



Irish Pain Society
(Chapter of the International Association for the Study of Pain)

18th Annual Scientific Meeting
Saturday, 20th October 2018
Venue: Health Science Building, University College Dublin



Theme	Excellence in Pain Education	
9:00 – 9:10	Opening Address	Ms. Joanne O'Brien President IPS
Session 1	Chairperson: Dr. Therese O'Connor	
9:10 – 9:50	Dr. Ipek Yalcin (Basic Science) 'Multiple faces of pain: preclinical research, education and outreach'	
9:50 – 10:30	Ms. Felicia Cox (Nursing) 'Bridging the gap between knowledge and pain practice'	
10.30 – 10.40	Trade Presentation	
10:40 – 11:10	<i>Coffee Break, Trade Exhibition & Poster Viewing</i>	
Session 2	Chairperson: Dr. Brendan Conroy	
11:10 – 11:50	Prof. Hans-Georg Kress (Medicine) 'Is an opioid epidemic out there – and can we immunize against it?'	
11:50 – 12:30	Dr. Cormac Ryan (Physiotherapy) 'Pain neurophysiology education – the patient's perspective'	
12:30 – 13:10	Dr. Jeff Breckon (Psychology) 'Supporting behaviour change in pain management using motivational interviewing: conversations about change'	
13:10 – 13:20	Trade presentation	
13:20– 14:30	<i>Lunch and Trade Exhibition</i>	
Session 3	Chairperson: Prof. Brona Fullen	
14.30– 15.10	Irish Pain Research Network (IPRN) Symposium Data Blitz	(Room 1)
15.10– 15:30	Overview of the EFIC position paper on cannabis-based medicines and medical cannabis for chronic pain management. Prof. David Finn	(Room 1)
Session 4	Chairperson: Dr. Edward O'Sullivan	
15.30 – 16.00	Opioid Prescribing Masterclass: Prof. Hans-Georg Kress	(Room 1)
16:00– 17.00	Ultrasound-Guided Regional Anaesthesia Masterclass: Faculty: Dr. Tadhg Lynch, Dr. Alex Mudrakouski, Dr. David Moore	(Practical Room 3rd Floor)
IPRN	Chairperson: Prof. Brian McGuire	
15.30 – 17.00	Irish Pain Research Network (IPRN) Symposium Theme: Harnessing health technology for improved management of pain (Room 2) Speakers: Dr. Brian Slattery, Dr. Dearbhla Burke	
16.00 – 17.00	Chartered Physiotherapist in Pain - Inaugural Meeting Chairperson: Mr. Niall Halliday	(Room 1)
17.00 – 17.30	Award Pain Research Prizes Award IPS Nurse Education Medal	
17:30	IPS AGM 2018	



6 CPD Points Approved/ NMBI Approval pending/ Psychology 4 CPD Points
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