

DRAFT PRELIMINARY SCIENTIFIC PROGRAMME (as of 31 May 2010)

Thursday, 2 December 2010

Opening Ceremony

- Harvey Marcovitch "Opening Address"
FRCPC, FRCP, Chairman of "Excellence in Paediatrics" Scientific Committee, Editorial Board Member - Acta Paediatrica
- Patricia Hamilton "Welcome Address"
Director of Medical Education, Department of Health, Co-Chair of the MMC England Programme Board, UK

Allergy-Immunology

Food Allergy (Interactive CS)

Organised by the University Hospital of Vienna

- Zsolt Szepfalusi
Physician, Associate Professor of Pediatrics, Department of Pediatrics, Medical University of Vienna, Vienna, Austria

Cardiology

Pre-Participation Sports Physical Screening (Meet the Expert)

- Douglas S. Moodie
Associate Director, Texas Adult Congenital Heart Center, Director, Faculty Development, Professor, Pediatric Cardiology, Texas Children's Hospital Houston, Texas, USA

Endocrinology

Obesity (Round Table)

- Mary Rudolf
Consultant Paediatrician, Professor Of Child Health, NHS Leeds, University Of Leeds, Leeds, UK
- *Elsie M. Taveras
Assistant Professor of Population Medicine and Pediatrics, Harvard Medical School, Department of Population Medicine, Boston, USA
- *Olivier Ziegler
Department of Diabetes, Metabolic and Nutritional Diseases, Jeanne d'Arc Hospital, Nancy University Hospitals, Nancy, France

Diabetic Ketoacidosis: Prevention, Recognition, Management & Dangers (Interactive CS)

Organised by Harvard Medical School & Children's Hospital Boston

- Haagensen Alexandra Lee
MD, Attending Physician, Department of Endocrinology, Boston, USA
- Rana Sharara-Chami
Assistant in Critical Care, Department of Anesthesia, Perioperative and Pain Medicine, Children's Hospital Boston, Boston, USA

General Paediatrics

What Physicians Should Know About the Effects of Media on Infants (Plenary Lecture)

- Dimitri Christakis
Professor, Center Director, Seattle Children's Research Institute, Center for Child Health Behavior and Development, Seattle, USA

**Invited speaker, awaiting confirmation*

Genetics

Pharmacogenomics

(Plenary lecture)

- Michael R. Hayden

MB, ChB, PhD, FRCP (C), FRSC, Canada Research Chair in Human Genetics and Molecular Medicine, University Killam Professor, Department of Medical Genetics, CMMT, CFRI, UBC, Canada

Infectious Diseases & Vaccinations

Child Immunisations (Meningococcal, Pneumococcal and Group B Streptococcal Vaccines)

(Symposium)

- Andrew J. Pollard

FRCPCH, PhD, Professor of Paediatric Infection and Immunity, Director of the Oxford Vaccine Group, University of Oxford, Honorary Consultant Paediatrician, Oxford, UK

- Paul Heath

Reader / Honorary Consultant, Paediatric Infectious Diseases, Division of Clinical Developmental Sciences, St George's University of London, London, UK

- Adam Finn

Head of the Academic Unit of Child Health, Bristol Medical School, Department of Clinical Science, South Bristol, Honorary Consultant in Paediatric Infectious Diseases And Immunology, Bristol Royal Hospital For Children, Bristol, UK

Serious Infections & Community, Hospital & NICU Setting

(Round Table)

- Matthew J. Thompson

Senior Clinical Scientist, Department of Primary Health Care, University of Oxford, Oxford, UK

- Paul Heath

Reader / Honorary Consultant, Paediatric Infectious Diseases, Division of Clinical Developmental Sciences, St George's University of London, London, UK

- Simon Nadel

Consultant in Paediatric Intensive Care at Imperial College School of Medicine, St. Mary's, UK

Pandemic Influenza Vaccines Going Down the Plug-Hole: Did We Over-React?

