

Hosted in collaboration with the Global Brain Health Institute and featuring the Atlantic Fellows for Equity in Brain Health.

**Sao Paulo, Brazil
April 10-12, 2019**

Day 1

9-9:25 a.m.

Welcome Address

Harry Johns, president and CEO, Alzheimer's Association
Victor Valcour, executive director, GBHI
Rodrigo Schultz, ADI Brazil

9:25-9:30 a.m.

Maria Carrillo, Alzheimer's Association

9:30-10 a.m.

Current Trends and Challenges on Dementia Practice in Latin America
Ricardo Nitrini (Brazil)

Session 1: Epidemiology of Cognitive Impairment and Dementia Across Latin America

Session Leader: Wendy Weidner (UK)

10-10:20 a.m.

Latin America Population Based Studies of Cognitive Impairment and Dementia:
State of the Science
Juan Jesús Llibre Rodriguez (Cuba)

10:20-10:40 a.m.

Different Causes of Dementia: Clinical and Pathological studies
Claudia Kimie Suemoto (Brazil)

10:40-11 a.m.

Risk Factors and Epidemiology in Mexico
Mariana Longoria Ibarrola (Mexico)

11-11:30a.m.

BREAK

Session 2: Tailor-Made Harmonization for Epidemiological and Clinical Dementia Studies Across Latin America

Session Lead: Wendy Weidner (UK)

11:30-11:50 a.m.

Meta-Analytic Approach of the Epidemiological Population-Based Dementia
Studies in Latin America: Methodological Clinimetric Similarities, and
Differences.
Ana Luisa Sosa (Mexico)

11:50-12:10 p.m.

Proposal for a Tailor-Made Harmonization for Latin American Epidemiological
Dementia Studies.
Cleusa Pinheiro Ferri (Brazil)

- 12:10-12:30 p.m. Epidemiological Investigations in Diverse Populations in USA
Hector Gonzalez (USA)
- 12:30-12:50 p.m. Proposal for a Tailor-Made Harmonization for Latin American Clinical Dementia Studies
Sonia Maria Dozzi Brucki (Brazil)
- 12:50-1:10 p.m. **Panel of Sessions 1 and 2 Speakers**
Moderator: Wendy Weidner
- 1:10-1:15 p.m. **Wendy Weidner, ADI Global**
- 1:15-2:30 p.m. **LUNCH AND POSTERS**
- 2:30-3:30 p.m. **Lightning Poster Presentations**
- 3:30-4 p.m. **BREAK**

Session 3: Early, Specific Diagnosis of Alzheimer's and Dementia Challenges in Clinical Practice Across Latin America

Session Leader: Mario Parra, (UK)

- 4-4:20 p.m. Rural vs Urban Populations, Literacy and other Issues related to Assessment of Functional Impairment: Challenges (title to be adjusted)
Andrea Slachevsky (Chile)
- 4:20-4:40 p.m. Adaptation/New tools for Neuropsychological Assessments: Challenges in Latin America
Teresa Torralva (Argentina)
- 4:40-5 p.m. Imaging biomarkers
Yakeel Quiroz (USA)
- 5-5:20 p.m. What Does Biomarker Utilization Look like in Clinical Practice in Latin America
Orestes Forlenza (Brazil)
- 5:20-5:40 p.m. **Panel of Session 3 Speakers**
Moderator: Mario Parra, (UK)
- 5:40-5:45 p.m. **Day 1 Closing Remarks**
Paulo Caramelli, (Brazil)
- 5:45-7:30 p.m. **POSTER SESSIONS AND RECEPTION**
(POSTER VIEWING FROM 6- 7 p.m.)

DAY 2

8:30-8:45 a.m. **Welcome Day 2**
Heather Snyder, Alzheimer's Association

8:35-8:45 a.m. **WHO/PAHO UPDATE**

8:45-8:50 a.m. **Victor Valcour, Executive Director, GBHI**

8:50-9:20 a.m. **Keynote: Why Care and Caring Matters**
Brian Lawlor (Ireland)

Session 4: Collaboration across countries in Latin America - GBHI Contributors

Session Leader: Lea Grinberg, (USA)

9:20-9:40 a.m. **GBHI as a Model of Training Across LATAM and Fostering Collaboration**
Bruce Miller (USA)

9:40-10 a.m. **Clinical Trials and Cross-Country Collaboration**
Paulo Henrique Ferreira Bertolucci (Brazil)

10-10:20 a.m. **Latin-American Consortium on Dementia**
Agustin Ibañez (Argentina)

10:20-10:45 a.m. **BREAK**

10:45-11:05 a.m. **STRiDE**
Adelina Comas (UK) and TBD

11:05-11:30 a.m. **Panel of Session 4 Speakers**
Moderator: Lea Grinberg (USA)

11:30-12:30 p.m. **Lightning Session Posters**

12:30-2 p.m. **LUNCH AND POSTERS**

Session 5: Amplifying Community Activation in Dementia: An Equity Based Approach

Session Leader: GBHI Led Session

2-3:10 p.m. **TBD**

3:10-3:40 p.m. **BREAK**

Session 6: Neuropsychiatric Symptoms (BPSD) and Social Determinants/Health Inequalities and Burden of Cog Impairment of Dementia

Session Leader: Ricardo Allegri (Argentina)

- 3:40-4 p.m. Tropical Infections and Dementia
Paulo Caramelli (Brazil)
- 4-4:20 p.m. BPSD Management
Fernando Taragano (Argentina)
- 4:20-4:40 p.m. Literacy and Cognitive Impairment
Elisa de Paula França Resende (Brazil)
- 4:40-5 p.m. Gender and Dementia
Claudia Miranda (Chile)
- 5-5:20 p.m. Poverty/Health Economics
TBD
- 5:20-5:40 p.m. Panel of Session 6 Speakers**
Moderator: Ricardo Allegri (Argentina)
- 5:40-5:45 p.m. Day 2 Closing Remarks**
Andrea Slachevsky (Chile)
- 5:45-7:30 p.m. POSTER SESSIONS AND RECEPTION**
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DAY 3

8:30-8:40 a.m. WELCOME DAY 3
Claudia Ramos (Colombia)

Session 7: Emerging Research on Diagnosis & Causes of Neurodegeneration and Dementia

Session Leader: Brian Lawlor (Ireland)

- 8:40-9 a.m. Possibility of Development of Emerging Biomarkers in Latin America
Ricardo Allegri (Argentina)
- 9 -9:20a.m. Genetics of Dementia: Insights from Latin America
Claudia Ramos (Colombia)
- 9:20-9:40a.m. Emerging Neuropathological Comorbidities, TDP43 and CTE
Lea Tenenholz Grinberg (USA)
- 9:40-10 a.m. Emerging Research/Latin America Finger
TBD
- 10-10:30a.m. BREAK AND CHECKOUT**

Session 8: Clinical Studies in LATAM MODELS OF CARE

Session Lead: WHO/PAHO Rep

10:30-10:50 a.m. Diagnosis and Management of Dementia in Primary Care
Natalia Acosta-Baena (Colombia)

10:50-11:10 a.m. Rehabilitation in Cognitive Impairment
Mônica Sanches Yassuda (Brazil)

11:10-11:30 a.m. How to Reduce Stigma in Dementia in Latin America
Jean Gajardo (Chile)

11:30-11:50 a.m. **Panel of Sessions 7 and 8 Speakers**
Moderator: WHO/PAHO Rep

11:50-Noon **Closing Remarks:**
Ricardo Nitrini
Maria Carrillo
Victor Valcour

Noon **Adjourn and Boxed Lunch**