

Date
Monday June 17

Time	Session	Speakers	Moderators
09:00-11:45	Registration		
11:45-12:45	Lunch		
12:45-13:15	Welcoming words	Leonard van den Berg and Caroline Ingre	
13:15-14:30	Session 1 - Population and disease registries and Epidemiology	Fang Fang	Adriano Chio and Fang Fang
	Survival of ALS patients has increased over time: results from a long- 1 standing register.	Rosario Bvasta	
	Increased incidence of motor neuron disease in Sweden: a population- 2 based study during 2002-2021	Sofia Imrell	
	Epidemiology of Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis in Catalonia (Spain): 3 2015-2020	Sergio Vidal Notari	
	Amyotrophic lateral sclerosis caused by the C9orf72 expansion in 4 Norway - prevalence, ancestry, clinical and demographic variables	Helle Høyer	
	A population-based disease mapping of ALS incidence in the Republic of 5 Ireland from 1995 to 2022	Éanna Mac Domhnaill	
14:30-15:00	Break		
15:00-16:15	Session 2 - Clinical	Julian Grosskreutz and Philip van Damme	Caroline Ingre and Thomas Meyer
	Single-cell transcriptomics reveal the presence of clonally expanding T 6 cells in ALS	ZhenZhen Chen	
	Glymphatic dysfunction occurs across clinical phenotypes of motor 7 neuron disease	Edoardo Gioele Spinelli	
	Brain metabolic features of FUS-ALS: a 2-[18F]FDG-PET study 8	Antonio Canosa	
	Sex Differences in Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis Survival and 9 Progression: A Multidimensional Analysis	Maurizio Grassano	
	Neurofilament content of patient sensory skin axons reflects ALS 10 progression	Janina von der Gablentz	
	Understanding How Cognitive and Behavioural Impairments Affect the 11 Mental Capacity to Make Treatment Decisions in ALS.	Milena Contreras	
16:15-16:45	Break		
16:45-17:30	Rapid Fire Presentations A - Clinical		Magdalena Kuzma
	I FDG-PET clustering analysis in Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis.	Joke de Vocht	
	II Targeting the energy deficit in ALS - the LIPCAL-ALS II study	Johannes Dorst	
	III Rare variants in the genetic background modulate risk and phenotype in ALS	Maurizio Grassano	
	IV Cognitive Deficits in ALS patients with SOD1 mutations	Ivar Winroth	
	V Physical activity, fitness and long-term risk of amyotrophic lateral sclerosis - a prospective cohort study	Anders Myhre Vaage	
	VI Exploring the Genetic Underpinnings of Cognition in ALS through Multi- Trait GWAS Analysis	Emrah Kacar	
	VII Longitudinal cognitive assessment using the Cumulus home-based EEG platform in ALS and FTD.	Emmet Costello	
	VIII Defining functional brain network changes in ALS at higher temporal resolution	Alicia Northall	
	IX Associations between resting-state electroencephalographic (EEG) measures and cognitive functions in ALS: a preliminary region-specific analysis	Serena Plaitano	
	X Association study on HERV-K genomic insertions in Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis	Simon Topp	
	XI Is a brief apathy assessment useful in motor neuron disease clinics? Investigating the potential of apathy as a predictor for ALS trial- XII participation.	Juliette Foucher	
	XIII Education mediates the association between motor and cognitive- behavioural features in non-demented ALS patients	Edoardo Nicolò Aiello	
	XIV An update on the role of autoantibodies against neurofilaments in amyotrophic lateral sclerosis (ALS)	Ellie Sturmey	
	XV BRAINTEASER Project: Enhancing Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis Care through Remote Monitoring and Artificial Intelligence Integration	Inês Alves	
17:30-18:30	Poster Session A		
08:30-9:45	Session 3 - Pre-symptomatic changes and Imaging	Joke de Vocht	Dorothee Lule and Sharon Abrahams
	A comparison of frameworks for identifying cognitive and behavioural 12 impairment in pre-symptomatic ALS	Caroline McHutchison	
	13 ECAS correlation with metabolic alterations on FDG-PET imaging in ALS patients	Linn Öijerstedt	
	14 QSM-detected iron accumulation in the cerebellar gray matter selectively predicts executive dysfunction in non-demented ALS patients	Claudia Morelli	
	15 Cognitive endophenotypes and C9orf72 in familial ALS: a longitudinal study	Colm Peelo	
09:45-10:15	Break		
10:15-11:15	Session 4 - Genetics	Peter Andersen	Jan Veldink and Philippe Corcia
	16 Multiomic analysis to identify the genetic basis of amyotrophic lateral sclerosis	Calum Harvey	
	17 Plasma extracellular vesicle Tau and TDP-43 as diagnostic biomarkers in FTD and ALS	Anja Schneider	
	18 Using Irish Clan Genomics to Interrogate the Biological Overlap between Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis and Neuropsychiatric Disorders	Ciara O'Donoghue	
	19 Genome-wide screen for genetic modifiers in ALS progression	Ramona Zwamborn	
	20 The shared ancestry between the C9orf72 hexanucleotide repeat expansion and intermediate-length alleles using haplotype sharing trees and HAPTK	Osma Rautila	
11:15-11:45	Break		
11:45-12:30	Debate: "ALS future: Targeted vs. Untargeted/Cocktail treatments?"	Angela Genge vs. Pamela Shaw	Leonard van den Berg
12:30-14:00	Lunch		

