## The 14<sup>th</sup> liMER International ME Conference 2019

## **CONFERENCE PROGRAMME**

#IIMEC14 31st May 2019

Start	Presentation	Presenter
07.45	Registration	
08.45	IIMER	Opening
09:00	#InvestinMEResearch	Dr Ian Gibson
09:10	CDC update	Dr Elizabeth Unger
09:25	NIH Update	Dr Vicky Whittemore
09:45	Immune Dysregulation in ME/CFS	Professor Maureen Hanson
1	Fingerprinting the Phenotypes of ME/CFS Along the Gut-Immune-Brain Axis	Assoc. Professor Mady Hornig
10:35	Refreshments Break	
	Transient receptor potential ion channels in the aetiology and pathomechanism of CFS/ME	Professor Don Staines
11:30	Pathophysiological Basis of Fibromyalgia	Dr David Andersson
	Characteristics and pathophysiologic changes in a large cohort of Danish ME-patients.	Dr Jesper Mehlsen
12.20	Lunch	
1	Anne Örtegren Memorial Lecture: Pain and ME/CFS	Professor Stuart Bevan
13:45	Developments at Quadram Institute	Professor Simon Carding
	Rituximab in ME/CFS: a randomised, double-blind and placebo-controlled trial	Dr Oystein Fluge
	Metabolic profiling and associations to clinical data in ME	Professor Karl Johan Tronstad
14:55	Refreshments Break	
15:25	Integrative Medicine Approach to Treatment of ME	Professor Nancy Klimas
15:50	Harvard Plans for Clinical Research	Dr Ron Tompkins
	Physiological and fMRI measures before and after symptom provocation by invasive cardiopulmonary exercise testing	Dr Michael VanElzakker
	Establishing new mechanistic and diagnostic paradigms for ME/CFS	Professor Ron Davis
17:10	Plenary Session	Panel discussion
17.30		Adjourn

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