

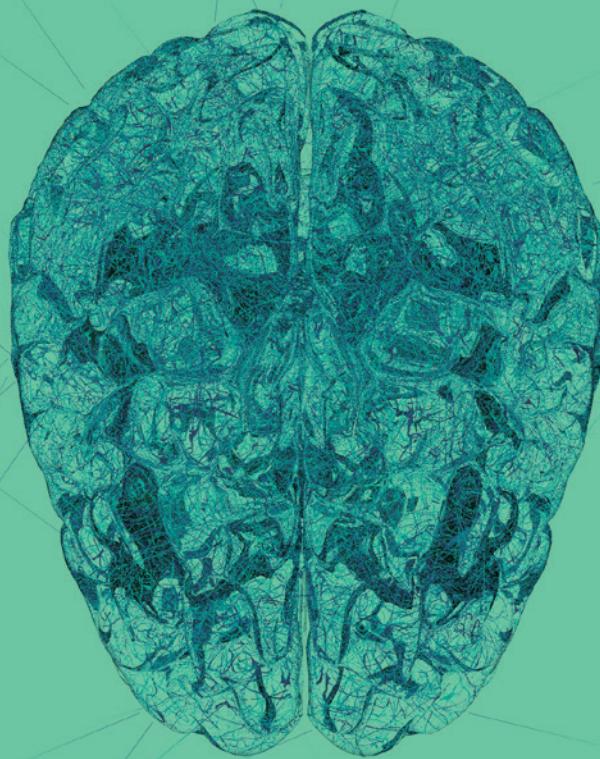


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# SNC'15

SINAPSA NEUROSCIENCE CONFERENCE '15



15-17 May, 2015

Cankarjev dom, Ljubljana, Slovenia



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## FRIDAY, 15 MAY 2015

8:00–19:00 **Registration** | Second Foyer

8:30–12:30 **Young Neuroscientists Forum Ljubljana '15** | Kosovel Hall

13:00–13:30 **Opening of the SNC'15** | Kosovel Hall

13:30–14:30 **AOŽ Memorial lecture** | Kosovel Hall

The tricks neurons use to express their genes: jumping genes,  
zero-length exons and RNA loops

*Jernej Ule*

14:30–16:30 **Symposium** | Kosovel Hall

**Neuroeconomy**

*Chairs: Sergeja Slapničar, Grega Repovš*

Neuroeconomics and management control

*Sergeja Slapničar*

Dopamine and decision making

*Robb Rutledge*

Decomposing cognitive control in economic decision making

*Grega Repovš*

EEG investigations on the management control problem

*Philip Eskenazi*

16:30–17:00 **Coffee break** | Second Foyer

17:00–19:00 **Symposium** | Kosovel Hall

**Neural responses and functional effects of dance on cognitive,  
emotional and motor performance**

*Chair: Maja Bresjanac*

The neural basis of dance and dance partnering

*Steven Brown*

Cognitive interactions in perceiving, performing and learning dance

*Bettina Bläsing*

Neural responses underlying dance imagery induced by music

*Maja Bresjanac*

Enhanced functional outcomes in older adults who dance regularly

*Rado Pišot*

19:00–21:00 **Welcome reception** | Second Foyer

# SATURDAY, 16 MAY 2015

8:00–19:00 **Registration** | Second Foyer

8:30–10:30 **Symposium** | E1,2 Hall  
**Cell's protein quality system and neurodegeneration**  
Chair: Eva Žerovnik

Autophagy, p62/SQSTM1 and ALS-FTLD  
*Alice Goode*

ALS- and FTLD-associated hexanucleotide repeat expansion mutation in C9orf72  
*Boris Rogelj*

Modifications of FUS and implications in ALS and FTD  
*Simona Darovic*

Mutual chaperoning by amyloid forming proteins/peptides  
*Eva Žerovnik*

10:30–11:00 **Coffee break** | Second Foyer

11:00–12:00 **Plenary talk** | Kosovel Hall  
Psychedelic drugs in science and medicine  
*Robin Carhart-Harris*

12:00–13:30 **Poster session** | Second Foyer

**Cellular neuroscience A**

**Clinical neuroscience A**

**Cognitive neuroscience A**

**Molecular neuroscience A**

**Systems neuroscience A**

13:30–14:30 **Plenary talk** | E1,2 Hall  
Autoimmune encephalitis and epilepsy – from synapse to symptoms  
*Sukhvir Wright*

