

The Seventh Annual Update Symposium Series on
Clinical Neurology and Neurophysiology
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February 21, 2011

Hall A

Loss of Motor Function, Aging and AD

08:30-09:10

Motor change with age – from brief episodic examinations to home-based continuous assessments

Jeff Kaye

09:10-09:50

Gait disturbances in old age

Nir Giladi

09:50-10:30

Cognitive interventions: can they improve gait and reduce fall risk?

Jeff Hausdorff

10:30-10:50

Coffee break, exhibition and posters

10:50-11:30

Loss of motor function in old age: a growing public health challenge

Aron Buchman

11:30-12:10

Loss of motor function in preclinical Alzheimer's Disease

David Bennett

12:10-13:10

Lunch

Loss of Cognition, Aging and AD

13:10-13:50

Cognitive change with aging – clinical implications

Jeff Kaye

13:50-14:30

Epidemiological and neuropathological studies on the relationships of diabetes with dementia: a translational perspective

Michal Beeri

14:30-15:00

Coffee break, exhibition and posters

15:00-15:40

Engagement of persons with dementia: determinants and impact

Jiska Cohen-Mansfield

15:40-16:30

Using quantitative traits to uncover genetic variants associated with Alzheimer's Disease

David Bennett

Hall B

Inflammatory Diseases of the PNS

08:30-09:10

Cholinergic regulation of inflammatory autoimmune responses

Talma Brenner

09:10-09:50

Treating myasthenia gravis without evidence-based medicine

Zohar Argov

09:50-10:30

IVIg therapy in immune mediated neuropathies, issues and controversies

Itzhak Wirguin

10:30-10:50

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Immune myopathies: pathologic clues to diagnosis, treatment and pathogenesis

Alan Pestronk

11:30-12:10

Recent advances in the pathogenesis and treatment of autoimmune neuropathies

Marinos Dalakas

12:10-13:10

Lunch

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Small fiber neuropathy

Menachem Sadeh

13:50-14:30

The putative pathogenesis of Guillain-Barre Syndrome

Israel Steiner

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Inflammatory Diseases of the CNS

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The role of astrocytes and microglia in immune-mediated demyelination

Ehud Lavi

09:10-09:50

Neuromyelitis optica: what it was, is, isn't and might be

Brian Weinshenker

09:50-10:30

Inflammation in chronic venous disorders and parallels in the CNS

Paolo Zamboni

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Surrogate markers in MS trials

David Leppert

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The antibody-mediated pathogenesis of CNS damage in NMO, MS and MS models

Andrew Pachner

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Lunch

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Cognitive abnormalities in multiple sclerosis

Ronit Mosberg

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Multiple sclerosis and reproduction in women

Isabelle Korn-Lubetzki

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Systemic autoimmune diseases and the brain

Joab Chapman