

## WMS PRE-CONGRESS COURSE 2017

Institut de Myologie, Paris, France

Monday 2nd October 2017	
07:30	<b>Registration</b>
07.55	<b>Welcome and introduction</b>
08.00	<b>Learning from the clinical history and examination; adult-onset inherited and acquired muscle disease</b> - David Hilton-Jones
09.00	<b>How to perform a clinical examination of children. Systematic overview of patients presenting with floppy infant syndrome and diagnostic approach</b> - Carsten Bönnemann
10.00	<b>Value of muscle biopsy and information obtained</b> - Anders Oldfors and Norma Romero
11.00	<b>Refreshment break</b>
11.15	<b>Molecular diagnostic testing in clinical practice</b> - Anna Sarkozy
12.00	<b>Hereditary neuropathies; diagnostic approach</b> - Marianne de Visser
12.45	Lunch break
13.30	<b>Acquired polyneuropathies; diagnosis and treatment followed by Hands-on nerve conduction studies. The techniques for the performance of conduction studies on commonly examined individual upper and lower limb nerves will be illustrated with interpretation of the results</b> - Peter Van den Bergh
14.45	<b>Muscle strength and function assessment</b> - Carole Vuillerot
15.45	<b>Refreshment break</b>
16.00	<b>Delegates divide into groups for examination of live patients</b>
17.15	<b>Presentation of difficult, unusual or unsolved cases by participants</b>
18.30	<b>Finish</b>
20.00	<b>Dinner in a local restaurant</b>

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Tuesday 3rd October 2017	
08.30	<b>Limb girdle and distal muscle weakness, practical problem solving</b> - Marianne de Visser
09.30	<b>Metabolic myopathies including rhabdomyolysis – diagnostic approach and treatment</b> - Benedikt Schoser
10.15	<b>Pragmatic approach to treatable neuromuscular disorders in particular inflammatory myopathies and myasthenia gravis</b> - David Hilton-Jones
11.00	<b>Refreshment break</b>
11.15	<b>Neuromuscular problems in the ICU</b> - Max Damian
12.00	<b>Quiz to include clinical aspects, ancillary studies that might be useful, including pathology</b> - All Faculty
13.00	<b>End of course. Lunch bags and travel to Saint Malo for the congress</b>