14:30–16:30 **Symposium** | E1,2 Hall  
**Autoimmunity, encephalitis and epilepsy - another Procrustes bed?**  
Chair: David Neubauer

Autoimmune encephalitis and antibodies against neuronal cell antigens  
*Sanja Stopinšek*

Severe form of autoimmune encephalitis in two children  
*Mirjana Perković Benedik*

Autoimmunity and epilepsy in childhood  
*Natalija Krajnc*

Can FIRES be a part of this story?  
*Neli Bizjak*

- 16:30–17:00 **Coffee break** | Second Foyer
- 17:00–19:00 **Symposium** | E1,2 Hall  
**Nerve stimulation: From basic research to clinic**  
Chairs: Janez Rozman, Polona Pečlin
- General overview of nerve stimulation: From past to future  
*Winfried Mayr*
- Implantable nerve interfaces developed in Slovenia and their use in research and clinical applications  
*Janez Rozman*
- Twenty-nine year stimulation of the common peroneal nerve: A case report  
*Polona Pečlin*
- Neuromodulation in the treatment of pelvic floor dysfunctions  
*Adolf Lukanović*
- Our experience with vagal stimulation for heart rate control  
*Matej Podbregar*
- Compound action potentials in an isolated rat sciatic nerve elicited with specific current stimulating pulses when exposed to anesthetic bupivacaine  
*Monika C. Žužek*
- 19:00–20:45 **Neuroscience & society dialogue - Scientific exploration of brain on drugs: Prizes and pitfalls** | Kosovel Hall
- 21:00–0:00 **Social evening** | Slamič Café

## SUNDAY, 17 MAY 2015

- 9:00–16:30 **Registration** | Second Foyer
- 9:30–11:30 **Symposium** | Kosovel Hall  
**Biomarkers of epileptogenesis, pharmacogenomics and functional brain connectivity in epilepsy**  
Chair: Bogdan Lorber
- Imaging epileptogenesis  
*Matthias Koepf*
- Graph-theoretical analysis of language networks in temporal lobe epilepsy  
*David Gosar*
- Pharmacogenomics of drug resistance in epilepsy  
*Andreja Avberšek*
- 11:30–12:00 **Coffee break** | Second Foyer

12:00–13:30 **Poster session** | Second Foyer

**Molecular neuroscience B**

**Cellular neuroscience B**

**Clinical neuroscience B**

**Cognitive neuroscience B**

**Systems neuroscience B**

13:30–15:30 **Symposium** | Kosovel Hall  
**Multimodal imaging in diagnostics of preclinical stages of neurodegenerative disorders**  
Chairs: Žvezdan Pirošek, Milica Gregorić Kramberger

The overall design of the study, clinical and CSF data  
*Milica Gregorić Kramberger*

Neuropsychological markers of mild cognitive impairment  
*Simon Brezovar*

Can electrophysiological responses to AX-CPT task differentiate between early stages of neurodegenerative disorders?  
*Jure Bon*

Altered white matter microstructure in mild cognitive impairment and Parkinson's disease  
*Indre Pileckytė*

Resting state functional connectivity in patients with mild cognitive impairment and Parkinson's disease  
*Anka Slana*

Metabolic biomarkers in patients with mild cognitive impairment and Parkinson's disease  
*Petra Tomšić*

15:30–16:30 **Plenary talk** | Kosovel Hall  
Human Brain Project: Implications for neurology  
*Richard Frackowiak*

