Forum Discussions

These novel Fora, in WEF-style format, will bring together corporate participants, neuroscientists and clinicians with outstanding experience in "hottest" research topics in the field of neurodegeneration to discuss the impact of newest preclinical results and cutting edge clinical findings on understanding and treatment development of neurodegenerative disorders. The objective is to exchange novel insights, challenges and solutions on the joint path forward to defining the future of Alzheimer's and Parkinson's therapeutics.

Each forum will be a moderated discussion with maximum 3 minutes introduction statement from each participant followed by questions from the audience. The forum is also open for journalists from different media, including lay press in and may report on progress made by the leaders in this field.**Forum Date & TitleCo-ModeratorsDiscussantsWednesday, March 6, 2024 | 14:30-15:30BLOOD-BASED BIOMARKERS (BBM) - HOW DO THEY RELATE TO CSF, DIGITAL TOOLS, AND IMAGING BIOMARKERS?Melissa Murray**

Oskar HanssonMichael Pontecorvo Charlotte Teunissen Agneta Nordberg Pallavi Sachdev Danielle Graham Howard FillitWednesday, March 6, 2024 | 15:35-16:35IMMUNOTHERAPIES IN AD - WHAT ARE THE PRESENT CHALLENGES AND FUTURE **BENEFITS**?Robert Vassar Suzanne HendrixChad Swanson John Sims (Eli Lilly) **Philip Scheltens** Takeshi Iwatsubo Stephen SallowayThursday, March 7, 2024 | 17:30-18:30NEW INSIGHTS IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF BIOMARKERS, IMAGING, AND THERAPY OF ALPHA-SYNUCLEIN, LRKK2, AND GBA PATHOLOGIES Jamie Eberling Walter Koroshetz Fabrizio Stocchi Werner Poewe Pamela McLean

Maria Maccecchini John Alam Gennaro Pagano Zdenek BergerFriday, March 8, 2024 | 16:20-17:20TRANSLATIONAL DRUG **DEVELOPMENT IN AD (PHASE I-III) AND RELEVANCE FOR TREATMENT** AND DISEASE MODIFICATION - WHAT COULD BE PROMISING **STRATEGIES**?Jeffrey Cummings Howard FillitSuzanne Hendrix Luka Kulic Jaren Landen Frank Longo Miia Kivipelto Chad SwansonFriday, March 8, 2024 | 17:30-18:30ANTI-TAU THERAPIES IN CLINICAL TRIALS - WHAT ARE THE CHALLENGES AND **OPPORTUNITIES FOR A RATIONAL THERAPY?**Marc Diamond Luc BueeClaude Wischik Virginia Lee **Bradley Hyman** Larisa Reyderman Melanie SchulmanSaturday, March 9, 2024 | 14:10-15:10THERAPY FOR AD, PD & LBD: MAJOR ETIOLOGICAL UNANSWERED QUESTIONS, MISSING TARGETS, AND FUNCTIONAL MARKERSManfred Windisch Cynthia LemereTodd Golde **Diane Bovenkamp** Michael Heneka Jie Shen Tomislav BabicSaturday, March 9, 2024 | 15:20-16:20DRUG **DEVELOPMENT & BIOMARKERS IN RARE CNS DISEASES (ALS, FTD):** FROM BASICS TOWARD APPROVAL - WHAT COULD BE PROMISING **STRATEGIES**?Laura Ranum Angela Genge Klaus Gerwert **Toby Ferguson** Manuela Neumann Maria Grazia Spillantini Tamara Shiner