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NEUROPROGRESSIVE

AND DEMENTIA

## **Celebrating Scottish Research Conference 2024**

Thursday 13 June 2024

Time	Item	Speakers	
10:00 - 10:30	Doors open		
	Registration, Tea, Coffee. Opportunity to view the poster boards and exhibits on display		
10:30-11:30	What's new in the Neuroprogressive and	Dr Tom Russ	
	Dementia Network/ Partners in Research/ ENRICH	SDRC Executive Committee Member	
		NRS Neuroprogressive and Dementia Network	
		University of Edinburgh	
		Dr Rosalie Ashworth	
		Patient & Public Involvement Lead	
		Neuroprogressive and Dementia Network	
	What's new in SDRC/ Brain Health ARC	Prof Terry Quinn	
		SDRC Chair	
		University of Glasgow	

	What's new in ENRICH	Prof Susan Shenkin
		University of Edinburgh
		Co-chair ENRICH Scotland
11:30-12:00	Alzheimer Scotland Student Research Programme	Kelly Kelly
		Alzheimer Scotland Centre for Policy and Practice
		University of the West of Scotland
		Dr Anna Jack-Waugh
		Alzheimer Scotland Centre for Policy and Practice
		University of the West of Scotland
		2023 Successful Applicants
12:00 - 13:00	Lunch Break	
	Lunch, tea/coffee snacks and the opportunity to	o view the poster boards and exhibits on display
13:00 - 14:00	Early Career Researcher Presentations	
14:00 - 14:30	MND SMART- Delivering Innovation for Definitive	Prof Suvankar Pal
	Trials in Motor Neurone Disease	Clinical Neurologist
		University of Edinburgh
14:30 - 15:00	Refreshment Break	
	Lunch, tea/coffee snacks and the opportunity to view the poster boards and exhibits on display	
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15:00	Updates on Research of other Neuroprogressive Diseases (including non-Alzheimer dementias)	

15:00 – 15:15	Motor Neurone Disease	Dr Jane Haley
		Director of Research
		MND Scotland
		Ms Susan Murray
		Person with lived experience
15:15 – 15:35	Parkinson's Disease	Dr Gordon Duncan
		University of Edinburgh
		Mr Stephen Brannan
		Person with lived experience
		James Jopling
		Director
		Parkinson's UK Scotland
		Dr Tom Gilbertson
		University of Dundee
15:35 – 15:50	Multiple Sclerosis	Dr Peter Foley
	-	University of Edinburgh
		Caitlin Astbury
		Research Communication Manager
		MS Society
		Person with lived experience
15:50 - 16:05	Huntington Disease	Dr Peter Foley
	-	University of Edinburgh
		Prof Louise McCabe
		Scottish Huntington's Association

		Person with lived experience
16:05 – 16:20	Vascular Disease	<b>Dr Fergus Doubal</b> University of Edinburgh
16:20-16:45	Updates on Research of other Neuroprogressive Diseases (including non-Alzheimer dementias) Q&A	
16:45-17:00	Announcement of prizes and close	