(Debate)

- Elizabeth Miller "No"

Consultant Epidemiologist, Health Protection Agency, London, UK

- *Vittorio Demicheli "Yes"

Health Director, Piemonte Region, Piemonte, Italy

Meet the Editor Session

- Chair: Harvey Marcovitch

(Meet the Editor)

FRCPCH FRCP, Chairman of "Excellence in Paediatrics" Scientific Committee, Editorial board member – Acta Paediatrica

- Victoria Hall Moran

Editor-in-Chief, Maternal & Child Nutrition, Preston, UK

- Finbarr Cotter

Editor-in-Chief, British Journal of Haematology, Chair of Experimental Haematology, Barts and the London Queen Mary School of Medicine, London, UK

- Mark A. Sperling

Professor of Pediatrics, Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh of UPMC, Pittsburgh, USA

- Hugo Lagencrantz

Editor-in-Chief, Acta Paediatrica

Neonatology

The Neurodevelopmental Sequelae of Preterm Birth

(Meet the Expert)

- Neil Marlow

Professor of Neonatal Medicine, UCL Institute for Women's Health, London, UK

**Invited speaker, awaiting confirmation*

Nephrology

Work-Up of a Child with an Initial UTI?

(Parallel Lecture)

- Stephen Marks

MD, MSc, MRCP, DCH, FRCPC, Consultant Paediatric Nephrologist & Clinical Lead for Renal Transplantation, Great Ormond Street Hospital for Children, NHS Trust, London, UK

Neurology and Neurodevelopmental Paediatrics

Autoimmune Encephalopathies

(Workshop)

- Angela Vincent

Emeritus Professor of Neuroimmunology, University of Oxford, Oxford, UK

- Lim Ming

Paediatric Neurology Department, Evelina Children's Hospital at Guys and St Thomas' Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust, London, UK

Friday, 3 December 2010

Cardiology

Latest Advances in Pediatric Cardiac Surgery in the Neonate and Infant

(Latest Advances Session)

- *Charles Fraser

Chief of Congenital Heart Surgery and Cardiac Surgeon, Texas Children's Hospital, Texas, USA

Latest Advances in Interventional Cardiology

- Christopher Petit

Assistant Professor of Pediatrics, Texas Children's Hospital, Baylor College of Medicine, Houston, Texas, USA

Closed Sessions

Differences & Similarities of National Vaccination Calendars. Is Harmonisation Possible or Not?

(participation by invitation only)

Excellence in Research & Development

(participation by invitation only)

Dermatology

Pediatric Dermatology Update

(Workshop)

- Ilona J. Frieden "Vascular Birthmark Update"

MD, Professor of Clinical Dermatology and Pediatrics, University of California, San Francisco, USA

- Lawrence F. Eichenfield "Atopic Dermatitis update"

Professor of Pediatrics and Medicine (Dermatology), Chief, Pediatric and Adolescent Dermatology, University of California, San Diego School of Medicine and Rady Children's Hospital and Health Center, San Diego, California, USA

- Eulalia Baselga "Drug Eruptions: Making Decisions about Current and Future Medication Choices"

Consultant, Hospital de la Santa Creu i. San Pau, Barcelona, Spain

**Invited speaker, awaiting confirmation*

Epidemiology & Environmental Paediatrics

Children's Environmental Health

(Round Table)

- Chair: Nicholas Spencer

Emeritus Professor of Child Health, University of Warwick, Warwick, UK

- Giorgio Tamburlini "Children's Environmental Health: From Evidence to Action"

Technical Advisor for Evidence Based Paediatrics & Quality of Care, International Pediatric Association, Director, Institute of Child Health Burlo Garofolo, Trieste, Italy

- Philip J. Landrigan "The US National Children's Study"

Chairman, Department of Community and Preventive Medicine and Director, Center for Children's Health and the Environment, Mount Sinai School of Medicine, New York City, USA

- Christian Schweizer "The WHO Table of Effective Actions to Reduce Environmental Hazards for Children"

Technical Officer, Noncommunicable Diseases and Environment, World Health Organization, Regional Office for Europe, Rome, Italy

Gastroenterology, Nutrition & Metabolism

Early Feeding and Consequences in Childhood to Adulthood. Should We Be So Anxious? Myth and Reality

(Round Table)

- Berthold Koletzko

Dr med habil (MD PhD), Div. Metabolic and Nutritional Medicine, Dr. von Hauner Children's Hospital, Ludwig-Maximilians-University of Munich, Munich, Germany

Systematic Investigation for a Child with Failure to Thrive

(Parallel Lecture)

