

Program

3rd Interuniversity Course in Algology October 19th - 24th, 2008

The third Interuniversity Course in Algology will be held in Spa from Sunday 19 until – Friday 24 October 2008. The multidisciplinary background of the international faculty and participants will guarantee an extensive and in-depth review of acute and chronic pain management. The full board course in the beautiful green scenery of Spa Nivezé will create a most appropriate and enjoyable experience for all participants

WHO SHOULD PARTICIPATE ?

Physicians with interest in multidisciplinary pain management (e.g. generalists, anaesthesiologists, physical medicine...). The scientific committee is willing to consider applications of alumni of this course and non-physicians (a written motivation + CV is mandatory). The number of participants will be limited to 40.

WHEN ?

From Sunday 19 October until Friday 24 October 2008

WHERE ?

Domaine de Nivezé, Spa, Belgium

Registration fee

Including: Syllabus and educational material
Accommodation in single or double rooms
All meals and coffee breaks, Social program,
Examination (facultative)
Physicians in practice: 1150 €
Physicians in training & non-physicians: 750 €
Alumni of the 1st and 2nd Interuniversity Course in Algology are entitled to a reduced rate of 650 € (all-in) However, this reduced rate is applicable only once.

REGISTRATION DEADLINE: JULY 1st 2008

Language

Most of the lectures and workshops are given separately in Dutch and French
Plenary sessions in English.

ORGANIZING SCIENTIFIC COMMITTEE

Prof. J. Devulder, UG
Prof. M. Faymonville, ULg
Dr. G. Hans, UA
Dr. N. Mathieu, ULB
Dr. B. Morlion, KUL
Prof. L. Plaghki, UCL
Prof. J. Poelaert, VUB

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Sunday October 19th, 2008

Start Time	End Time	Topic	Lecturer Dutch	Lecturer French	Lecturer English
15:00	16:00	Arrival and Registration			
16:00	16:30	Reception, welcome, short presentation by the director of the institute			
16:30	17:15	Historical Aspects of Pain Management			B. Morlion (KUL)
17:15	18:15	Taxonomy of Pain	J. Devulder (UG)	N. Mathieu (ULB)	
19:00	20:30	Dinner			
20:30	21:30	Pain as a Cultural Phenomen			M. Singleton (em. UCL)
21:30		Get together			

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Monday October 20th, 2008

Start Time	End Time	Topic	Lecturer Dutch	Lecturer French	Lecturer English
7:45	8:30	Breakfast			
8:30	9:15	Neurobiology Part 1	Camu (VUB)	L. Plaghki (UCL)	
9:15	10:15	Neurobiology Part 2	L. Plaghki (UCL)	Camu (VUB)	
10:15	10:30	Coffee Break			
10:30	12:00	Pharmacology of analgesics			F. Camu (VUB)
12:00	13:15	Lunch			
13:15	14:00	Myofascial Pain and Fibromyalgia			P. Van Wambeke (KUL)
14:00	14:45	Low Back Pain inclusive Red and Yellowflags	P. Van Wambeke (KUL)	M. Tomasella (Ulg)	
14:45	15:00	Coffee Break			
15:00	16:00	Multidimensional Assessment of Pain and Pain Measurement	G. Crombez (UG)	J. Grisart (UCL)	
16:00	16:45	Spinal Imaging			P. Parizel (UA)
16:45	18:15	Workshop Mindfulness			L. Mc Cracken
19:00		Dinner			L. Mc Cracken
20:30	21:30	Workshops: Mindfulness: Practical Exercises			L. Mc Cracken
20:30	21:30	Workshop Sensory Detection			L.Plaghki (UCL)