Tuesday June 18

14:00-15:15	Session 5 - Clinical trials and biomarkers	Christopher McDermott	Martin Turner and Orla Hardiman
	21 Identification of proteomic clusters in the CSF of sporadic ALS patients Combined rescue of STMN2 and UNC13A mis-splicing in ALS using a 22 novel therapeutic approach	Laura Tzeplaef	
	Serum neurofilament light chain in distinct phenotypes of amyotrophic 23 lateral sclerosis – a longitudinal multicenter study	Puja Mehta	
	Using ALS patient-derived astrocytes to identify patient stratification 24 biomarkers in response to a promising multi-target drug	Thomas Meyer	
	Skin innervation across ALS clinical stages: new biomarkers of disease 25 progression and survival	Raquel Rua Martins	
	26 Longitudinal analysis of T cells responses in amyotrophic lateral sclerosis	Raffaele Dubbioso	
15:15-15:45	Break		
15:45-17:00	Platform presentation on trials: Phoenix, ADORE and Humanitas Research Hospital (TUDCA trial)	Leonard van den Berg, Sabrina Paganoni and	Ammar Al-Chalabi and Orla Hardiman
17:00-17:45	Panel Discussion - About the New Standard of Care	Leonard van den Berg, Jeremy Shefner, Ange	Ammar Al-Chalabi and Orla Hardiman
17:45-18:45	Poster Session B		
19:45-24:00	Gala Dinner		

Wednesday June 19	09:00-10:15	Session 6 - Biomarkers; Basic and translational	Leonard Petrucelli	Philippe van Damme and Sebastian Levandowski
		27 Stress granules and oxidation drive TDP-43 demixing in the cytoplasm	Jik Nijssen	
		28 Differential pathways of astrocyte toxicity in sporadic ALS Investigating the metabolic crosstalk between senescent lymphocytes 29 and microglia from patients with ALS	Katie Bowden	
		toxic gain-of-function mechanisms, but not C9orf72 haploinsufficiency 30 impairs the autophagy pathway in C9orf72 ALS/FTD iPSC-derived motor neurons.	Victoria Tsang	
		Targeting EGLN2/PHD1 protects motor neurons and normalizes the 31 astrocytic interferon response.	Jimmy Beckers	
		Exploring Metabolic Pathways in ALS: TDP-43, Mitochondria, and 32 Ferroptosis Interplay	Christine Germeys	
			Miriam Ceron Codorniu	
	10:15-10:45	Rapid Fire presentations B - Basic		Monica Povedano
		Tbk1 mutant zebrafish show increased programmed cell death and dysregulation of critical pathways involved in Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis (ALS)	Quentin Raas	
		Characterising activity-related phenotypes in C9ORF72 iPSC MNs using XVII optogenetics	Jiali Gao	
		Impact of trauma on presymptomatic C9orf72 carriers and symptomatic patients using hiPSC-derived organoids as a double-hit model of XVIII neurodegeneration	Karthik Baskar	
		NEK1 regulates ER-mitochondria contacts. XIX Comprehensive DNA methylation analysis shows no age acceleration in amyotrophic lateral sclerosis.	Natalie Pye	
		Dysregulation of muscle cholesterol homeostasis in amyotrophic lateral XXI sclerosis	Polina Merbaum	
		Disruption of the Angiopoietin-like protein system associates lipid XXII homeostasis with hypothalamic dysfunction in ALS	Flore Cheguillaume	
		Altered Expression of Membrane Proteins in C9orf72 Mutation- XXIII Associated ALS and FTD	Sruthi Sankari Krishnamurthy	
		Endothelial TDP-43 controls sprouting angiogenesis and vascular barrier XXIV integrity, and its deletion triggers neuroinflammation	Urša Čerček	
		Activation of polo-like kinase 1 expression in spinal motor neurons XXV underlies the increased vulnerability of spinal motor neurons in FUS-ALS	Eloi Montañez	
	10:45-11:15	Break		
	11:15-11:30	EU ALS Coalition	Julian Grosskreutz	Andrea Calvo
	11:30-11:50	Biogen Update	John Ravits	Andrea Calvo
	11:50-12:10	Himalaya trial	Nazem Atassi	Andrea Calvo
	12:10-12:20	Börje Salming Award for best Rapid Fire Presentation	Ulf Hedin	Caroline Ingre
	12:20-13:30	Lunch and posters		
	13:30-14:45	Session 7 - Cellular, Molecular Biology and Animal Model	Don Cleveland	Eva Hedlund and Jeroen Pasterkamp
		(GR)400 and (PR)400 knock-in mice show a conserved neuroprotective 33 role of an extracellular matrix signature in C9ALS/FTD	Carmelo Milioto	
		C-myc dysregulation contributes to glia-to-neuron miscommunication 34 in Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis and Frontotemporal dementia	Manuela Basso	
		A TBK1 variant causes autophagolysosomal and motoneuron pathology 35 without neuroinflammation in mice	David Brenner	
		36 Organellomics: AI-driven deep organellar phenotyping of human neurons Modelling ALS caused by KIF5A mutations in patient-derived motor 37 neurons	Lena Molitor	
		The homeoprotein transcription factor ENGRAILED-1 allows for spinal α- 38 Motoneurons protection and repair	Isabel Loss	
			Alain Prochiantz	
	14:45-15:15	Young Investigator and Poster Award		Ammar Al-Chalabi and Caroline Ingre
	15:15-15:30	Wrap-up and announce ENCALS 2025	Leonard van den Berg, Caroline Ingre and Adriano Chio	