

Cutting Edge Science for Parkinson's Clinicians

Wednesday, 26th November 2025

Virtual & Halifax Hall, Sheffield University Campus

Programme subject to change

09:00 Registration opens

09:30 Welcome and Introduction

Chairs: Dr Neil Archibald, consultant neurologist & clinical director for neurology and stroke, South Tees Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust & Dr Lucia Ricciardi, senior lecturer in neurology & consultant neurologist, City St George's, University of London

09:45 Gene testing for the clinician - who, what and why?

Prof Huw Morris, professor of neurology and neurogenetics, University College London Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust

10:30 Psilocybin and Parkinson's

Chairs: Dr Neil Archibald & Dr Lucia Ricciardi interview Dr Ellen Bradley, assistant professor, Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences, Weill Institute for Neurosciences, staff physician, San Francisco

11:15 Break

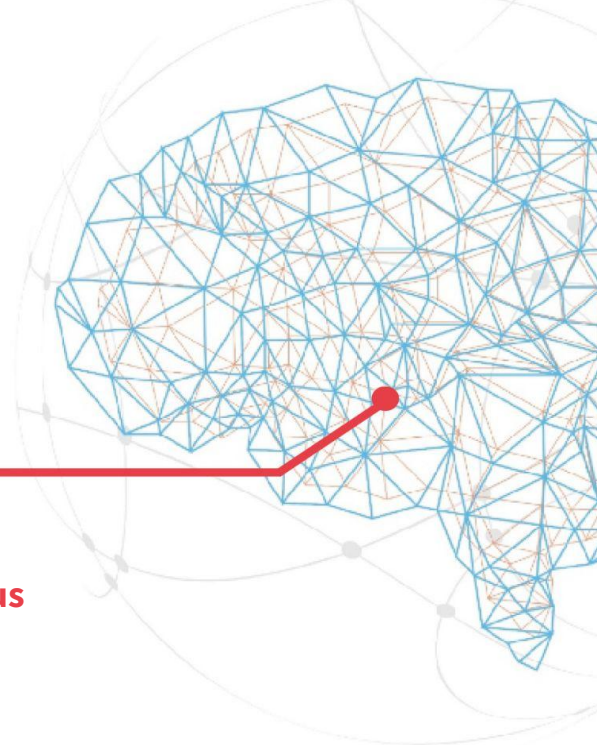
11:45 "Can we/we can cure Parkinson's?"

Dr Simon Stott, deputy director of research, Cure Parkinson's

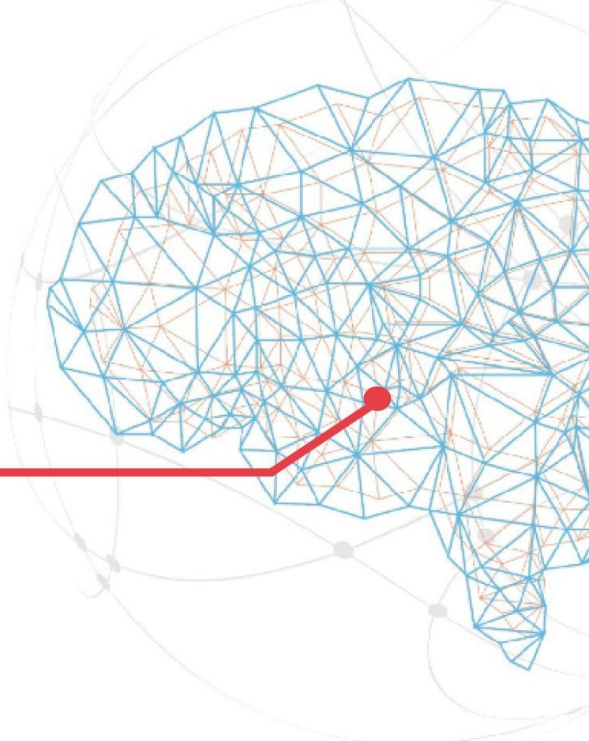
12:30 Towards better diagnosis - how to make the best use of imaging

Dr Chris Lambert, principal research associate, Functional Imaging Laboratory University College London & consultant neurologist specialising in movement disorders, National Hospital for Neurology and Neurosurgery

13:15 Lunch



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Complex disease:

14:15 Infusion therapies - how to select, what to use and how to use it

Dr Lucia Riccardi & Alison Leake, Parkinson's disease nurse specialist,
St George's University Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust

15:00 Comfort break

15:30 DBS - what's new in the field and when should we refer?

Mr Akbar Hussain, consultant neurosurgeon, Royal Victoria Infirmary & Michelle
Gibbs, clinical nurse specialist, Newcastle Upon Tyne NHS Foundation Trust

16:15 How should we use botulinum in the movement disorder clinic - and who should use it?

Dr Carla Cordivari, neurologist and consultant clinical neurophysiologist,
National Hospital for Neurology and Neurosurgery

17:00 Meeting close