

Dystonia Europe 2012

with
Dystonia Training School

COST Action - European Network for the Study of Dystonia Syndromes
Endorsed by *Movement Disorders Society European Section*

September 20-23
Hotel Elaphusa-Bol, Island of Brač, Croatia

Wednesday Sep 19

17.00 Registration

19.30 COST Steering Committee meeting and dinner

Thursday Sep 20 – day 1.

09.00 Registration and Opening

09.30 – 13.00 Morning session (Clinical)

Chirs: *Kailash Bhatia, Maja Relja*

Phenomenology, classification and diagnosis of dystonia *Alberto Albanese*

Primary dystonia syndromes *Joaquim Ferreira*

Dystonia-plus syndromes *Marina de Koning-Tijssen*

11.00-11.30 Coffee break

Early-onset dystonia *Jean-Pierre Lin*

Secondary dystonia-syndromic associations and diagnostic investigations

Kailash Bhatia

12.30-14.00 Lunch break

14.00 – 17.30 Pathophysiology and Molecular Biology

Chirs: *Tom Warner, Antonio Pisani*

What is new in cell biology of primary dystonia and dystonia plus syndromes

Tom Warner

Neurotransmitter alterations in dystonia *Antonio Pisani*

Current concepts on the pathophysiology of dystonia *Mark Edwards*

15.30-16.00 Coffee break

16.00 – 17.30 VIDEO SESSION: This patient has dystonia

Chair: M Vidailhet, M Edwards, Z Pirtosek, T Warner

16.00 This patient has dystonia – presentation of classical cases

16.30 Presentation of selected student case/video

17.30-18.30 Invited lectures

Chairs: Joaquim Ferreira, Marina de Koning-Tijssen

Epidemiology of dystonia syndromes *Justo Yebenes*

Psychogenic dystonia syndromes *Mark Edwards*

19.30 Dinner

Meet the experts during dinner

Friday Sep 21. Day 2.

08.30 Special lecture

Chair: Tom Warner

Genetic risk factor for dystonia *Thomas Gasser*

09.15 – 11.00 Morning session (Treatment)

Chairs: Jean-Pierre Lin, Dirk Dressler

General management approach to dystonia *Maja Relja*

Botulinum toxin for treatment of dystonia *Dirk Dressler*

Surgical approach for treatment of dystonia *Joachim K. Krauss*

11.00-11.30 Coffee break

11.30-13.00 VIDEO SESSION Is this dystonia ?

Chair: K Bhatia, Z Pirtosek, M Relja, M de Koning-Tijssen

11.30 Is this dystonia ? – Presentation of secondary dystonias

12.00 Presentation of selected student case/video

13.00-14.30 Lunch break

15.00-17.00 Workshop II 'DBS for Dystonia-present and future'

Joachim K. Kraus, Jean-Pierre Lin, Marjan Jahanshahi, Norbert Kovacs

18.00-19.00 Special Session Meet the Patients

Chairs: Tom Warner, Marina de Koning-Tijssen, Maja Relja, Monika Benson

19.30 Dalmatian Dinner

Saturday Sep 22. Day 3.

09.00-11.00 Therapy Workshop-Botulinum Toxyn in Clinical Practice

Dirk Dressler, Petr Kanovsky, Zvezdan Pirtošek, Maja Relja

11.00 – 11.30 – Coffee break

11.30 – 12.30 Summer School review: Feedback and evaluation session

12.30 – Training School close

12.30 – 14.00 Lunch break

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14.00-18.30 Selected topics

Chairs: Monika Benson, Marina de Koning-Tijssen

Living and coping well with Dystonia *Marjan Jahanshahi*

Non-motor symptoms: pain and dystonia *Maja Relja*

The Dystonia Diaries *Tom Warner*

15.30 – 16.00 – Coffee break

Physiotherapy in dystonia syndromes *Jean-Pierre Bleton*

Physiotherapy: practical session

Sunday 23. Sep 2012

10.00-13.00 Dystonia Europe - Annual General Assembly