

Second Asia-Pacific School of Neuroimmunology (APSNI)
of the International Society of Neuroimmunology

Date: 2019.10.12. (Sat)

Venue: Le Meridien Seoul

Co-directors: Ho Jin Kim (South Korea) and V. Wee Yong (Canada)

Co-hosted by the Korean Society of Multiple Sclerosis, Korean Encephalitis and Neuroinflammation Society, and the International Society of Neuroimmunology

08:30 – 08:45 Registration

08:45 – 09:00 Welcome remarks (Byoung-Joon Kim, Manho Kim and V. Wee Yong)

Session 1 Chair: V. Wee Yong & Ho Jin Kim

09:00 – 09:25 Refresher on Immunology (Fabienne Brilot-Turville, Australia)

09:25 – 09:50 Microglia responses in CNS injuries (Thameen Dheen, Singapore)

09:50 – 10:15 Adaptive immunology in neurologic diseases (Fu-Dong Shi, China)

10:15 – 10:30 Q & A

10:30 – 10:45 Coffee Break

Session 2 Chair: Fu-Dong Shi & Kon Chu

10:45 – 11:10 Pathophysiology of inflammatory neuropathies (Haruki Koike, Japan)

11:10 – 11:35 Neuroimmunology in stroke (Mengzhou Xue, China)

11:35 – 12:20 Lymphatics of the CNS and therapeutic implications (Jonathan Kipnis, USA)

12:20 – 12:35 Q & A

Luncheon symposium Chair: Byoung-Joon Kim & Manho Kim

12:35 – 13:00 Principles of immunotherapy in autoimmune encephalitis (Soon-Tae Lee, Korea)

13:00 – 13:25 Principles of immunotherapy in NMOSD (Su-Hyun Kim, Korea)

13:25 – 13:40 Break

Session 3 Chair: Fabienne Brilot-Turville & Sang Kun Lee

13:40 – 14:10 Leukocyte trafficking into the CNS (Britta Engelhardt, Switzerland)

14:10 – 14:25 Plasmablasts and neuroimmunological disorders (Norio Chihara, Japan)

14:25 – 14:40 Suppression of Inflammatory Immune Disorders by Treg-inducing Probiotics (Sin-Hyeog Im, Korea)

14:40 – 14:55 MOG encephalomyelitis: a new disease entity of CNS demyelinating disease (Sung-Min Kim, Korea)

14:55 – 15:10 Metagenomic pathogen identification in CNS infection (Jangsup Moon, Korea)

15:10 – 15:25 Q & A

15:25 – 15:40 Coffee Break

Session 4 Chair: Britta Engelhardt & Sin-Hyeog Im

15:40 – 16:05 Beyond metagenomics: New technologies for infectious and autoimmune encephalitis
(Michael Wilson, USA)

16:05 – 16:30 Neuroimmunology of viral infections (Anirban Basu, India)

16:30 – 16:55 Neuroimmunology in repair of the CNS (V. Wee Yong, Canada)

16:55 – 17:35 Successes of neuroimmunology in multiple sclerosis (Amit Bar-Or, USA)

17:35 – 17:50 Q & A

17:50 - 18:00 Closing remarks (Ho Jin Kim and V. Wee Yong)

Local Organizing Committee:

Byoung-Joon Kim, Manho Kim, Sang Kun Lee, Jeeyoung Oh, Kon Chu, Byung-Jo Kim, Ho Jin Kim

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