05 - 17:25 h

Discussion panel

17:25 - 18:00 h

Coffee break & Posters



9:00 - 11:30 h

Scientific Session V: Synapse and plasticity

Moderator: Rafael Fernández Chacón

9:00 h

Keynote Lecture

Seth Grant

Edinburgh University — Edinburgh, UK

Introduced by: Rafael Fernández Chacón

Title: TBD

10:00 h

Rafael Fernández Chacón

IBiS — Seville, Spain

Title: TBD

10:25 h

Joana Pereira

Karolinska Institute — Stockholm, Sweden

Title: TBD

10:50 h

Alberto Lleó

Hospital de la Santa Creu i Sant Pau/CIBERNED — Barcelona, Spain

Title: *Synaptic tau pathology in Alzheimer's disease*

11:15 - 11:30 h

Discussion panel

11:30 - 12:00 h

Coffee break & Posters



12:00 - 14:00 h

Scientific Session VII: Genetics

Moderator: Raquel Sánchez Valle

12:00 h

Victoria Fernández

Fundación ACE — Barcelona, Spain

Title: TBD

12:25 h

Sven van der Lee

Amsterdam UMC — Amsterdam, Netherlands

Title: TBD

12:50 h

Juan Fortea

Hospital de la Santa Creu i Sant Pau — Barcelona, Spain

Title: APOE4

13:15 h

Alfredo Ramírez

University of Cologne — Cologne, Germany

Title: TBD

13:40 - 14:00 h

Discussion panel

14:00 - 15:00 h

Lunch & Posters



15:00 - 17:00 h

Scientific Session VIII: Other dementias / patient populations

Moderator: TBD

15:00 h

Aitana Sogorb

CIEN - Centro Alzheimer Fundación Reina Sofía — Madrid, Spain

Title: FTD/ALS

15:25 h

Gianluigi Zanusso

University of Verona — Verona, Italy

Title: TBD

15:50 h

Pablo Mir

IBIS/CIBERNED — Seville, Spain

Title: Parkinson's-related cognitive decline / dementia

16:15 - 16:30 h

Discussion panel

16:30 - 17:30 h

Poster Highlights Session & Best Poster Award

17:30 - 19:00 h

Encuentro sociosanitario

Moderador: Dr. Ernesto García (Unidad de Memoria del [Hospital Universitario Virgen del Rocío de Sevilla](#))

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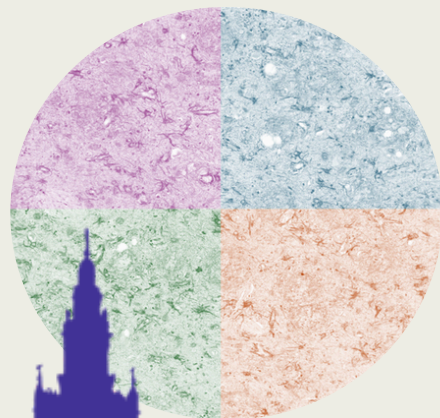
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