

Dear colleagues,
over the last years, research on molecular, genetic, and clinical aspects of Parkinson's disease has become a major focus in Tübingen.

Our meeting on "Functional Genomics of Parkinson's disease" to be held on Nov. 18th to 20th in conjunction with the "16th Annual Meeting of the German Society for Neurogenetics" will bring together leading researchers from all over the world to discuss recent progress in the field.

We are looking forward to seeing old friends and meeting new colleagues for stimulating discussions and fun times in the charming atmosphere of our medieval University town.

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Program

Thursday, November 18, 2010

13.45: Welcome

14.00: Workshop I: BIOINFORMATICS
Chair: Andreas Zell

Workshop II: BIOMARKER/ PROTEOMICS
Chair: Kathrin Marcus / Daniela Berg

in parallel: 14.00:
Meeting of the members of the
GWAS consortium

17.30: KEYNOTE LECTURE:
John Hardy, London

18.30: get together

Friday, November 19, 2010

08.00: Symposium I: GENETICS
Chair: Thomas Gasser
- *Owen Ross, Jacksonville*
- *Andrew Singleton, Bethesda*
- *Alexis Elbaz, Paris*
- highlights from NGFN-Plus

09.45: coffee break

10.15: Symposium II: PROTEIN AGGREGATION
Chair: Philipp Kahle
- *Dennis Dickson, Jacksonville*
- *Leonidas Stefanis, Athens, tbc*
- *Veerle Baekelandt, Leuven*
- highlights from NGFN-Plus

12.00: lunch & poster presentation

14.00: Symposium III: SIGNAL TRANSDUCTION &
AUTOPHAGY
Chair: Olaf Riess
- *Charleen Chu, Pittsburgh*
- *Darren Moore, Lausanne*
- *Ivan Dikic, Frankfurt*
- highlights from NGFN-Plus

15.45: coffee break

16.15: Symposium IV: MITOCHONDRIAL
DYSFUNCTION
Chair: Rejko Krüger
- *Nobutaka Hattori, Tokyo*
- *Alex Whitworth, Sheffield*
- *Mark Cookson, Bethesda*
- highlights from NGFN-Plus

18.00: Workshop III: Parkinson-Research at the DZNE
Chair: Thomas Gasser

19.30: dinner banquet

Saturday, November 20, 2010

08.30: Symposium V: STEM CELLS
& GENE THERAPY
Chair: Alexander Storch
- *Juergen Winkler, Erlangen*
- *Jared Sternecker, Münster*
- *Bernard Schneider, Lausanne*
- highlights from NGFN-Plus

10.15: coffee break

10.45: Symposium VI: ANIMAL MODELS OF
PARKINSON DISEASE
Chair: Wolfgang Wurst
- *Stephan Schneuwly, Regensburg*
- *Oliver Bandmann, Sheffield*
- *Jie Shen, Boston*
- highlights from NGFN-Plus

12.30: lunch

12.30: Meeting of the members of the
German Society of Neurogenetics (DGNG)

13.30: Symposium VII: NEURODEGENERATIVE
ATAXIAS
Chair: Olaf Riess
- *Michael König, Strasbourg*
- *Joris Veltmann, Nijmegen*
- *Ludger Schöls, Tübingen*
- *Peter Bauer, Tübingen*
- *Massimo Pandolfo, Bruxelles*

in parallel: 09.00-13.00:
Parkinson-Quo Vadis
Training for physicians in private practice

15.30: closing remarks

General Information

For all information concerning the conference please visit our website at:
<http://www.ngfn-parkinson.de/conference.html>

Registration

Registration is mandatory and free of charge for all members of NGFN-Plus, HeiMA, MEFOPA and DZNE. Registration fee for DGNG members: € 60,-
Registration fee for others: € 150,-

Please register online at:

<http://www.ngfn-parkinson.de/conference/registration.html>

Registration deadline: Friday, October 1, 2010

Abstract submission

Please submit your abstract online at:
<http://www.ngfn-parkinson.de/conference/abstract-submission.html>

Submission deadline: Friday, October 1, 2010

Accommodation

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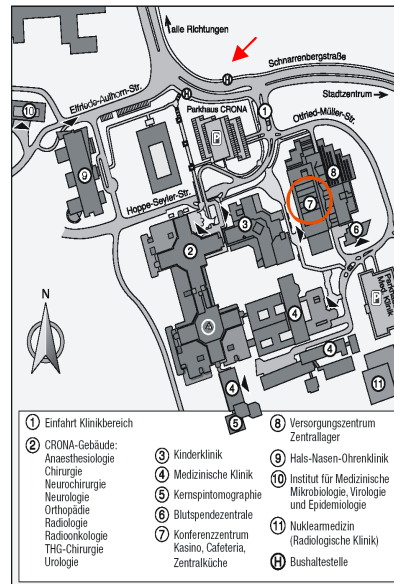
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