

Thirteenth London International Cough Symposium 2024

13th LICS 2024

‘Chronic cough as a disease’

18-19 July 2024

Course Director: Prof Fan Chung

Venue:

Huxley Building

Imperial College London

Exhibition Road,

London SW7 2AZ

Day 1: Thursday 18 July 2024

08.20 Welcome

Session 1 08.30	Disease phenotypes of chronic cough Chair	
	Asthma and cough variant asthma	Kefang Lai, Guangzhou, China
	Idiopathic pulmonary fibrosis	Philip Molyneaux, Imperial College, London
	Bronchiectasis	Weijie Guan, Guangzhou, China
	Cerebellar ataxia with neuropathy and vestibular areflexia (CANVAS)	Laurent Guilleminault, Toulouse, France

10.35	Coffee break
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Session: 2	John Widdicombe lecture Chair: Fan Chung	
11.00	Chronic cough: Lessons from the past	Alyn Morice, Hull, UK
	Questions	

12.00	Lunch
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Session 3	Abstract presentation Chair:	
13.00	Questions and discussion	

14.30	Coffee break
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Session 4 15.00	Mechanisms of cough hypersensitivity syndrome Chair:	
	Central control of cough	Fujun Luo, Guangzhou, China
	Sensory nerve subtypes of the upper airway mucosa	Stephen Liberles, Harvard, US
	ATP release from the airway epithelium	Brendan Canning, Baltimore, US
	Central role for ATP in cough hypersensitivity	Stuart Mazzone, Melbourne, Australia
	Airway hydration and regulation of cough hypersensitivity	David Edwards, Boston, US

DAY 2: Friday 19 July 2024

Session 5: 08.30	Assessing the impact of cough Chair:	
	Chronic Cough: from symptom to disease	Woo-Jung Song, Ulsan Medical College, Seoul, Korea
	Patient-reported outcomes (PROs)	Surinder Biring, Kings College Hospital, London, UK
	Cough counts and relationship to PROs	Jacky Smith, Manchester, UK
	Measuring Cough hypersensitivity	Akio Niimi, Nagoya, Japan
	DISCUSSION	

10.30	Coffee break
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Session 6	Abstract 2 Chair:
11.00	Questions and discussion

12.30	Lunch
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Session 7 13.30	New approaches to understanding and treating cough Chair:	
	The value of continuous cough recordings	Fan Chung, London
	Managing the upper airways and laryngeal hypersensitivity	Jim Hull, London, UK
	Recent trials and tribulations of chronic cough	Lorcan McGarvey, Belfast, UK
	Future targets for chronic cough	TBA
	Discussion	

15.30	Coffee break
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Session 8 16.00	Management of chronic cough and chronic hypersensitivity Chair: Surinder Biring & Imran Satia	
	Chronic cough in children	Anne Chang, Brisbane, Australia
	Chronic cough in adults	Sean Parker, North Shields, UK
	Chronic productive cough	Matthew Martin, Nottingham, UK
	Post-infectious/post-COVID cough	Peter Dicipinigaitis, New York, US
	Discussion	

18.15	Close of the meeting
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