

Conference Programme

Day 1

Tuesday, 29th March 2011

07.30-09.30	REGISTRATION
09.30-17.45	MAIN AUDITORIUM
09.30-09.40	Opening Session Social Brain 3 No Mind Left Behind S Dow, UK; C Gillberg, Sweden
09.40-10.10	KEYNOTE: Social instinct and autism L Wing, UK
10.10-10.35	KEYNOTE: Early symptomatic syndromes eliciting neurodevelopmental clinical examinations (ESSENCE) C Gillberg, Sweden
10.35-11.00	COFFEE
11.00-12.40	EARLY DEVELOPMENT
11.00-11.20	Neurotransmitter control of cognition, attention, and empathy R Doyle, USA
11.20-11.40	Maternal stress, glucocorticoids and programming the offspring's brain J Seckl, UK
11.40-12.00	Development of empathy C Gillberg, Sweden
12.00-12.20	Development of attention and executive function A Nydén, Sweden
12.20-12.40	Central coherence: to see or not to see the bigger picture F Happé, UK
12.40-14.00	LUNCH
14.00-15.30	AUTISM SPECTRUM, ADHD, AND RELATED DISORDERS
14.00-14.20	The autism spectrum: one, five, or hundreds of conditions? I van Berckelaer-Onnes, The Netherlands
14.20-14.40	The Tic- OCD spectrum: one, two, or more? PH Thomsen, Denmark
14.40-15.00	ADHD and affective disorders in autism M Ghaziuddin, USA
15.00-15.30	KEYNOTE: The Social Brain, autism and epilepsy B Neville, UK
15.30-16.00	COFFEE
16.00-17.30	STRESS, MALTREATMENT AND NEURODEVELOPMENT
16.00-16.20	Reactive attachment disorder: fact and fiction H Minnis, UK; G Bryce, UK
16.20-16.40	Assessing the impact of stress, maltreatment and neurodevelopmental problems in the population P Wilson, UK
16.40-17.00	Synchrony of mother/infant HPA-Axis when exposed to stress: The role of the mother's mind and behaviours B Holmes, UK
17.00-17.30	KEYNOTE: Sensitive periods in brain and behaviour in early childhood C Zeanah, USA
17.30-17.45	Summing up Day One C Gillberg, Sweden
18.00	WELCOME RECEPTION & POSTER EXHIBITION
19.30	GALA DINNER AT THE ARCHES

The concept for the programme is that of two strands; Science and Reality. The left hand column in green, shows the programme and timings for the Scientific strand called Social Brain 3, and the right hand column in grey, gives you the programme and timings for the Reality strand called See The Bigger Picture. Delegates are free to go between the two as they please.

11.00-17.00	STRATHCLYDE SUITE
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10.35-11.00	COFFEE
11.00-12.40	That's not the Annie I know Teacher perception vs parental perception: The need for schools to understand the impact of learning, attention and behavioural differences on parents and families Loretta Giorcelli, Australia <i>Don't forget to visit our exhibitors during the programme breaks!</i>
12.40-14.00	LUNCH
14.00-15.30	Resilience - a critical ingredient in the educational process and life in general S Goldstein, USA <i>Don't forget to visit our exhibitors during the programme breaks!</i>
15.30-16.00	COFFEE
16.00-17.00	Creativity, confusion and conquest Collaborative support for learning and organisational problems in gifted children Paul Hutchins, Australia

Day 2

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08.40-17.45	MAIN AUDITORIUM
08.40-09.10	KEYNOTE: The Everchanging Brain P Magistretti, Switzerland
09.10-10.50	DIAGNOSIS AND OVERLAP OF PROBLEMS
09.10-9.30	Early diagnosis of autism E Fernell, Sweden; C Miniscalco, Sweden
09.30-09.50	How to tackle the problems of ADHD and ASD in epilepsy B Neville, UK
09.50-10.10	Fragile X syndrome & FMRP: a key to other disorders and their effective treatment R Hagerman, USA; J Turk, UK
10.10-10.30	Annie's syndrome D FitzPatrick, UK
10.30-10.50	Girls and Women with ESSENCE M Posserud, Norway
10.50-11.20	COFFEE
11.20-12.50	GENETICS AND EPIGENETICS
11.20-11.30	Pre-and perinatal factors in ESSENCE L Thompson, UK
11.30-11.50	Genetics of autism T Bourgeron, France
11.50-12.10	Genetics and environmental influences E Taylor, UK
12.10-12.30	Neuroanatomy of autism M Bauman, USA
12.30-12.50	Where in the brain is autism? P Rodier, USA
12.50-14.00	LUNCH
14.00-15.00	SOCIAL COGNITION AND NEUROPSYCHOLOGY
14.00-14.20	The social brain and fetal testosterone S Baron-Cohen, UK
14.20-14.40	Neuropsychological function in children with an autism spectrum disorder A Lundevold, Norway
14.40-15.00	How do we measure empathy in young children A O'Hare, UK
15.00-15.30	COFFEE
15.30-17.30	OUTCOME AND INTERVENTION
15.30-15.50	Outcome of autism spectrum disorders and ADHD E Billstedt, Sweden; E Fernell, Sweden
15.50-16.10	Outcome of eating disorders: relation to ESSENCE M Råstam, Sweden
16.10-16.30	The evidence base for intervention in autism P Howlin, UK
16.30-16.50	Intervention in ADHD D Coghill, UK
16.50-17.10	Psychopharmacology in ESSENCE J Buitelaar, The Netherlands
17.10-17.30	Triple P - mellow parenting: what are they good for? M Sanders; C Puckering, UK
17.30-17.45	CLOSING SESSION Summing up Day Two S Dow, UK; C Gillberg, Sweden

Getting It Together Strathclyde Suite

Under this title we look at the importance of collaboration across the board within the field of learning difficulties. Our speakers will have 20 minutes each to talk about their particular facet/ interest/experience of Getting It Together. There are still a couple of speakers as well as titles to be confirmed and the order of programme might change a little, but not too much we hope.

09.20-16.30	STRATHCLYDE SUITE
09.20-10.50	Mr Tourette and I Pelle Sandstrak, Sweden
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10.50-11.20	COFFEE
11.20-12.50	GETTING IT TOGETHER
	Anne McGuire, MP, former Minister for Disabled People, Scotland
	Mind the Gap: Building bridges, safety nets and infinite possibilities for Johnny-No-Friends Bill Colley, Teacher, Educational Consultant, UK
	Out of Trouble Jenny Talbot, Prison Reform Trust, UK
	Autism spectrum disorders in the elderly Lena Nylander, MD, University Hospital, Lund, Sweden
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12.50-14.00	LUNCH
14.00-15.00	GETTING IT TOGETHER
	Dismantling silos Michael Gordon, Professor of Psychiatry, State University of New York
	A collaborative approach to intervention in families with ADHD Agneta Hellström, dir Stockholm ADHD Centre, Sweden
	ADHD SOS - all grown up and nowhere to go? The journey to adult services Dr Fiona Forbes; Dr Premal J Shah, Royal Edinburgh Hospital and Edinburgh University, Scotland
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15.00-15.30	COFFEE
15.30-16.30	GETTING IT TOGETHER
	Epilepsy Plus Ann Maxwell, Muir Maxwell Trust, UK
	Perfection in imperfection - seeing past the outer shell Torey Hayden, Author and Special Education Teacher, US and UK
	People and Parliament - the power of partnership Jackie Baillie, MSP, Scottish Parliament, Shadow Cabinet Secretary for Health & Wellbeing and Convener of the Cross Party Group for Learning Disability