

**Welcome**

**International Society for  
CNS Clinical Trials and Methodology**

**15<sup>th</sup> Annual Scientific Meeting**

**19 - 21 February 2019  
Washington, DC**

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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.

- Many stakeholders
  - Drug Developers, Academic Investigators, Statisticians, Regulators, Clinicians, Policy-makers, Public
- Non-commercial, non-promotional
- Pre-competitive and/or collaborative
- Ample time for discussions
- Active participation is encouraged

- 13 Active Working Groups
- 9 manuscripts currently in development
- Consensus building
- Session development
- Collaborations with other organizations  
(e.g. ECNP, ISTAART NPS PIA , ASCP)

# Current Working Groups

- **Adaptive Design (Kando/Marcus)**
- **Algorithms/Flags (Rabinowitz/Schooler)**
- **Autism Spectrum Disorders- ISCTM/ECNP Joint Working Group (Mantua/Farchione/Arango)**
- **Assessment of Methods and Endpoints for Rapid-Acting Antidepressants-RAADs (Opler/Ballard)**
- **BPSD – Chair: Larry Ereshefsky**
  - ❖ **Agitation Subgroup (O’Gorman/Rosenberg)**
  - ❖ **Apathy Subgroup (Lanctôt/Miller)**
- **Cognitive Trajectories in Schizophrenia (Harvey/Granger)**
- **Estimands and Missing Data (Lim/Polverejan)**

# Current Working Groups

- **Innovative Technologies for Clinical Trials (Keefe/Davis)**
- **Late Onset Depression (Cappacione/De Boer)**
- **Negative Symptoms (Marder/Daniel)**
- **Orphan Diseases (Busner/Anand)**
- **Prevention Trials in Alzheimer's Disease (Posner/Harvey)**
- **Suicidal Ideation and Behavior – Policy Subgroup (Ratcliffe/Alphs)**

**First meeting we have offered 2 working group session times**

***Tuesday afternoon 4:25 – 6:00 pm***

***Thursday morning breakfast 7:30-9:15***

*Detailed information on these groups, their deliverables and how to join or submit a topic found in Program book*

Thanks to our active and enthusiastic ISCTM members involved in leading and participating in all these efforts

# Upcoming Meetings

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## **2019 Autumn Conference 5-7 September, Copenhagen Includes Joint Day with ECNP**

- *QR code on the back of the program book will link to Agenda, Registration and Poster Submission information*

## **16th Annual Scientific Meeting 19-21 February 2020 Grand Hyatt, Washington DC**



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