

SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM

# Brain & Liver Paris Symposium

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Hepatology & Neurology  
European Meeting

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Thursday, October 13

12:00-13:00 Welcome buffet

13:00-13:15 **Introduction** • Dominique Thabut (France) & Nicolas Weiss (France)

13:15-14:45 **SESSION 1: NEUROLOGICAL MANIFESTATIONS AND VIRAL HEPATITIS**  
Chairs: Marc Bourlière (France), Vincent Thibault (France)

- > Fatigue, neurocognitive disorders and viral hepatitis
  - Patrice Cacoub (France)
- > Neurological manifestations of hepatitis E
  - Jean-Marie Peron (France)
- > HCV as a triggering agent for neurodegenerative disorders
  - Vincent Di Martino (France)

14:45-15:05 **CONFERENCE: OUTPATIENT SCREENING OF NEUROLOGICAL COMPLICATIONS OF LIVER DISEASES: THE MODEL OF FIBROSIS DETECTION**  
▪ Thierry Poynard (France)

15:05-15:30 Coffee break

15:30-17:00 **SESSION 2: PATHOPHYSIOLOGY OF HEPATIC ENCEPHALOPATHY**  
Chairs: Yvon Calmus (France), Stanislas Pol (France), Tarek Sharshar (France)

- > Pathophysiology of hepatic encephalopathy: ammonemia, brain oedema, inflammation
  - Rajiv Jalan (United Kingdom)
- > Blood-brain barrier: implication in hepatic encephalopathy
  - Pierre-Olivier Couraud (France)
- > Inflammation & neurodegeneration: the multiple sclerosis model
  - Catherine Lubetzki (France)

17:00-18:00 **CONTROVERSY: ARE THERE ANY SEQUELLAE OF HEPATIC ENCEPHALOPATHY AFTER LIVER TRANSPLANTATION?**  
Chairs: Audrey Coilly (France), Claire Francoz (France), Olivier Scatton (France)  
▪ Sébastien Dharancy (France), Georges-Philippe Pageaux (France)

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Friday, October 14

09:00-09:30 Welcome coffee

09:30-11:00 **SESSION 3: DIAGNOSIS OF HEPATIC ENCEPHALOPATHY IN CLINICAL PRACTICE**  
Chairs: Christophe Bureau (France), Jean-François Cadranel (France), Richard Levy (France)

- > Overt hepatic encephalopathy in cirrhosis and acute liver failure: clinical and electrophysiological diagnosis, differential diagnosis
  - Sara Montagnese (Italy)
- > Minimal hepatic encephalopathy: prevalence and diagnosis
  - Jasmohan Bajaj (United States of America)
- > hyperammonemia and encephalopathy: beyond hepatic encephalopathy
  - Fanny Mochel (France)

11:00-11:30 Coffee break

11:30-12:30 **CONTROVERSY: AMMONEMIA, TO MEASURE IT OR NOT?**  
Chairs: Victor de Ledinghen (France), Vincent Leroy (France)

- Alexandre Louvet (France), Marika Rudler (France)

12:30-13:30 *Lunch*

13:30-15:00 **SESSION 4: NEW INSIGHTS IN HEPATIC ENCEPHALOPATHY**  
Chairs: Jean-Pierre Bronowicki (France), Lawrence Serfaty (France)

- > Neuroimaging and coma outcome: getting out of the black box
  - Louis Puybasset (France)
- > Sleep disorders, cirrhosis and hepatic encephalopathy
  - Smaranda Leu-Semenescu (France)
- > New treatments of hepatic encephalopathy
  - Rajiv Jalan (United Kingdom)

15:00 **Closing remarks** ▪ Dominique Thabut (France) & Nicolas Weiss (France)



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