16:30–16:45 **Closing of the SNC'15** | Kosovel Hall

# YOUNG NEUROSCIENTISTS FORUM LJUBLJANA '15

**FRIDAY, 15 MAY 2015 | KOSOVEL HALL, CANKARJEV DOM**

- 8:30–8:40 **Opening of the YNFL'15**
- 8:40–9:40 **Oral presentations 1**
- 8:40 The impact of upper motor neuron degeneration on respiration in wakefulness and sleep in amyotrophic lateral sclerosis  
*Judita Jeran*
- 9:00 Characterisation of co-culture of spinal cord explants and muscle cells after electroporation with FUS, a protein involved in ALS/FTLD  
*Sonja Pytar Mihevc*
- 9:20 Chronic social isolation reduces parvalbumin-positive interneurons in the medial prefrontal cortex of adult rats: protection by fluoxetine and clozapine  
*Nevena Todorović*
- 9:40–10:00 **Coffee break**
- 10:00–11:00 **Oral presentations 2**
- 10:00 The role of medial prefrontal cortex in uncertainty-based decision making in rats  
*Nace Mikus*
- 10:20 The vulnerability of the structural connectome to stroke in older adults  
*Rok Berlot*
- 10:40 A simple and cost-effective q EEG evaluation shows marked differences between early Alzheimer's disease patients and controls  
*Bruna Pišč*
- 11:00–11:20 **Coffee break**
- 11:20–12:20 **Coffee with neuroscientist Professor Jernej Ule**
- 12:20–12:30 **Closing of the YNFL'15**

# EDUCATIONAL WORKSHOP ON ADDICTION

SATURDAY, 16 MAY 2015 | KOSOVEL HALL

8:30–10:30 **Session I: Neurobiology**

- 8:30 Learning mechanisms of drug dependence  
*Jenn Murray*

- 9:30 Pleasant and unpleasant effects of alcohol  
*Dorit Ron*

14:30–16:30 **Session II: Alcohol addiction: Stigma, ethical challenges and treatment**

- 14:30 How can science help explain ethical issues related to alcohol dependence syndrome?  
*Zdenka Čebašek Travník*

- 15:00 Alcohol addiction treatment  
*Darja Boben Bardutzky*

- 15:30 (Neuro)science and alcohol dependence syndrome related stigma  
*Mirjana Radovanović*

- 16:00 Summary discussion

17:00–19:00 **Session III: Addiction, ADHD and psychoactive substance abuse**

- 17:00 Addiction, comorbidity and new psychoactive substances  
*Nuša Šegrec*

- 17:30 Epidemiology and clinical presentation of ADHD  
*Mirjana Delić*

- 17:50 Differential diagnosis and comorbidity in ADHD  
*Andrej Kastelic*

- 18:10 Treatment of adults with ADHD  
*Mirjana Delić*

- 18:30 ADHD, psychoactive substance abuse, addiction disorders and treatment  
*Andrej Kastelic*

- 18:50 Summary discussion

# EDUCATIONAL COURSE ON LATE-ONSET POMPE DISEASE

**FRIDAY, 15 MAY 2015 | E3 HALL, CANKARJEV DOM**

13:00–14:00 **Catering lunch, venue**

14:00–14:15 **Welcome speech, programme announcement**

*Organiser; Mr. Boris Šuštaršič (President of the Muscular Dystrophy Association of Slovenia)*

14:15–16:05 **Clinical reviews**

14:15 Late Onset Pompe disease - overview  
*Zoran Mitrović (CRO)*

14:35 Diagnostic challenges in LOPD  
*Agnes Herczegfalvi (HU)*

14:55 Case report – two sisters  
*Katalin Vardi (HU)*

15:10 Pitfalls in adult Pompe disease diagnosis  
*Georgios Konstantinos Papadimas (GR)*

15:30 LGMD and pseudo GAA deficiency: a case from Croatia  
*Rujana Šprljan Alfrev (CRO)*

15:45 Patient perspective  
*Marko Studen (SLO)*

16:05–16:25 **Coffee break**

16:25–18:00 **Diagnostic reviews**

16:25 EMG in LOPD: Where to start, what to expect?  
*Ervina Bilić (CRO)*

16:40 Case study: juvenile/adult patient  
*Danijela Petković Ramadža (CRO)*

16:55 Detecting GAA deficiency by DBS – how sensitive and how specific?  
*Ksenija Fumić (CRO)*

17:10 The impact of molecular diagnosis  
*Karin Witzl (SLO)*

17:25 Muscle biopsy in Pompe disease  
*Marija Meznarić (SLO)*

17:40 General discussion

17:55 Wrap up and closing, 1st day

20:00–23:00 **Dinner** | Gostilna na gradu (meeting point 19:30 Hotel Slon for walking, 19:40 Erjavčeva Street for bus transfer)