- Berthold Koletzko

Dr med habil (MD PhD), Div. Metabolic and Nutritional Medicine, Dr. von Hauner Children's Hospital, Ludwig-Maximilians-University of Munich, Munich, Germany

Child with Chronic Diarrhea

(Interactive CS)

- Olivier Goulet

Professor of Pediatrics, University Paris Descartes-Hôpital Necker, Paris, France

- Alfredo Guarino

Full Professor of Pediatrics, University of Naples Federico II, Naples, Italy

Preventive and Therapeutic Strategies in Celiac Disease

(Parallel Lecture)

- David Branski

Professor of Paediatrics, Hadassah University Hospitals, Jerusalem, Israel

Clinical Effects By Nutrients in Healthy and at Risk Children

Organised by the European Society for Paediatric Gastroenterology, Hepatology and Nutrition - ESPGHAN

(Symposium)

- Chair: *Olivier Goulet

Professor of Pediatrics, University Paris Descartes-Hôpital Necker, Paris, France

- Chair: David Branski

Professor of Paediatrics, Hadassah University Hospitals, Jerusalem, Israel

- Berthold Koletzko "Introduction: Pediatric Nutrition in Disease Prevention: an Evidence Based Approach"

Dr med habil (MD PhD), Div. Metabolic and Nutritional Medicine, Dr. von Hauner Children's Hospital, Ludwig-Maximilians-University of Munich, Munich, Germany

- Alfredo Guarino "Nutrition to Prevent Infections in Risk Children"

Full Professor of Pediatrics, University of Naples Federico II, Naples, Italy

- Sibylle Koletzko "Early Nutrition for the Prevention of Allergies"

Head of the Division of Paediatric Gastroenterology and Hepatology, The Dr. v. Haunersches Kinderspital of the Ludwig Maximilians University Munich, Germany

**Invited speaker, awaiting confirmation*

General Paediatrics

Update on Sudden Infant Death Syndrome (SIDS)

(Round Table)

Organised by Karolinska Institute

- Chair: Hugo Lagencrantz

Editor-in-Chief, Acta Paediatrica

- *Deborah Weese-Mayer "Genetics"

Medical Director, Center for Autonomic Medicine in Pediatrics, Professor of Pediatrics, Northwestern University's Feinberg School of Medicine, Children's Memorial Hospital, Center for Autonomic Medicine in Pediatrics, Chicago, Illinois, USA

- *Christian Poets "Life Threatening Events And SIDS"

Professor, Department of Neonatology, University Hospital Tübingen, Tübingen, Germany

- Gary Cohen "Nicotine Exposure and Autonomic Instability"

Ph.D., Senior Research Associate, Department of Women and Child Health, Karolinska Institute, Stockholm, Sweden

- Eric Herlenius "Infectious Diseases and SIDS"

MD PhD, Neonatal Research Unit, Department of Women and Child Health, Karolinska Institute, Stockholm, Sweden

Pain Management

(Round Table)

- Imti Choonara

Professor in Child Health, Academic Division of Child Health, University of Nottingham, The Medical School, Derbyshire Children's Hospital, Derby, UK

- Kanwaljeet J. S. ("Sunny") Anand

Professor of Pediatrics, Anesthesiology, Anatomy & Neurobiology, University of Tennessee Health Science Center, Memphis, Memphis, Tennessee, USA

- Richard Howard

Consultant in Anaesthesia and Pain Management, Great Ormond Street Hospital for Children, London, UK

How to Make Bedside Evidence Based Decisions

(Workshop)

- Bob Philips

Locum Consultant in Paediatric Oncology, Leeds Teaching Hospital Trust, MRC Research Fellow, Centre for Reviews and Dissemination, University of York & Section Editor, Archimedes, Archives of Diseases in Childhood Honorary Research Fellow, Centre for Evidence-based Child Health, London Associate Fellow, Centre for Evidence-based Medicine, Oxford, UK

Child Protection

(Interactive CS)

- Alison Kemp

Professor Of Child Health, Cardiff University, Cardiff, UK

Infectious Diseases & Vaccinations

HIV

(Parallel Lecture)

- *Hermione Lyall

Honorary Senior Lecturer, Division of Medicine, Imperial College London, London, UK

Neurology & Neurodevelopmental Paediatrics

Autism

(Plenary Lecture)

