



Meeting in Edinburgh, Scotland

Thursday-Friday, October 30 - 31, 2025

Meeting Venue: Playfair Library in Old College, University of Edinburgh (South Bridge, Edinburgh EH8 9YL)

Thursday, 30th October

12:00 ARRIVAL AND LUNCH

12:45 Welcome *Frank Jessen, Sebastiaan Engelborghs, Tom Russ*

13:00 Host lectures *Moderator: Lutz Frölich*

- Junior researcher lecture: Lucy Stirland: Physical multimorbidity in dementia: Current perspectives and future challenges (15+5 min.)
- Senior researcher lecture: Joanna Wardlaw: Clinical trial approaches to reduce vascular aspects of cognitive decline and dementia (15+5 min.)

13:40 Cabinet Secretary for Health and Social Care from the Scottish Government, Neil Gray MSP, Welcome note

13:55 Industry presentation *Moderator: Merce Boada*

- Roche Pharma (Rosanna Tortelli): The GABriella study: a phase IIA study investigating a γ -secretase modulator in individuals at risk for, or at the prodromal stage of Alzheimer's disease (30+15 min.)
- Eli Lilly (Saygin Gonderten): Turning Early Detection into Clinical Value: Research in Alzheimer's Disease. (30+15 min.)

15:25 Announcement

- Federica Ribaldi: ICOPAD26, Geneva in February 2026 (<https://www.icopad.ch/en/edition-2025/icopad>)

15:30 COFFEE break

16:00 EADC symposium *Moderator: Pierre Jean Ousset*

- Andrea Chincarini: Brief overview on artificial Intelligence in Neuropsychology (20+10 min.)
- Mike Weiner (online): Fully automated conversational voice agents will revolutionize clinical research trials, and routine care: the voice CDR is a first use case (20+10 min.)
- Rik Vandenberghe: AI-based speech analysis in early AD (20+10 min.)

17:30 Report of the RRFS Exchangees *Moderator: Sebastiaan Engelborghs*

- Esther Brill (Bern - Stavanger) (10 min.)
- Laure Debroux (Liege - King's College, London) (10 min.)
- Aziz Debain (Brussels - Stavanger) (10 min.)

18:00 Closing day 1

20:00 DINNER: Playfair Library in Old College, University of Edinburgh (South Bridge, Edinburgh EH8 9YL)

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08:30 Governance session

Moderator: Gunhild Waldemar

- Annual report of the executive Committee 2024 (20 min.)
 - Adoption of the (1) annual report 2024 and (2) minutes from Fall meeting 2024
 - Scientific activities and promotion of young researchers (Frank Jessen)
 - Statement on memberships (Frank Jessen)
 - Upcoming meetings (Frank Jessen)
 - Update electronic repository (Andrea Chincarini)
- Annual financial report 2024 (Lutz Frölich) (10 min.)
 - Statement from the auditors: Marina Boban and Kristian Steen Frederiksen (5 min.)
 - Adoption of the financial report 2024 (5 min.)
 - Adoption of the annual membership fee for (1) full members 2026 and (2) associate industry members 2026 (Lutz Frölich) (5 min.)
- Miscellaneous (15 min.)

09:15 Updates and Initiatives

Moderator: Nick Scarmeas

- Frank Jessen: Update on InRAD (10 min.)
- Kristian Steen Frederiksen: Update on Appropriate Use Recommendations for Lecanemab and Donanemab: an EADC consensus paper (10 min.)
- Yann Jacot: A proposal for an AI-powered educational initiative of the EADC on diagnostic criteria for Alzheimer's disease (10 min.)
- Pieter-Jelle Visser: ongoing projects, upcoming calls (10 min.)

10:00 COFFEE break

10:30 Young researcher Symposium

Moderator: Sebastiaan Engelborghs

- Atef Badji (Karolinska Institute Stockholm): Towards validation in clinical routine: a comparative analysis of visual MTA ratings versus combinostics-computed volumetric measures of hippocampal volumes and inferior lateral ventricles in participants from a Swedish memory clinic (10+5 min.)
- Daniel Kjaergaard (Copenhagen University Hospital - Rigshospitalet): Identifying Alzheimer's disease by combining plasma p-tau217 and cross-cultural cognitive tests in an ethnically diverse mixed memory clinic cohort (10+5 min.)
- Aziz Debain (VUB, Brussel): Supine blood pressure and Alzheimer's disease CSF biomarkers are independently associated with leukoaraiosis: preliminary results from a cross-sectional study (10+5 min.)
- Michelle Gerards (University Clinics, Cologne) Paradigm Shift toward Predictive Medicine in Alzheimer's Disease: Insights from the PreTAD Study (10+5 min.)
- Nikolaos Giagkou (University of Athens) Longitudinal association of polygenic risk score for plasma t-tau with incident Alzheimer dementia and mild cognitive impairment (10+5 min.)

11:45 New centers

Moderator: Eric Westman

- Innocenzo Rainero, Memory Clinic, University of Torino (10+5 min.)
- Anne-Brita Knapkog, Memory Clinic, Department of Geriatric Medicine, Oslo University Hospital (10+5 min.)

12:15 Summary & Closing

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12:30 LUNCH