

# Hannover

12th European Conference on Tourette Syndrome and Tic Disorders

Annual Meeting of the European Society for the Study  
of Tourette Syndrome

Hannover, GERMANY | May 15-17, 2019

The logo for the European Society for the Study of Tourette Syndrome (ESSTS) features the acronym 'ESSTS' in a large, white, serif font. The letters are set against a background of horizontal lines of varying lengths, creating a stylized, architectural appearance. The entire logo is contained within a white square with a subtle drop shadow.

PRELIMINARY PROGRAMME

May 15th			
10:00-16:00	<b>EMTICS session</b> Organizers: Pieter Hoekstra Davide Martino		
13:00-16:00	<b>Behavioural therapy for tic disorders: from assessment to treatment (English)</b> Speakers Zsanett Tarnok Katrin Woitecki Jolande van der Griendt Cara Verdellen	<b>HRT workshop (German language)</b> Speakers: Katrin Woitecki	<b>Patient Advocacy session</b> Organizer: Suzanne Dobson
17:00-17:45	<b>Nature and control of explosive outbursts - an update: Julie Leclerc</b>		
18:00-19:00	<b>Opening ceremony and key note lecture: Hugo Critchley</b> Interoception, social stimulation and inhibition: Interacting brain mechanisms influencing the expression of tics		
19:00- ...	<b>Welcome reception at the Crowne Plaza Hotel</b>		

May 16th			
Time	Session	Topics	Speaker
9:00-9:45	Lecture	Pathophysiology of TS for non-pathophysiologists	Yulia Worbe
9:45-10:30	Lecture	Genetics of TS for non-geneticists	Christel Depienne
10:30-11:15	lecture	Refractory TS	Davide Martino
11:15-11:45	Coffee break		
11:45-13:00	EMTICS lecture	Results from EMTICS <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Is TS caused by streptococci?</li> <li>• Is TS an autoimmune disease?</li> </ul> Plus, oral presentations: important results from EMTICS	Pieter Hoekstra, Davide Martino
13:00-14:00	Lunch break		
14:00-15:00	Key note lecture	New AAN guidelines for the treatment of TS	Tamara Pringsheim
15:00-16:00	Lecture	How to dismantle the circle of tension and tics?	Julie Leclerc
16:00-16:30	Coffee break		
16:30-18:00	Oral presentations from submitted abstracts	All topics	
18:00-19:00	<b>GENERAL ASSEMBLY MEETING</b>		
From 20:00	<b>Congress DINNER</b>		

## May 17<sup>th</sup>

Time	Session	Topics	Speaker
9:00-9:45	Key note lecture	Functional movement disorders	Selma Aybeck
9:45-11:00	Podium discussion including discussion with the audience	How to differentiate tics, stereotypies, functional tike-like movements  Introduction with patient videos	Moderator: Kirsten Müller-Vahl Discussans: Danielle Cath Christos Ganos Tammy Hedderly Selma Aybeck Jeremy Stern Renata Rizzo
11:00-11:30	Coffee break		
11:30-12:30	Controversy: Pro/con Discussion with audience Followed by a poll	Is it time to rename Tourette's?	Moderator: Andrea Cavanna Pro: Kirsten Müller-Vahl Con: Andreas Hartmann
12:30-13:30	Lunch break		
13:30-14:30	Lecture	Best papers of last year! -> Where is the field headed?	Kevin Black
14:30-16:00	Oral presentations from submitted abstracts	All topics	
16:00-16:30	Coffee break		
16:00-17:30	CLINICAL ROUNDS		Co-Chairs: Liselotte Skov, Tammy Hedderly
17:30	<b>PRIZES &amp; AWARDS - CLOSING CEREMONY</b>		