- Gillian Baird

Consultant Developmental Paediatrician, National Health Service Foundation Trust, London, UK

- Anne O'Hare

Professor, Child Life & Health and Consultant Paediatrician, University of Edinburgh and Royal Hospital for Sick Children, Edinburgh Edinburgh, Scotland, UK

Epilepsy Surgery

(Plenary Lecture)

- Speaker to be confirmed

**Invited speaker, awaiting confirmation*

Febrile Seizures

(Plenary Lecture)

- Peter Camfield

Department of Pediatrics, IWK Health Centre and Dalhousie University, Halifax, Nova Scotia, Canada

- Carol Camfield

Department of Pediatrics, IWK Health Centre and Dalhousie University, Halifax, Nova Scotia, Canada

Controversies on ADHD

(Debate)

- Hans - Christoph E. Steinhausen

Professor & Chair of Child And Adolescent Psychiatry, Psychiatric Hospital Aalborg, University Hospital Aarhus, Aalborg, Denmark

- Eric Taylor "Limitations Of Medication And Minimizing Harm"

Emeritus Professor of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry, King's College London Institute of Psychiatry, London, UK

- David Coghill "Benefits Of Medication"

Senior Lecturer in Child and Adolescent Psychiatry, Lead for the Developmental Research Group, University of Dundee, Dundee, Scotland, UK

Ideal Clinical Practice for Neonatal MRI

(Plenary Lecture)

- Mary A. Rutherford

Professor in Perinatal Imaging, Robert Steiner MR Unit, MRC Clinical Sciences Centre, Imperial College, Hammersmith Hospital, London, UK

Saturday, 4 December 2010

Adolescent Medicine

Adolescent Medicine

(Round Table)

Organised by RCPC

- Russel Viner

MBBCh, FRACP, FRCPC, FRCP, PhD, Reader in Adolescent Health, Honorary Consultant in Adolescent Medicine & Endocrinology, University College Hospital & Gt. Ormond St Hospital, UK

- Vic Strasburger

M.D., Professor of Pediatrics, Chief, Division of Adolescent Medicine, Univ. of New Mexico School of Medicine Albuquerque, New Mexico USA

Allergy-Immunology

Should Parents Be Encouraged To Keep Pets?

(Debate)

- Magnus Wickman

M.D., PhD; Department of Paediatrics, Sachs Children's Hospital, Karolinska Institute and Department of Environmental Health, Karolinska Hospital, Stockholm, Sweden

- Thomas Keil

Senior Researcher, Epidemiologist, Institute for Social Medicine and Epidemiology, Charité University Medical Center Berlin, Germany

Dermatology

Differential Diagnosis and Management of Skin Tumours in Neonates and Young Infants

(Interactive CS)

- Peter H. Hoeger

M.D., Department of Dermatology, University of Hamburg, Hamburg, Germany

- John Harper

Professor of Paediatric Dermatology, Great Ormond Street Hospital, London, UK

Endocrinology

Short Stature is a Serious Handicap and Should Be Treated with Growth Hormone (Debate)

- Moderator: Charles Brook
Emeritus Professor of Pediatric Endocrinology, University College London, London, UK
- Mark A. Sperling "For"
Professor of Pediatrics, Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh of UPMC, Pittsburgh, USA
- David Sandberg "Against"
Associate Professor of Pediatrics and Director, Division of Child Behavioral Health, University of Michigan, Department of Pediatrics & Communicable Diseases, Ann Arbor, Michigan, USA

Epidemiology & Environmental Paediatrics

What Have we Learnt from European Birth Cohort Studies? (Round Table)

- Chair: Kai-Håkon Carlsen
Editorial Board, The Clinical Respiratory Journal
- Adnan Custovic
Professor of Allergy, The University of Manchester, Head of Respiratory Research Group, University Hospital of South Manchester, Manchester, UK
- Jean Golding
Professor of Paediatric and Perinatal Epidemiology, University of Bristol, Bristol, UK
- Giorgio Tamburlini
Technical Advisor for Evidence Based Paediatrics & Quality of Care, International Pediatric Association, Director, Institute of Child Health Burlo, Garofolo, Trieste, Italy
- Thomas Keil
Senior Researcher, Epidemiologist, Institute for Social Medicine and Epidemiology, Charité University Medical Center Berlin, Germany
- Magnus Wickman
M.D., PhD; Department of Paediatrics, Sachs Children's Hospital, Karolinska Institute and Department of Environmental Health, Karolinska Hospital, Stockholm, Sweden

