

ATYPICAL PARKINSONIAN DISORDERS
From protein dysfunction to therapeutic intervention



International Meeting

Invited Faculty

- D Caparros-Lefebvre, FRENCH WEST INDIES
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- D Dickson, Jacksonville, USA
- M Goedert, Cambridge, UK
- J Hardy, Jacksonville, USA
- M Hutton, Jacksonville, USA
- S Kuzuhara, Mie-ken, JAPAN
- AE Lang, Toronto, CANADA
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- N Leigh, London, UK
- I Litvan, Bethesda, USA
- E Mandelkow, Hamburg, GERMANY
- I McKeith, Newcastle, UK
- W Poewe, Innsbruck, AUSTRIA
- N Quinn, London, UK
- M Reindl, Innsbruck, AUSTRIA
- M Spillantini, Cambridge, UK
- J Steele, GUAM
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- F Tison, Bordeaux, FRANCE
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The Movement Disorder Society

February 19-21, 2003, Innsbruck, Austria

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EDINBURGH CLINICAL TRIAL MANAGEMENT COURSE (ECTMC) 2003

26th February - 28th February 2003

This 3-day course focuses on managing randomised controlled trials (RCTs), but also covers some aspects of trial design. It is designed for people who are: a) working as a trial manager or coordinator; b) have taken part in controlled trials and wish to run their own trial (or broaden their knowledge) c) who have no trials experience, but intend to play a part in running RCTs in the future. The knowledge gained is often relevant to people working on other types of research design (cohort studies, surveys, etc). The course is recognised by the UK Medical Research Council, and is a mixture of lectures and small group workshops. Its practical approach takes participants through all stages of undertaking a well-run trial. Topics will include:

- Rationale for doing RCTs
- Starting up a trial
- Regulatory requirements
- Involving consumers
- Designing trial materials
- Methods of randomisation
- Maximising recruitment
- Managing data effectively
- Managing a realistic budget

Fees: The course fee is £450 per delegate, which includes lunches, refreshments, an evening reception and the course dinner.

For further details, including the draft programme, see www.dcn.ed.ac.uk/ectmc.

You can register provisionally at this site; confirmation of your place will be issued when your payment is received. Places are limited, so please book early to avoid disappointment.

For other enquiries about the course, please contact Anne Williamson, The Edinburgh Clinical Trial Management Course, Dept. Clinical Neurosciences, Western General Hospital Crewe Road, Edinburgh EH4 2XU. Tel: 0131 537 2913, Fax: 0131 332 5150, Email: ectmc@skull.dcn.ed.ac.uk

The British Neuropsychiatry Association 2003 Annual Meeting

13-14 February, 2003, Institute of Child Health, London

Topics to be covered include:

- Recovering from Head Injury
- Medico-Legal Aspects of Neuropsychiatry
- The Neuropsychiatry of Love



The meeting includes keynote addresses from prominent international/UK speakers, and a session for members' contributions.

In addition: On 12 February BNPA is holding a Conference on "Stepping out after Brain Injury"; this will be linked to the BNPA conference session on "Recovering from Head Injury"

For further information contact:

Gwen Cutmore, BNPA Conference Secretary, Landbreach Boatyard, Chelmer Terrace, Maldon, Essex. CM9 5HT, Tel/Fax: 01621 843334; email: gwen.cutmore@lineone.net, website: www.bnpa.fsnet.co.uk.

For details of membership to the BNPA, open to medical practitioners in psychiatry, neurology and related clinical neurosciences, contact: The Secretary, Professor A S David, Department of Psychological Medicine, Institute of Psychiatry, De Crespigny Park, Denmark Hill, London SE5 8AF.

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