

Dystonia Europe 27th Annual Conference
Dystonia-DAY 2020
Cusack Suite at Croke Park Stadium, Dublin, Ireland

Saturday 6 June
9.00-17.30

09.00-10.00 Registration & welcome coffee

WELCOME

Facilitator: *Donna Walsh, EFNA TBC*

10:00 – 10:07 Welcome Chairperson Maria Hickey, Dystonia Ireland and President Adam Kalinowski, DE

10:07 – 10:15 Dystonia Awareness on social media – let's do it together! Amanda Benson

Morning Session: Dystonia in Ireland

10:15 – 10:30 Motivation > Limitation

Tracey McCann "Voice of the Voiceless"

10:30 – 10:45 Focal Dystonia: More than a movement disorder
Dr Sean O'Riordan, St. Vincent's University Hospital

10:45 – 11:00 Focal Dystonia: Laboratory research and implications for pathogenesis.
Prof Richard Reilly, Trinity College

11:00 – 11:15 Focal Dystonia: Treatment beyond botulinum toxin
Dr Richard Walsh, Tallaght University Hospital

11:15-11:45 Q & A

11.45 – 12:00 Jump for Dystonia Photo shoot - photographer Stephan Rohl

12.00- 12.45 Lunch

Afternoon Session I: Dystonia in Europe

12:45 –13:00 What is children's dystonia? Dr. Jean-Pierre Lin

13:00 –13:15 DBS now and in the future, Prof Elena Moro

13:15 – 13:30 MyDystonia Story – patient testimony TBC

13.30–13.45 Physical therapy for dystonia, where are we and where should we go? Prof Marina de Koning-Tijssen

13.45 –14.00 Dystonia & Mental health, Prof Marjan Jahanshahi

14:00 – 14:30 Q & A

14.30 -15.00 Coffee

Afternoon Session II: Dystonia Worldwide

15:00 –15:15 Research overview & hot topics, Prof Mark Hallett, Bethesda

15:15 –15:30 Latest advancements in spasmodic dysphonia,
Prof Joel Blumin, Wisconsin

15:30 – 15:45 My Dystonia Story – patient testimony TBC

15:45 - 16:00 Treatment options & clinical trials for dystonia TBC

16:00 - 16:30 Q & A

Management tools:

16:45 -17:00 New KarlSpeech App, James Conlon

17:00-17:15 MyDystonia App, Adam Kalinowski

17.15 -17:30 **Evaluation and thank you**, Maria Hickey and Adam Kalinowski

THANK YOU & END OF CONFERENCE

20.00 Dystonia-DAYs 2020 & International Dystonia Dinner, The Banking Room, The Westin Dublin at College Green, Westmorland Street, Dublin 2. (City Centre Location)