

PRELIMINARY PROGRAM OVERVIEW 11-14 June 2024

HALL	Brussels / Paris	Rome	Athens
Wednesday June 11, 2025			
16:00	Opening		
16:10	Keynote 1: Knowing the past, looking to the future: the importance of international collaboration in advancing medical knowledge - David Louis (Boston, MA, USA)		
17:00	Welcome Reception at the MECC		
Thursday June 12, 2025			
08:30	Keynote 2: AI-guided neuro-oncological pathology; towards the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth? Felix Sahm (Heidelberg, Germany)		
09:15	SY1: cIMPACT-NOW updates	SY2: Pathology, genetics and animal models in titinopathies	SY3: Epilepsy and neurodevelopmental disorders: novel tools to study the molecular and functional network complexity
10:45	Coffee & Tea Break Exhibits Posters		
11:00	WS1: Neuromuscular cases	WS2: Novel methods in neuropathological neurodegenerative research	WS3: Leukodystrophy case discussions
12:30	Lunch Break		
13:30	SY4: Movement disorders	SY5: Infectious encephalitis	SY6: CNS vasculitis/stroke
15:00	Coffee & Tea Break Exhibits Posters		
15:15	WS4: EPIC fails, continued	WS5: Small vessel disease	WS6: Developmental neuropathology: malformations
16:45	Keynote 3: A CCG expansion in ABCD3 causes oculopharyngodistal myopathy in individuals of European ancestry - Andrea Cortese (London, UK)		
17:30 18:15	Flash talks (from selected abstracts)	Flash talks (from selected abstracts)	Flash talks (from selected abstracts)
19:00	Congress Dinner (Bonniefonten Museum)		

Friday June 13, 2025			
08:30	Keynote 4: The pathogenesis of alpha-synucleinopathies - Wilma van de Berg, Amsterdam, the Netherlands		
09:15	SY7: Neuropathies / skin and nerve biopsy pathology	SY8: Alzheimer's disease and modern omics	SY9: Abusive head trauma in children and infants
10:45	Coffee & Tea Break Exhibits Posters		
11:00	WS7: Age estimation in traumatic changes in the CNS	WS8: Rapid (incl. intra-operative) molecular diagnostics of CNS tumors	WS9: What makes a good paper
12:30	Lunch Break Exhibits Posters		
13:30	SY10: Cancer neuroscience: Key to opening new therapeutic avenues?	SY11: Auto-immunity and MS	SY12: Breaking News
15:00	Coffee & Tea Break Exhibits Posters		
15:15	WS10: bridging Alzheimer's Disease (AD) and Frontotemporal Dementia (FTD)	WS11: Neuropathological diagnosis of pediatric CNS tumors; how to serve the patients the best we can?	WS12: Epilepsy: Low-grade developmental and epilepsy associated brain tumors
16:45	Keynote 5: Adaptive immune response in the brain in healthy and inflammatory conditions - Joost Smolders, Rotterdam, the Netherlands		
17:30-18:30	Flash talks (from selected abstracts)	Flash talks (from selected abstracts)	Flash talks (from selected abstracts)
Saturday June 14, 2025			
08:30	Keynote 6: Neural stem cells: origin, heterogeneity and regulation in the adult mammalian brain - Arturo Alvarez-Buylla, San Francisco, CA, USA		
09:15	SY13: Molecular diagnostics for identification of predictive markers/therapeutic targets in CNS tumors	SY14: Inflammation in neurodegeneration	SY15: The role of glia in neurodevelopmental disorders
10:45	Coffee & Tea Break Exhibits Posters		
11:00	WS13: Differential diagnosis of vacuolar myopathies and neuromyopathies	WS14: Professional matters	WS15: ALS- Understanding the spectrum of ALS and its genetically different forms
12:30	Awards and closing ceremony		

Neuro-oncology (P2, SY1, WS4, WS8, SY10, WS11, SY13)	Neuro-immunology (WS3, SY5, WS9, SY11, P5)
Neurodegeneration (WS2, SY4, P4, SY8, WS10, SY14, WS15)	Developmental neuropathology & epilepsy (SY3, WS6, WS12, P6, SY15)
Muscle & Nerve pathology (SY2, WS1, P3, SY7, WS13)	Miscellaneous: vascular / forensic np / breaking news / prof. topics (P1, SY6, WS5, SY9, WS7, SY12, WS14)