



**THE BRITISH NEUROPSYCHIATRY ASSOCIATION
ANNUAL MEETING – 21/22 FEBRUARY 2002
INSTITUTE OF CHILD HEALTH, central London
PROGRAMME**

Thursday 21 February

- 09.30 – 10.20 **Registration and coffee – Balcony**
10.20 – 10.30 **Welcome by Professor Michael Trimble, Chairman**
- Clinical and Neurobiological aspects of new variant CJD -*
Session Chairman: Dr Simon Fleminger
- 10.30 – 11.15 **Keynote address:**
Variants of human prion disease: old and new
Professor John Collinge, Institute of Neurology/MRC Prion Unit, London
- 11.15 – 11.45 *Neuropsychiatric aspects of new variant CJD*
Professor Eve Johnstone, University of Edinburgh
- 11.45 – 12.15 *New variant CJD: Clinical and Epidemiological Overview*
Professor Rob Will, The National CJD Surveillance Unit, Edinburgh
- Member's papers – Session Chairman: Dr Tim Griffiths**
- 12.15 – 12.30 *Distinct qualitative neuropsychological features in Creutzfeldt-Jakob disease*
Dr Julie Snowden, Greater Manchester Neuroscience Centre
- 12.30 – 12.45 *Neural representation of voices "outside the head"*
Dr Michael Hunter, University of Sheffield
- 12.45 – 13.00 *Is auditory cortex used to process a signed language?*
Dr Mairéad MacSweeney, Institute of Child Health
- 13.00 – 13.15 *Auditory recognition memory in Schizophrenia using the remember/know paradigm*
Ms J Drakeford, The Queen Elizabeth Psychiatric Hospital, Birmingham
- 13.15 – 14.15 **Lunch – Winter Garden**
- 14.15 – 14.45 **Annual General Meeting (members' only)**
- The Mind's Ear – Session Chairman: Dr Howard Ring*
- 14.45 – 15.15 *How does the brain process complex sound? Current controversies*
Professor Robert Zatorre, Montreal Neurological Institute
- 15.15 – 15.45 *The neural basis for auditory musical hallucinations*
Dr Tim Griffiths, Newcastle University
- 15.45 – 16.15 **Tea – Balcony**
- 16.15 – 16.45 *Update on auditory verbal hallucinations*
Dr Philip McGuire, Institute of Psychiatry, London
- 16.45 – 17.15 *Assessment and management of psychiatric disorders in deaf people*
Dr Peter Hindley, St George's Hospital, London
- 17.15 **Close of meeting**

Friday 22 February

Pervasive Developmental Disorders – Session Chairman: Professor David Skuse

09.15 – 10.15

Keynote address:

How the brain processes emotional and social stimuli

Dr Ralph Adolphs, University of Iowa

10.15 - 10.45

Is autism an extreme form of the male brain?

Dr Simon Baron-Cohen, Cambridge University

10.45 – 11.15

Autism and developmental receptive language disorder – a follow-up comparison in early adult life. Social, behavioural, and psychiatric outcomes

Professor Patricia Howlin, St George's Medical School, London

11.15 – 11.35

Coffee – Balcony

11.35 – 11.50

Member's papers – Session Chairman: Dr Julie Snowden

Emotional memory in temporal lobectomy patients with unilateral or bilateral damage

Dr Barbara Brierley, Kings College, London

11.50 – 12.05

Psychosis following temporal lobectomy

Dr Philip Shaw, Institute of Psychiatry

12.05 – 12.20

Rivastigmine is preferable to Olanzapine in the management of dementia with Lewy bodies (DLB)

Dr Giles Elrington, Oaks Hospital, Colchester

12.20 – 12.35

Magnetisation transfer detects anterior cingulate abnormalities in Bipolar Disorder

Dr Stefania Bruno, Institute of Neurology

12.35 – 12.50

Near-Death Experiences in Children During Meningococcal Disease

Dr Dan Shears, Imperial College School of Medicine

12.50 – 13.05

A Neuropsychiatry Outreach Clinic

Dr Feargal Leonard, The Maudsley Hospital

13.05 – 14.15

Lunch – Winter Garden

New Drugs for Neuropsychiatry –

Session Chairman: Professor Michael Trimble

14.15 – 14.35

Deconstructing Serotonin

Professor Brian Leonard, National University of Ireland, Galway

14.35 – 14.55

Inhibiting Excitation and Exciting Inhibition

Professor John Jefferys, University of Birmingham

14.55 – 15.15

Neurotrophins in Alzheimer's Disease

Professor Gordon Wilcock, University of Bristol

15.15 – 15.35

Neuronal growth and synaptic plasticity: understanding antidepressant action

Professor Ian Reid, University of Dundee

15.35 – 15.55

Beyond atypical drugs, the next generation of antipsychotics

Professor Rob Kerwin, Institute of Psychiatry

15.55

Tea – Balcony

Close of meeting