Report of the Programme

Adrian Wong
Chair of the Vascog 2018 Scientific Committee
Some statistics of VasCog 2018 - I

- 4 Preconference workshops
- 6 Symposium themes
- 1 VasCog Plenary lecture + 4 Special sessions
- Total no. of talks: 51, 40+ speakers
- Numbers of abstracts received for the 6 themes: 219
- Number of posters to be presented during the lunch breaks on 15 & 16 Nov: 135
- Number of posters to be presented during the E-Poster Blitz Session: 52
- Young Investigators number: 21
- Travel Grant Awardees: 18
Some statistics of VasCog 2018 - II

- More than 400 Registered Delegates from 28 countries
- Around 240 delegates came on 14 Nov for the Pre-Congress Teaching Sessions
VASCOG 2018 PRE-CONFERENCE LECTURE
DEMENTIA ETIOLOGIES IN THE 21ST CENTURY

13 Nov 2018 (Tue)
6:00 – 7:00pm
Prince of Wales Hospital

Speaker
Professor Raj Kalaria

Chairman
Professor Vincent Mok

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Preconference Teaching Sessions – 14th November 2018

Neuroimaging in VCI

Majon Muller and Astrid Hooghiemstra

Clinical Management of VCI

Frank-Erik de Leeuw, Fergus Doubal and Marco Duering

Neuropsychology

David Libon

Basic Neurosciences

Owen Ko
## Main Sessions

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<td>Neuroimaging and other biomarkers in VCI</td>
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Vascog 2018 Plenary Speakers

SUVARNA ALLADI  DEBORAH GUSTAFSON  DAVID LIBON

INGMAR SKOOG  ERIC SMITH  VELANDAI SRIKANTH
### Special Sessions

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<td>Who Should Undergo a Comprehensive Cognitive Assessment After a Stroke? The GRECogVAS Cognitive Risk Score - Olivier Godefroy (France)</td>
<td>Cerebral Small Vessel Disease and Sleep Disorders - Jian Hui Fu (China)</td>
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<td>Methylphenidate Improves Executive Functioning in Patients with Vascular Cognitive Impairment – First Results of The STREAM-VCI Study - Jolien Leijenaar (Netherlands)</td>
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<td>Profile and Risk Factors of Post-Stroke Cognitive Impairment in Diverse Ethno-Regional Groups: An Individual Participant Data Meta-Analysis from the STROKOG Consortium - Jessica Lo (Australia)</td>
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<td><a href="#">The CARMELINA®-Cognition Substudy: A Randomised, Clinical Trial on Cognitive Outcomes of Linagliptin Versus Placebo in Patients with Type2 Diabetes and High Cardio-Renal Risk - Geert Jan Bissels (Netherlands)</a></td>
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<td>Meta-Analyses of Strategic Lesion Locations for Vascular Cognitive Impairment Using Lesion-Symptom Mapping – The Meta VCI Map Consortium - Nick Weaver (Netherlands)</td>
<td>Cerebral Small Vessel Disease and Brain Network Study - Qun Xu (China)</td>
<td><a href="#">Cerebral Small Vessel Disease and Brain Network Study</a></td>
<td>Intensive Versus Standard Blood Control on Cerebral Blood Flow in SVD: the PRESERVE (ASL) Trial - Hugh Markus (United Kingdom)</td>
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<td>Factors Associated with Mixed Dementia: Need for Clinical Criteria and Neuroimaging - Alberto Mimenza Alvarado and Sara Aguilar Navarro (Mexico)</td>
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<td>Ginkgo Biloba Extract EGb 761® Improves Cognition and General Condition in Patients who Suffered an Ischaemic Stroke – Results from a Pilot Study - Yanxin Zhao (China)</td>
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<td>Harmonization of MRI Protocols in a Cerebral SVD Multi-Centre Study - The ICOS - Bonnie Lam (Hong Kong) and Maxine Chen (Hong Kong)</td>
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## Debates I & II

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**Should silent stroke and high WMH burden be treated the same as symptomatic stroke?**

Moderator: Eric Smith  
Pro Team – Chris Chen & Vincent Mok  
Con Team – BJ Biessels & Sandra Black

**“Vessels OR tangles?” Do we really need diagnostic criteria for vascular and Alzheimer’s dementias?**

Moderator: Raj Kalaria  
Pro Team: Perminder Sachdev & Monique Breteler  
Con Team: Mark Bondi & Velandai Srikanth
Young Investigators

Thursday 15\textsuperscript{th} Nov
Young Investigators Oral Presentations (Grand Hall) 5-7pm
Mix n’ Chat (with light refreshing) 8-9pm

Saturday 17\textsuperscript{th} Nov, 12:30pm
Young Investigators Oral Presentation Award
Young Investigators Poster Presentation Award
Vascular Dementia in the developing world: A growing challenge

Friday 16th Nov
5pm, Grand Hall

Suvarna Alladi
BRAIN HEALTH BRINGS HEALTH SYMPOSIUM

ENDING DEMENTIA TOGETHER AND NOW

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Date: 17 Nov 2018 (Sat)
Time: 3:30pm – 5:30pm
Venue: Hong Kong Science Park

Speakers: Professor Vincent Mok
Professor Miia Kivipelto
Professor Philip Scheltens

Moderator: Dr Adrian Wong

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Congratulations to the VasCog 2018 Team!