

Neuro-Oncology Conference, Thurs 2nd-Fri 3rd May 2013
Beatson Institute for Cancer Research,
Garscube Estate, Bearsden, Glasgow G61 1BD

Programme Day One – Neuro-Oncology: Thursday 2nd May

Time	Speaker	Subject
1000-1030		Coffee and Registration
1030-1040	Adrienne (ICPV) and Helen Bulbeck (brainstrust)	Welcome to the day Aims of the day Who are <i>ICPV</i> and <i>brainstrust</i> ?
1040-1130	Mary Fraser - CNS Neuro-oncology Mairi MacKinnon - CNS Neuro-oncology	The role of the clinical nurse specialist
1130-1215	Allan James - Neuro-Oncologist The Beatson Cancer Centre	From diagnosis to planning the treatment pathway
1215-1300	Andres Kulla - Consultant Neuropathologist, Southern General Hospital	Brain tumour tissue collection – why is it needed, what happens to the tissue?
1300-1415	All	Lunch <i>Laboratory tour 1 1330-1400 (guides tbc)</i>
1415-1500	Anthony Chalmers - Chair of Clinical Oncology (Clinical Trials Research), The Beatson Cancer Centre	Adjuvant therapies in brain cancer
1500-1545	Robin Grant - Consultant Neurologist, Edinburgh	What is brain cancer and why is it so difficult to treat?
1545-1715	All	Afternoon tea and networking <i>Laboratory tour 2 1600-1630, tour 3 1630-1700 (guides tbc)</i>
1900	All	Drinks and dinner – Paperinos, Byres Rd

Programme Day Two – Chemotherapy: Friday 3rd May

Time	Speaker	Subject
0900-0920	All	Coffee and registration
0920-0930	Helen Bulbeck/Maggie Wilcox	Aims of the day
0930-1015	Brian Clark - Neuro-Oncologist, Beatson Cancer Centre	The role of chemotherapy in the treatment of cancer
1015-1100	Ally Rooney - Neuro-oncology Research Fellow, Edinburgh	The impact of a brain tumour diagnosis and the need for research in psycho-social aspects
1100-1130	All	Coffee and rest break
1130-1215	Willie Stewart - Consultant Neuropathologist, Honorary Clinical Associate Professor	Stratified medicine
1215-1345	All	Lunch Laboratory tour 4 12.30-1300, tour 5 1300-1330 (guides tbc)
1345 - 1400	Jim Elliott and Helen Bulbeck	PPI in clinical trial design and how to write a lay summary
1400-1600	Dragons Den	Opportunity for researchers with a proposed clinical trial who need good PPI involvement to work with ICPV
1600 - 1615	Chair/all	Tea and finish

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