Monitoring Rare Disease Nationally

British Paediatric Surveillance Unit

- Speaker to be confirmed

Neurotoxicity: What We Know and What We Can Do? (Plenary Lecture)

- Chair: Giorgio Tamburlini
Technical Advisor for Evidence Based Paediatrics & Quality of Care, International Pediatric Association, Director, Institute of Child Health Burlo, Garofolo, Trieste, Italy
- Philip J. Landrigan
Chairman, Department of Community and Preventive Medicine, Director, Center for Children's Health and the Environment, Mount Sinai School of Medicine, New York City, USA

Gastroenterology, Nutrition & Metabolism

Management of Abdominal Pain in Children (Interactive CS)

Organised by Children's Hospital Boston & Harvard Medical School

- Menno Verhave
Director, Ambulatory Gastroenterology, Children's Hospital Boston, Assistant Professor of Pediatrics, Harvard Medical School, Boston, USA

General Paediatrics

Widening Gulf of Child Health Services Across the World (Parallel Lecture)

- Anthony Costello
Professor of International Child Health, University College London, London, UK

Interactive Case Studies in Childhood Faecal Incontinence

(Workshop)

- Graham Clayden

Kings College London School Of Medicine, Retired Consultant Paediatrician At Guy's & St Thomas' NHS Foundation Trust, London, UK

Haematology

(Latest Advances Session)

- Finbarr Cotter

Editor-in-Chief, British Journal of Haematology, Chair of Experimental Haematology, Barts and the London Queen Mary School of Medicine, London, UK

- *Mel Greaves "Latest Advances in Hematologic Malignancies"

Professor, The Institute of Cancer Research, London, UK

Latest Advances in Interventional Cardiology

- *Wingred Wang "Latest Advances in Sickle Disease and New treatments"

MD, St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, Memphis, Tennessee, USA

Infectious Diseases and Vaccinations

Sexually Transmitted Diseases In Children And Adolescents

(Meet the Expert)

- Donald Greydanus

Professor, Pediatrics & Human Development, Michigan State University, College of Human Medicine, Pediatrics Director, Michigan State, University/Kalamazoo Center for Medical Studies, Michigan State University, Kalamazoo, Michigan, USA

Meet the Expert Session

Topic to be confirmed

(Meet the Expert)

- Nigel Klein

Professor and Consultant in Paediatric Infectious Diseases and Immunology at Great Ormond Street Children's Hospital, London, and the Institute of Child Health, University College London, London, UK

Respiratory Medicine – Organised by EPA/UNEPSA and the Cochrane Child Health Field

Difficult Asthma

(Interactive CS)

- Anne Thomson

Consultant in Paediatric Respiratory Medicine, Oxford Children's Hospital, Oxford, UK

- Duncan Keeley

General Practitioner, The Rycote Practice, Thame Health Centre, Thame, UK

Bronchiolitis

(Plenary Session)

- Steve Cunningham "What is the Evidence Base?"

Consultant Respiratory Paediatrician, Department of Respiratory and Sleep Medicine, Royal Hospital for Sick Children, Edinburgh, Scotland, UK

- Mike Thomas "Primary Care Aspects"

Asthma UK Senior Research Fellow, University of Aberdeen, Gloucester, UK

- Speaker tbc "Will We Have a Vaccine?"

This House Believes that Chronic Dry Cough Should Be Treated with Inhaled Corticosteroid

(Debate)

- Mike Thomas

Asthma UK Senior Research Fellow, University of Aberdeen, Gloucester, UK

- Mike Shields

Professor of Child Health & Consultant Paediatrician, Queen's University Belfast & Royal Belfast Hospital Sick Children, Belfast, N. Ireland, UK

**Invited speaker, awaiting confirmation*

Interactions between Upper and Lower Airway

(Parallel Lecture)

- Glenis Scadding

President, British Society for Allergy and Clinical Immunology, London, UK

Closing Remarks – Keynote Speech

The Use of Comics in Medical Education & Patient Care

- Kim Chilman-Blair

CEO / Founder, MEDIKIDZ, London, UK
