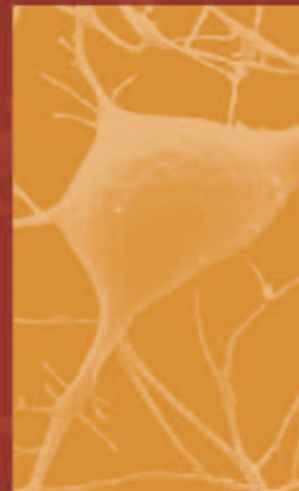


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International Symposium
“Advances in Alzheimer’s Disease”

Simposio Internacional
“Avances en la enfermedad de Alzheimer”



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NOVARTIS se complace en invitarle al VI Simposium que con el título “Avances en la enfermedad de Alzheimer” tendrá lugar el lunes 21 de septiembre de 2009 a partir de las 9:00 h, en el Auditorio del Centro Alzheimer Fundación Reina Sofía.

El acto de inauguración oficial se celebrará a las 12:00 h bajo la Presidencia de Su Majestad la Reina Doña Sofía.

Este simposio promovido por el Ministerio de Ciencia e Innovación a través del Instituto de Salud Carlos III y el Consejo Superior de Investigaciones Científicas, se celebrará en el Centro Alzheimer de la Fundación Reina Sofía y reunirá a reconocidos expertos nacionales e internacionales.

Esperamos poder contar con su presencia.



Etiology and Pathogenesis of Alzheimer's Disease

Accreditation

8:15 h Accreditation

Opening

8:45 h Welcome and opening

Session “Pathogenesis of Alzheimer's Disease”

9:00 h The amyloid cascade hypothesis
John Hardy (UK)

9:25 h The tau hypothesis
Alejandra Alonso (USA)

9:50 h The oxidative damage hypothesis
George Perry (USA)

10:15 h The GSK3 hypothesis
Jesus Avila (Spain)

10:40 h Discussion

Session “Role of the genetics in Alzheimer's Disease”

10:50h Genes and Alzheimer's Disease in Spain
Onofre Combarros (Spain)

11:15h Genetics in Alzheimer's Disease. Present and future
Lars Bertram (Germany)

11:40h Discussion

Official Inauguration

12:00 h Official opening. **H.M. the Queen of Spain**

12:15 h Promises and Challenges of Developing New Treatments for Alzheimer's Disease
Jeffrey L. Cummings – UCLA, CA, USA

12:40 h - 12:45 h Discussion

Break

12:45 h Break

Key note address

13:15h Alzheimer's Disease and dementia:
A vision from the World Federation of Neurology WFN
Raul Arizaga (WFN, Argentina)

13:40 h Discussion

Lunch

14:00 h Lunch

Session “Causing or influencing ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE?”

15:15 h Risk factors for Alzheimer's Disease
Monique M.B. Breteler (TheNetherlands)

15:40 h In search of the protective factors for Alzheimer's Disease
Pablo Martinez-Martin (Spain)

16:05 h Metals and Alzheimer's Disease
Ashley Bush (Australia)

16:30 h Potential role of infective agents in Alzheimer's Disease
Fernando Valdivieso (Spain)

16:55 h Discussion

Junior Researchers Session

16:55 h Development-related proteins in Alzheimer's Disease:
role of reelin
Lluís Pujadas (Spain)

17:10 h Epilepsy and Cognitive Impairments in Alzheimer's Disease
Jorge Palop (San Francisco, USA)

17:25 h Discussion

17:40 h Closing Remarks