

Hot Topics in Neurogastroenterology, Göteborg 30-31 August 2007

Thursday 30th August

13.00-13.15 Welcome
Magnus Simrén, Göteborg, Sweden

I. Inflammation and functional gastrointestinal disorders:

- 13.15-13.45 Post-infectious IBS: Prevalence, risk factors and pathophysiology.
Robin Spiller, Nottingham, UK
- 13.45-14.15 Is IBS an inflammatory disorder?
Hans Törnblom, Stockholm, Sweden
- 14.15-14.45 Mucosal Patch technology - a new way to assess inflammation and food sensitivity in the GI tract.
Gudjon Kristjansson, Reykavik, Iceland
- 14.45-15.15 Coffee Break
- 15.15-15.45 Translational neurogastroenterology: *To be decided*

II. Mechanisms behind symptoms in patients with functional gastrointestinal disorders.

- 15.45- 16.15 Gas-related symptoms in patients with IBS: Problems with transport or sensitivity?
Jordi Serra, Barcelona, Spain
- 16.15-16.45 Pain in patients with functional GI disorders: Is it all in the brain?
Qasim Aziz, London, UK
- 16.45-17.15 Relationship between pathophysiological alterations and symptom pattern in IBS.
Magnus Simrén, Göteborg, Sweden
- 19.00 Course dinner

Friday 31st August

III. Gastroesophageal reflux and functional oesophageal disorders

- 08.00-08.30 Combined pH and impedance measurement in the management of patients with reflux symptoms.
Albert Bredenoord, Utrecht, Netherlands
- 08.30-09.00 Patients with reflux symptoms not responding to PPI treatment: How common is it and why does it exist?
Magnus Ruth, Gothenburg, Sweden
- 09.00-09.30 Mechanisms behind reflux symptoms not responding to PPI treatment.
Albert Bredenoord, Utrecht, Netherlands
- 09.30-10.00 Non-cardiac chest pain: New insights into potential causes.
Qasim Aziz, London, UK.
- 10.00-10.30 Coffee Break

IV. Management of patients with severe motility disorders

- 10.30-11.00 Treatment of severe gastroparesis
Hasse Abrahamsson, Göteborg, Sweden
- 11.00-11.30 Chronic Intestinal Pseudoobstruction: Diagnosis and treatment.
Greger Lindberg, Stockholm, Sweden
- 11.30-12.00 Management of patients with anorectal dysfunction.
Paul Enck, Tübingen, Germany
- 12.00-12.30 Small intestinal transplantation: Current results and indications.
Gustaf Herlenius, Göteborg, Sweden

Where?: Medicinareberget, Medicinaregatan 3, Göteborg, Sweden; Room "Birgit Thilander"

Organizers: European Society of Neurogastroenterology & Motility; SU/Sahlgrenska

Fee: 1000 SEK –includes course dinner and coffee during breaks.

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