



The Michael J. Fox Foundation for Parkinson's Research & The New York Academy of Sciences

Parkinson's Disease Therapeutics Conference

New York, NY October 24, 2012

Conference Program		
8.30	Breakfast	
9.00 – 9.15	Welcome by Todd Sherer, PhD and Kalpana Merchant, PhD	
9.15 – 10.55	Symptomatic Therapies	
	Charlotte Keywood, MBBS MRCP FFPM, Addex Pharma S.A. "ADX48621-201: Phase 2, Randomized, Double-blind, Placebo-controlled, Parallel Group, Multicenter Study to Evaluate the Safety, Tolerability and Efficacy of ADX48621 in the Treatment of Levodopa-induced Dyskinesia in Patients with Parkinson's Disease"	
	Martin Freed, MD, Civitas Therapeutics, Inc. "Inhaled Levodopa as a Treatment for Intermittent Motor Fluctuations in Parkinson's Disease Patients"	
	Stephen Hitchcock, PhD, Envoy Therapeutics "Target Discovery and Validation Aimed at Highly Specific Modulation of the Indirect Pathway"	
	Emer Leahy, PhD, PsychoGenics Inc. Per Svenningsson, MD, PhD, Karolinska Institutet and Karolinska University Hospital "Proof-of-Concept Clinical Trial on the Use of the 5-HT1A/1B Partial Agonist Eltoprazine for Treatment of L-DOPA-Induced Dyskinesias"	
10.55 – 11.25	Networking Break/Poster Viewing	
11:25 - 1.30	Disease Modifying Therapies	
	Ethan Burstein, PhD, Acadia Pharmaceuticals "Development of Nurr1-RXR Heterodimer Selective Agonists for Parkinson's Disease" Robert E. Burke, MD, Columbia University "Axon regeneration by mTor signaling: Neurorestoration for Parkinson's disease (PD)"	
	Alastair D. Reith, PhD, GlaxoSmithKline Pharmaceuticals R&D "Translation of LRRK2 Clinical Genetics to Drug Discovery and Remaining Challenges"	
	Jeffry B. Stock, PhD, Princeton University and Signum Biosciences, Inc. "Targeting Alpha-Synuclein Dephosphorylation via PP2A Activation as a Novel PD Therapeutic"	
	Howard E. Gendelman, MD, University of Nebraska Medical Center "Biomarkers and Immunotherapy for Parkinson's Disease"	

1.30 - 2.30	Lunch/Poster Viewing
2.30 – 3.45	Research Tools and Resources
	David John Burn FRCP, MD, MA, MB BS, Institute for Ageing and Health,
	Newcastle University
	"Clinical Trial to Compare Cognitive Scales"
	Chester A. Mathis, PhD, University of Pittsburgh
	"Consortium to Develop an Alpha-Synuclein Imaging Agent"
	Jing Zhang MD, PhD, University of Washington
	"Using Human Cerebrospinal Fluid Samples Collected in DATATOP Study for Biomarker
	Validation in Patients with Parkinson disease"
3.45 – 4.15	Networking Break/Poster Viewing
4.15 – 5.15	Hot Topics in Parkinson's Disease Research
	John Dunlop, PhD, AstraZeneca
	"Parkinson's Disease and the Autophagy Pathway: Kill or Key?"
	Bernard Ravina, MD, MSCE, BiogenIdec
	"Pre-Motor Parkinson's Disease: Implications for Clinical Trials"
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5.15 - 5.30	Closing Remarks
5.30 - 7.00	Cocktail Reception/Poster Viewing