

ISCORIE'15

3rd International Spinal Cord Repair Meeting

November 6th-7th, 2015

Sant Pau Art Nouveau Site
Barcelona

Speakers

DR. SUSAN BARNETT, Professor at Institute of Infection, Immunity and Inflammation, Sir Graeme Davies Building, University of Glasgow, Scotland.

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DR. KARIM FOUAD, (Dipl. Biol.), Professor University of Alberta, Faculty of Rehabilitation Medicine Department of Physical Therapy, and Centre for Neuroscience, Edmonton, AB.

DR. FRANÇOIS GIULIANO, M.D., Ph.D. Department of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation, Raymond Poincaré Hospital, Garches, France.

DR. JAMES D. GUEST, M.D., Ph.D., F.A.C.S., F.R.C.S.(C) Clinical Professor, Department of Neurological Surgery, Miami Project, USA.

DR. LEIF A. HAVTON, M.D., Ph.D. Professor in the Department of Neurology at the David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA, USA.

DR. MARINA MATA, Professor of Neurology, University of Michigan School of Medicine, Physician at the affiliated VA Ann Arbor Healthcare System, USA.

DR. PHILLIP POPOVICH, PhD Professor, Director Department of Neuroscience, Center for Brain and Spinal Cord Repair Ray W. Poppleton Designated Research Chair Wexner Medical Center at The Ohio State University, USA.

DR. FRANCISCO JAVIER RODRÍGUEZ, PhD in Biology by the UAB, Spain (1999). Group Leader at the National Hospital of Paraplegics (HNP) of the Regional Health System of Castilla-La Mancha, Spain.

DR. JERRY SILVER, Professor Department of Neurosciences Case Western Reserve University, USA.

DR. JOHN STEEVES, PhD, MD, FACS, FRCSC. Professor, ICORD (International Collaboration On Repair Discoveries) University of British Columbia and Vancouver Coastal Health, Canada.

DR. CHARLES H. TATOR, Professor Department of Surgery at The University of Toronto, Canada.

Presentation

Spinal cord injuries at this moment in time are an unresolved scientific challenge of great social impact. The International Spinal Cord Repair Meeting 2015 (ISCORIE'15) is a one and a half day conference dedicated to recent advances in translational research in the field of Spinal Cord Injuries. The conference aims to stimulate the translation of understanding of neuroregeneration mechanisms into advanced therapeutic applications.

In continuation with the two predecessor editions in 2011 and 2013 and based on two differentiated areas: Basic and Clinical Research. Some of the major topics to be covered during the conference are combinatory strategies with cell therapy, new pharmacology approaches and rehabilitation-related data.

The speakers consist of leading experts of international prestige in areas which have already entered, or are expected to enter shortly, in experimental therapeutic trials in patients.



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Schedule

Friday, 6th of November, 2015

08:45	Registration begins
09:30-10:00	Opening remarks
10:00-10:40	Dr. Leif A. Havton, University of California Irvine, School of Medicine <i>"Restoration of autonomic and motor function in experimental models of cauda equina/Conus medullaris forms of spinal cord injury"</i>
10:40-11:20	Dr. François Giuliano, Raymond Poincaré Hospital <i>"Neurogenic bladder in spinal cord injured patients: an update"</i>
11:20-11:50	Coffee break & Poster Session
11:50-12:30	Dr. Reggie Edgerton, University of California <i>"What we have seen. What does it mean"</i>
12:30-13:10	Dr. Karim Fouad, University of Alberta <i>"Exploring molecular pathways translating rehabilitative training in animal models of spinal cord injury into recovery"</i>
13:10-13:50	Dr. F.J. Rodríguez, National Hospital of Paraplegics <i>"FAB117-HC, a new cell-based therapy to treat acute spinal cord injury. Preclinical results"</i>
14:00-14:30	St. Pau Art Nouveau Site Visit
14:30-15:30	Lunch break
15:30-16:10	Dr. James D. Guest, Miami Project <i>"Integration of experimental therapies for spinal cord injury"</i>
16:10-16:50	Dr. Jerry Silver, Case Western Reserve University <i>"Functional regeneration beyond the glial scar"</i>
16:50-17:20	Best Poster Abstract Winners (2 x 15 min talks)
17:20-18:00	Dr. Charles H. Tator, University of Toronto <i>"Neural stem cells for repair after spinal cord injury"</i>
18:00	Summary Session

Saturday, 7th of November, 2015

08:45	Registration begins
09:00-09:50	Dr. Marina Mata, University of Michigan School of Medicine <i>"Gene delivery for spinal cord repair"</i>
09:50-10:30	Dr. Phillip Popovich, Ohio State University <i>"Neurogenic immune deficiency after spinal cord injury: mechanisms of action and therapeutic opportunities"</i>
10:30-11:00	Coffee break & Poster Session
11:00-11:40	Dr. Susan Barnett, University of Glasgow <i>"Human olfactory derived mesenchymal stem cells (MSCs) as a candidate for CNS repair"</i>
11:40-12:20	Dr. John Steeves, University of British Columbia <i>"The Ability Ruler: Accurately measuring treatment effects after SCI while reducing the number of participants required for completing a pivotal trial"</i>
12:20	Summary Session



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