

WORLD HEAD INJURY AWARENESS DAY

Thursday, March 20, 2025

Campus Biotech

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Program

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Session 1

Moderation: **Prof Karl Schaller**

- 9h15 Welcome address**
Prof Karl Schaller
- 9h20 The role of neurosurgeons in traumatic brain injury rehabilitation**
Prof Niklas Marklund
- 9h40 Follow-up on cranial traumas in neurosurgery: results and perspectives**
Prof Wilco Peul
- 10h00 Break (30 minutes)**

Session 2

Moderation: **Marine Thomasson**

- 10h30 Evaluation and medico-psycho-social follow-up after a head injury**
Dr Laurent Wiart
- 10h50 Behavioural disorders after acquired brain injury: co-constructing recommendations to raise awareness and take action in the face of the crisis**
Christine Croisiaux
- 11h10 Support for patients and their families: engagement of the "Fragile Suisse" association**
Christine Jayet-Ryser and Amandine Laporte
- 11h30 Round Table – Testimony of persons with traumatic brain injury**
Bo Zhao, Camille Hayek, Dr Julien Salamun, Dr Aria Nouri, Prof Radek Ptak, Amandine Laporte, Dr Lamyae Benzakour
- 12h00 Lunch Break (1h10)**

Session 3

Moderation: **Dr Abdullah Al Awadhi**

- 13h10 When the mild traumatic brain injury clinic questions psychotrauma**
Dr Pascale Bruguière
- 13h30 Update on medication treatments for behavioral disorders post-traumatic brain injury**
Dr David Plantier
- 13h50 Management of cranial trauma: the Geneva Experience**
Dr Nicolas Nicastro
- 14h10 t-BIOMAP study: promising blood biomarkers for the management of pediatric mild traumatic brain injury patients**
Virginie Pouillard
- 14h20 Break (30 minutes)**

Session 4

Moderation: **Dr Aria Nouri and Elena Beanato**

- 14h50 SwissNeuroRehab: introducing neurotechnologies in the continuum of TBI neurorehabilitation**
Prof Andrea Serino and Dr Traian Popa
- 15h10 The public health approach needed to address traumatic brain injury**
Rodrigo Cataldi
- 15h30 Concussion, FIFA's approach to managing and creating awareness**
Dr Andrew Massey
- 15h50 Round Table – Rehabilitation post-traumatic brain injury: what practices for tomorrow?**
Prof Peul Wilco, Prof Adrian Guggisberg, Rodrigo Cataldi, Dr Davide Bianchi, Dr Lukas Sveikata, Amandine Durand, Dr Andrew Massey
- 16h30 Conclusion and aperitif**

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