

Welcome

14TH Annual Scientific Meeting International Society for CNS Clinical Trials and Methodology

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Mission Statement

The International Society for CNS Clinical Trials and Methodology (ISCTM) is a multi-disciplinary independent organization, devoted to promoting advances that address strategic clinical, regulatory, methodological and policy challenges that arise in the development and use of CNS therapeutic agents. This work is accomplished through partnership with persons in academia, industry, government, policy-making, and the public.

Principles

- Improve the lives of our patients through excellent science
- Acknowledge breadth of stakeholders
 - Patients, Clinicians, Investigators, Statisticians, Regulators, Policy-makers, Public
- International
- Non-commercial, non-promotional
- Mutually critical
- Mutually respectful
- Pre-competitive and/or collaborative
- Active participation is strongly encouraged

Activities of the Society

Increased number of working groups – 9 Active groups/one with two subgroups

- **ADAPTIVE DESIGN** Chairs: Ron Marcus, MD; Judith Kando, PharmD
- **ADDRESSING METHODOLOGICAL CHALLENGES IN INTERNATIONAL CNS CLINICAL TRIALS** Chairs: Amir Kalali, MD; Elizabeth Pappadopoulos, PhD
- **ALGORITHMS/FLAGS TO IDENTIFY CLINICAL INCONSISTENCY IN THE USE OF RATING SCALES IN CNS RCTs** Chairs: Jonathan Rabinowitz, PhD; Nina R. Schooler, PhD
- **ASSESSING ABUSE LIABILITY POTENTIAL** Chairs: Marta Sokolowska, PhD; Michael Klein, PhD; Beatrice Setnik, PhD
- **BEHAVIORAL AND PSYCHIATRIC SYMPTOMS IN DEMENTIA (BPSD)**
Steering Committee Chair: Larry Ereshefsky, Pharm D
Apathy Subgroup (Lanctot, Miller) Agitation Subgroup (O’Gorman, Rosenberg)
- **PREVENTION TRIALS IN ALZHEIMER’S DISEASE (Formerly Cognitive Assessment in Alzheimer’s Disease)** Chairs: Holly Posner, MD; Philip Harvey, PhD
- **ESTIMANDS AND MISSING DATA** Chairs: Pilar Lim, MD; Elena Polverejan, PhD
- **LATE-ONSET DEPRESSION: A DISTINCT INDICATION?** Chair: Heddie Martynowicz, DM, MS
- **NEGATIVE SYMPTOMS** Chairs: Stephen Marder, MD; David Daniel, MD
- **ORPHAN DISEASES** Chairs: Joan Busner, PhD; Judy Dunn, PhD; Ravi Anand, MD

European meetings

In collaboration with ECNP

2017 Autumn Meeting – Paris

- Excellent attendance
split about evenly between US and ex US

2019 Autumn Meeting – Copenhagen

- 5 September – 7 September 2019

Successful in bringing a worldwide perspective to our meetings

53 international attendees at this meeting

2018 meeting highlights

- New meeting format
 - Point / Counterpoint session
 - Working group sessions in the afternoon
- Expanded poster session (37)
- Collaborative session with The Michael J. Fox Foundation

2018 Autumn meeting

15-16 October 2018

The Ritz Carlton, Marina del Rey

Reference QR code in Program book for
agenda details

Involvement

- Ways to become involved
 - Audience participation at the meeting
 - Submit topic ideas for future meetings
 - Submit Working Group/Workshop topics
 - Submit Consensus Group topics

Remembering Brendon Binneman



- Pfizer – 15 years
- Long time member of ISCTM
- Was working on manuscript with BPSD Agitation Working Group
- Passed away suddenly January 10, 2018

Scientific Program Committee

George Haig– Chair	Phil Harvey– Co-Chair
Munaf Ali	Atul Mahableshwarkar
Larry Alphas	Ron Marcus
Stephen Brannan	Stephen Marder
Adam Butler	Heddie Martynowicz
Carla Canuso	Steven Potkin
Michael Davidson	Jill Rasmussen
Walter Dunn	Steven Romano
Larry Ereshefsky	Gary Sachs
Reuven Ferziger	Nina R. Schooler
Robert Goldman	Michelle Stewart
Amir Kalali	Daniel Umbricht
Richard Keefe	Mark Weiser
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Meeting Support



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