

Agenda



Tuesday, June 12

12:15 Welcome Remarks

Peder Olofsson, MD, PhD
Karolinska Institutet
Chad Bouton
The Feinstein Institute for
Medical Research
Jan Andersson, MD, PhD
Journal of Internal Medicine

12:30 Clinical Updates

12:30 Paul-Peter Tak, MD, PhD
GlaxoSmithKline

*Bioelectronic medicine:
Immunomodulation by vagus
nerve stimulation*

13:00 Michael Eberhardson, MD, PhD
Karolinska Institutet

*Bioelectronic therapy in IBD:
a prospective clinical trial in
Crohn's disease*

13:30 Gregoire Courtine, PhD
Ecole Polytechnique Federale
De Lausanne

*Targeted neurotechnologies
enabling walking after paralysis*

14:00 Molly Stevens, PhD
Imperial College London
*Bio-responsive hybrid materials
for regenerative medicine and
biosensing*

14:30 Coffee Break

15:00 Defining Circuits

15:00 Kevin J. Tracey, MD
The Feinstein Institute for
Medical Research
*Afferent and efferent
mechanisms of the
inflammatory reflex*

15:30 Isaac Chiu, PhD
Harvard Medical School
*Neural regulation of bacterial
infection and host defense*

16:00 Stephen Liberles, PhD
Harvard Medical School
*Molecular and genetic analysis of the
vagus nerve*

16:30 Guiseppe Lembo, MD
Sapienza, University di Roma
*Neuroimmune mechanisms in
cardiovascular diseases*

17:15 Poster Session & Refreshments

19:00 BBQ Dinner

Wednesday, June 13

07:30 Breakfast and Coffee

08:00 Molecular Targets

08:00 Charles N. Serhan, PhD, DSc
Harvard University
*Novel mediators & mechanisms
in the resolution of
inflammation: the role of vagus
stimulation in resolution of
infectious inflammation*

Wednesday, June 13 (continued)

08:30 Masaaki Murakami, VMD, PhD
Institute for Genetic Medicine,
Hokkaido Univeristy
*Neural stimulations modulate
the formation of immune cell
gateways into the CNS*

09:00 Camilla Svensson, PhD
Karolinska Institutet
*Mechanisms of pain in arthritis –
novel roles of autoantibodies*

09:30 Coffee Break

10:00 Molecular Targets (continued)

10:00 Colin Duncan, MD
University of Edinburgh
Jason Witherington, PhD
Galvani Bioelectronics
*Polycystic ovary syndrome
(PCOS) – a role for the
autonomic nervous system in an
established endocrine disorder*

10:30 Sebastien Talbot, PhD
University of Montreal
*Context-dependent neuro-
immune interplay*

11:00 Goran Hansson, MD, PhD
Karolinska Institutet
*Inflammation in atherosclerosis –
from mechanisms to therapy*

11:30 Lunch

13:00 Neural Interfaces

13:00 Polina Anikeeva, PhD
Massachusetts Institute of
Technology
*Electronic, optical, and
magnetic tools to study the
nervous system*

13:30 Stephanie P. Lacour, PhD
Ecole Polytechnique Federale de
Lausanne
Soft microelectrode implants

14:00 Anthony Zador, MD, PhD
Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory
Sequencing the connectome

14:30 Coffee Break

15:00 Signal Processing

15:00 Chad Bouton
The Feinstein Institute for
Medical Research
*Neural decoding and restoring
hand function in tetraplegia*

15:30 George G. Malliaras, PhD
University of Cambridge
*Novel materials and devices for
neural interfacing*

16:00 Roisin Owens, PhD
University of Cambridge
*Bioelectronics in vitro: 3D,
biomimetic devices and cell
models*

18:00 Three-Course Dinner

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Thursday, June 14

08:00 Breakfast and Coffee

09:00 Disruptive Tools and Technology

09:00 Ed Boyden, PhD
Massachusetts Institute of Technology
Tools for optically mapping and repairing biological functions

09:30 Douglas Weber, PhD
University of Pittsburgh
Next generation neuromodulation devices will be smarter, sharper, and more aware

10:00 Mark Okusa, MD
University of Virginia School of Medicine
Optogenetic control of inflammation in acute kidney injury

10:30 Coffee Break

11:00 Disruptive Tools and Technology (continued)

11:00 Olle Inganäs, PhD Linköping University
Bioelectronics with electronic polymers in biomembranes

11:30 Jan Linnros, PhD
Royal Institute of Technology
Silicon nanotechnology for biomolecule sensing

12:00 Björn Högberg, PhD
Karolinska Institutet
Deciphering nanoscale spatial effects in biology with DNA origami

12:30 Lunch

14:00 Accelerating Clinical Translation

14:00 Christopher Puleo, PhD
General Electric
Precision noninvasive peripheral neuromodulation

14:30 Tim Denison, PhD
Medtronic
The journey to “digital” therapy discovery

15:00 David Chernoff, MD
SetPoint Medical
Disrupting the paradigm for treating autoimmune disease: Bioelectronic therapy for rheumatoid arthritis

15:30 Coffee Break

16:00 Kevin J. Tracey, MD
The Feinstein Institute for Medical Research
Kelly Owens
Bioelectronic Medicine Patient
Patient experience with bioelectronic medicine

16:30 Concluding Remarks

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18:00 Evening Boat Tour