

## 8th EUROPEAN GI MOTILITY MEETING

Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> – Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> March 2018

The Grange St Pauls Hotel, London

### Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> March 2018

07.30 – 08.15 **Breakfast Company Symposium**

*TBC*

### Session: Gastro-oesophageal Junction and Stomach

*Chairs:*

*Professor Taher Omari, Flinders University, Adelaide, Australia*

*Dr Keith Lindley, Great Ormond Street Hospital, London, UK*

08.30 – 08.50 **pH/Impedance - gold or old?**

*Professor Rachel Rosen, Boston Children's Hospital and Harvard Medical School, Boston, USA*

08.50 – 09.10 **Assessment of gastric function**

*Dr Efstratios Saliakellis, Great Ormond Street Hospital, London, UK*

09.10 – 09.35 **Obesity and Functional GI Disorders**

*Professor Annamaria Staiano, University of Naples "Federico II", Naples, Italy*

09.35 – 10.00 **Gastroparesis in children**

*Dr Osvaldo Borrelli, Great Ormond Street Hospital, London, UK*

10.00 – 10.30 **Abstracts (3)**

*TBC*

10.30 – 11.00 **Coffee Break**

### Session: Small Intestine

*Chairs:*

*Dr Nikhil Thapar, Great Ormond Street Hospital & University College of London, London, UK*

*Professor Silvia Salvatore, University of Varese "Insubria", Varese, Italy*

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11.10 – 11.45 **KEYNOTE LECTURE**

**The Master Enteric Nervous System: lessons for disease**

Professor Vassilis Pachnis, Crick Institute, London, UK

11.45 – 12.05 **Antroduodenal manometry and MRI**

*Dr Osvaldo Borrelli, Great Ormond Street Hospital, London, UK*

12:05 – 12.30 **Paediatric Intestinal Pseudo-obstruction**

*Dr Nikhil Thapar, Great Ormond Street Hospital & University College of London, London, UK*

12.30 – 13.00 **Abstracts**

*TBC*

13:00 – 14.30 **Lunch and Poster Session**

### **Session: Key Players in GI motility: The Cutting Edge**

*Chairs:*

*Professor Charles Knowles, Queen Mary University of London, London, UK*

*Professor Carlo Di Lorenzo, Nationwide Children's Hospital, Columbus, Ohio, USA*

14.30 – 14.55 **Barrier Function**

Professor Michel Neunlist, University of Nantes, Nantes, France

14.55 – 15.20 **The Microbiome**

*Dr Niall Hyland, University College of Cork, Cork, Ireland*

15.20 – 15.45 **The Brain**

*Dr Adam Farmer, University Hospital of North Midlands, Stafford, UK*

15.45 – 16.10 **The Genes**

Professor Robert Hofstra, University of Rotterdam, Rotterdam, Netherlands

16.10 – 16.35 **Neuroimmune Interactions**

*Professor Giovanni Barbara, University of Bologna, Bologna, Italy*

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### **Session: Functional GI Disorders**

*Chairs:*

*Professor Marc Benninga, University of Amsterdam and Emma Children's Hospital AMC,  
Amsterdam, Netherlands*

*Professor Licia Pensabene, University of Catanzaro "Magna Grecia", Catanzaro, Italy*

16.55 – 17.25 **Functional Abdominal Pain Disorders**

*Professor Miguel Saps, Nationwide Children's Hospital, Columbus, Ohio, USA*

17.25 – 17.50 **Gastro-oesophageal Reflux Disease: the latest guidelines**

*Professor Yvan Vandenplas, University of Brussels, Brussels, Belgium*

17.50 – 18.10 **Cyclical Vomiting**

*Dr Keith Lindley, Great Ormond Street Hospital, London, UK*

18.10 – 18.35 **Rumination and Aerophagia**

*Dr Michiel van Wijk, University of Amsterdam, Amsterdam, Netherlands*

18.35 – 19.00 **Abstracts**

*TBC*

19:00 **Closing of the day**

20.00 – 22.00 **Conference Dinner**