## SATURDAY, 16 MAY 2015 | E3 HALL, CANKARJEV DOM

9:15–10:50	<b>Patient assessment</b>
9:15	Patient association screening project <i>Lea Leonardis (SLO)</i>
9:35	Automated LGMD Diagnostic Assistant <i>Svetlana Tomić (CRO)</i>
9:55	Bulgarian experience with high risk testing project <i>Teodora Chamova (BG)</i>
10:15	Parents refusing of child's diagnose - what's the next step? A case from Serbia <i>Slavica Ostojić (SER)</i>
10:30	Patient follow up <i>Anca Hancu (RO)</i>
10:50–11:10	<b>Coffee break</b>
11:10–13:00	<b>Disease control</b>
11:10	Toward the therapy of LOPD <i>Danijela Petković Ramadža (CRO)</i>
11:30	Case study: patient refuses the therapy <i>Lea Leonardis (SLO)</i>
11:45	Internist check up <i>Ivan Pećin (CRO)</i>
12:00	Therapy, weight control, diet and exercise – physician's perspective <i>Zsuzsanna Almásy (HU)</i>
12:20	Therapy, weight control, diet and exercise – patient's perspective <i>Pompe patient (HU)</i>
12:40	General discussion
12:55	Wrap up and closing
13:00	<b>Lunch / departure</b>

# **KLINIČNI SIMPOZIJ**

## **Zgodnja diagnostika in obravnavna psihotičnih motenj**

**PETEK, 15. MAJ 2015 | DVORANA E1,2, CANKARJEV DOM**

15:00–16:30 **Klinični simpozij**

### **Zgodnja diagnostika in obravnavna psihotičnih motenj**

*Moderatorja: Borut Škodlar, Jurij Bon*

Uvod

*Jurij Bon*

Razvoj diagnostičnih kriterijev za prodromalna stanja in prve psihotične epizode

*Vesna Gaberšek*

Pomen bazičnih simptomov in motenj zavedanja sebe za zgodnjo diagnostiko

*Matej Potočan*

Psihotična stanja v otroštvu in mladostništvu - klinična slika, diagnostika in obravnavna

*Barbara Šegula*

16:30–17:30 **Satelitski simpozij (Eli Lilly)**

*Moderator: Andrej Kastelic*

Uvod

*Andrej Kastelic*

Patofiziološko ozadje ADHD in možnost zdravljenja v odrasli dobi

*Jurij Bon*

Zdravljenje ADHD v odrasli dobi - praktični primer bolnika

*Hojska Gregorij Kumpersčak*

Razprava in zaključki

*Andrej Kastelic*

17:30–18:00 **Odmor s kavo**

18:00–19:00 **Klinični simpozij - nadaljevanje**

### **Zgodnja diagnostika in obravnavna psihotičnih motenj**

*Moderatorja: Borut Škodlar, Jurij Bon*

Pregled raziskav o medikamentoznem in psihoterapevtskem zdravljenju v prodromalnem obdobju

*Marko Saje*

Primerjava teoretičnih vidikov psihoterapevtskih pristopov v prodromalnih stanjih in pri prvi psihotični epizodi

*Borut Škodlar*

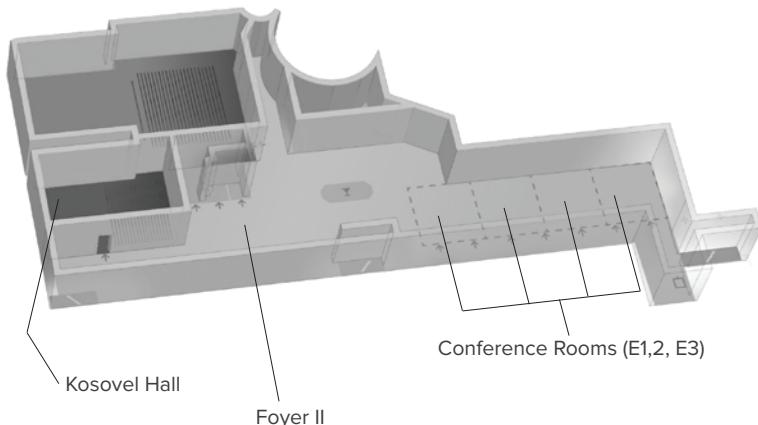
Kognitivne motnje in disfunkcije nevronskih omrežij v različnih fazah bolezni

*Grega Repovš*

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