

Scientific Program

Thursday, January 11, 2018

Time	Session/Topic
20:00-20:30 Moderated by:	Symposium hosted by Lundbeck followed by dinner Jihad Inshasi (UAE)
20:00-20:30	Depressive Syndromes in Multiple Sclerosis - Bassem Yamout (Lebanon)

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Friday, January 12, 2018

Time	Session/Topic	
08:00-09:30	Workshop 1 (AI Amwaj 1): Update in Acute Stroke Management - Suhail Abdulla Al Rukn (UAE) & Maria Khan Junaidi (UAE)	
08:00-09:30	Workshop 2 (AI Amwaj 2): Neuro-otology/ophthalmology - Michael Strupp (Germany)	
09:30-10:30 Moderated by:	Session I: Headache Part 1 Taufik Alsaadi (UAE), Sarathchandran Pournamy (UAE)	
09:30-09:50	Recent update in Migraine Research - Faisal Amin (Denmark)	
09:50-10:10	Update in Headache Prevention - Jasem Al Hashel (Kuwait)	
10:10-10:30	Trigeminal Neuralgia and other Autonomic Cephalgias - Abu Baker Madani (UAE)	
10:30-10:55	Satellite Symposium hosted by Novartis - Targeting pathways; CGRP/R in Migraine Pathophysiology - Faisal Amin (Denmark)	
10:55-11:05	Break	
11:05-11:20	Opening Speeches by Suhail Al Rukn (EMINS) & William Carroll (WFN)	
11:20-12:20 Moderated by:	Session II: Headache Part 2 Derk Krieger (UAE), Abu Baker Madani (UAE)	SCAN IN 
11:20-11:40	Headache in Pregnancy - Jasem Al Hashel (Kuwait)	
11:40-12:00	Surgical Intervention for Headaches - Florian Roser (UAE)	
12:00-12:20	Challenging Cases - (Residents)	
12:20-14:00	Lunch and Friday Prayer	
14:00-14:25	Satellite Symposium hosted by Novartis -Targeting pathways; S1P receptor system in MS pathophysiology - Nikolaos Grigoriadis (Greece)	
14:25-15:25 Moderated by:	Session III: Multiple Sclerosis Part 1 Jihad Inshasi (UAE), Yasmine Kamal (UAE)	SCAN IN 
14:25-14:45	NEDA, is it Realistic Outcome Measure? - William Carroll (Australia)	
14:45-15:05	Revised 2017 MS Diagnostic Criteria – Raed Alroughani (Kuwait)	
15:05-15:25	Update on MS Management - Nikolaos Grigoriadis (Greece)	
15:25-15:50	Satellite Symposium hosted by Roche Pharmaceuticals -Ocrevus Efficacy and Safety Overview in Relapsing Multiple Sclerosis - James Overell (UK)	
15:50-16:00	Break	
16:00-16:25	Satellite Symposium hosted by Biologix -Tysabri: Pursuing benefits, personalizing patient management - Mathias Mäurer (Germany)	
16:25-17:45 Moderated by:	Session IV: Multiple Sclerosis Part 2 William Carroll (Australia), Suzan Noori (UAE)	SCAN IN 
16:25-16:45	Induction VS Escalation MS Therapy – Bassem I. Yamout (Lebanon)	
16:45-17:05	MS Treatment Cost, Hospital Based Study from UAE - Ahmed Shatila (UAE)	
17:05-17:25	Real World Experience in MS - Mathias Mäurer (Germany)	
17:25-17:45	RIS/CIS, Update from ACTRIMS/ECTRIMS - Suzan Noori (UAE)	

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Saturday, January 13, 2018

Time	Session/Topic	
08:00-09:30	Workshop 3 (Al Amwaj 1): Botox for Spasticity - Maha Abdulhafeez Feda (UAE)	
08:00-09:30	Workshop 4 (Al Amwaj 2): Neuro-radiology (Basics+ disease specific imaging) - Mohammad Asif Dogar (UAE)	
09:30-10:30	Session V: Movements Disorders Part 1	SCAN IN 
Moderated by:	Saeed Bohlega (KSA), Syed Habib Ullah Kamran (UAE)	
09:30-09:50	Management of Early Parkinsonism - Sarathchandran Pournamy (UAE)	
09:50-10:10	Approach to Management of Advanced Parkinson - Amaal Aldakheel (KSA)	
10:10-10:30	Atypical Parkinsonism - Vittorio Iantorno (UAE)	
10:30-10:55	Satellite Symposium hosted by Abbvie: Management of Motor Complications with Levodopa-carbidopa Intestinal Gel Infusions - Eduardo Tolosa (Spain)	
10:55-11:05	Break	
11:05-11:30	Satellite Symposium hosted by Sanofi Genzyme: Aubagio in the Management of RRMS - Yasmine Kamal (UAE)	
11:30-12:50	Session VI: Movement Disorders Part 2	SCAN IN 
Moderated by:	Ajit Kumar (UAE), Vittorio Iantorno (UAE)	
11:30-11:50	Approach and Management of Chorea - Mona Obaid (KSA)	
11:50-12:10	Paroxysmal Movement Disorders - Amaal Aldakheel (KSA)	
12:10-12:30	Treatment of Advanced Parkinson Disease - Eduardo Tolosa (Spain)	
12:30-12:50	Approach and Management of Dystonias - Mona Obaid (KSA)	
12:50-13:35	Lunch Break	
13:35-14:00	Satellite Symposium hosted by GSK: New ILEA Classification of Seizures - Maria Carolina Pires (UAE)	
14:00-15:20	Session VII: Epilepsy	SCAN IN 
Moderated by:	Devdutt Nayak Kotekar (UAE), Nehal Elshazly Elkholy(UAE)	
14:00-14:20	Cognitive Dysfunction in Epilepsy - Anand Kumar (India)	
14:20-14:40	Approach and Management of Intractable Epilepsy - Muhammad Al Kaylani (UAE)	
14:40-15:00	Women and Epilepsy - Taoufik Alsaadi (UAE)	
15:00-15:20	Epilepsy Surgery, When? - Florian Roser (UAE)	
15:20-15:45	Satellite Symposium hosted by Hikma: Perampanel: A new anticonvulsant with a novel mechanism of action - Ahmad Beydoun (Lebanon)	
15:45-16:00	Break	
16:00-17:00	Session VIII: Immune Mediated Neurological Disorders	SCAN IN 
Moderated by:	Miklos Szolics (UAE), Nagi Moussa (UAE)	
16:00-16:20	Immune-mediated Epilepsy - Ahmad Beydoun (Lebanon)	
16:20-16:40	Treatment Update in Myasthenia Gravis - Edward Cupler (KSA)	
16:40-17:00	Immune-mediated Neuropathies (MMN, CIDP, GBS) - Abdullah Al Salti (Oman)	
17:00-17:10	Closing Remarks	