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Tuesday October 21st, 2008

Start Time	End Time	Topic	Lecturer Dutch	Lecturer French	Lecturer English
7:15	7:45	Demonstration of Therapeutic Exercises of Low Back Pain			T. Thysebaert (Nivezé)
7:45	8:30	Breakfast			
8:30	9:15	General Considerations of Acute Pain			TBA
9:15	10:00	Transition from Acute to Chronic Pain			M. De Kock (UCL)
10:00	10:15	Coffee Break			
10:15	11:00	Neuropathic Pain: General Issues, Etiology, Epidemiology, Clinical Diagnoses	G. Hans (UZA)	A. Berquin (UCL)	
11:00	12:00	Antineuropathic and Atypical Analgesics, including Psychotropics, Practical Issues	B. Morlion (KUL)	A. Joffroy (ULB)	
12:00	15:30	Lunch and walk (Petites Fagnes)			
15:30	16:15	Cancer Pain Syndromes	J. Menten (KUL)	D. Lossignol (ULB)	
16:15	16:30	Coffee Break			
16:30	17:15	Management of Cancer Pain	S. Brabant (Roeselare)	D. Libbrecht (Ulg)	
17:15	18:15	Primer in Palliative Care	J. Menten (KUL)	M. Faymonville (Ulg)	
18:15	19:00	Psychological Aspects of Pain: Practical Psychological Therapeutic Approaches	V. Callebaut (UZA)	I. Salamun (Ulg)	
19:00	20:30	Dinner			
20:30	21:30	Cognitive modulation of pain (inclusief placebo)			M. Faymonville (Ulg)

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Wednesday October 22nd, 2008

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7:15	7:45	Demonstration of Therapeutic Exercises of Low Back Pain			T. Thysebaert (Nivezé)
7:45	8:30	Breakfast			
8:30	9:15	Pain in systemic disease			S. Vanderschueren (KUL)
9:15	10:15	Peripheral Neuropathic Pain: Clinical Examination	G. Hans (UZA)	L. Plaghki (UCL)	
10:15	10:30	Coffee Break			
10:30	11:15	Pain in the Neck, Shoulder and Upper Extremity, including Whiplash	T. Parlevliet (UG)	M. Tomasella (Ulg)	
11:15	12:00	Manual Therapy	F. Descheemaeker (UG)	L. Haenecour (UCL)	
12:00	13:15	Lunch			
13:15	15:00	Clinical case	Faculty	Faculty	
15:00	15:45	Headache			J. Schoenen (Ulg)
15:45	16:00	Coffee Break			
16:00	17:30	Clinical case	Faculty	Faculty	
18:00	20:30	Social Event Thermes Spa			
21:00		Dinner			

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Thursday October 23rd, 2008

Start Time	End Time	Topic	Lecturer Dutch	Lecturer French	Lecturer English
7:45	8:30	Breakfast			
8:30	9:30	CRPS: a Multidisciplinary Problem			F. Huyghen (Rotterdam)
9:30	10:15	Low Back Pain: Evidence Based Approach			H. Nielens (UCL)
10:15	10:30	Coffee Break			
10:30	11:15	Substance Abuse and Addiction	S. Ansoms (KUL)	P. Schepens (UCL)	
11:15	12:00	Pain in the Cognitive Impaired and Elderly	N. Van den Noortgate (UG)	M-P Lecart (Ulg)	
12:00	13:15	Lunch			
13:15	14:00	Visceral Pain	J. Tack (KUL)	D. Hennart (ULB)	
14:00	14:45	Urogenital Pain, Pelvic Pain	K. Everaert (UG)	N. Mathieu (ULB)	
14:45	15:00	Coffee Break			
15:00	15:45	Pain in Newborns and Children			K. Allegaert (KUL)
15:45	16:45	Interventional Pain Management: an Evidence Based Approach			J. van Zundert (Genk)
16:45	17:15	Coffee Break			
17:15	18:15	Neurosurgical Intervention in Pain			B. Nuttin (KUL)
18:15	19:00	Coping Strategies for Pain Specialists: Watch Out: Burn Out!			A.S. Nyssen (Ulg)
19:30		Gastronomic Dinner			

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Friday October 24th, 2008

Start Time	End Time	Topic	Lecturer Dutch	Lecturer French	Lecturer English
7:45	9:00	Breakfast & Check-out			
9:00	10:30	Critical appraisal of Pain Literature & Principles of Evidence Based Medicine			M. Tramer (Geneva)
10:30	10:45	Coffee Break			
10:45	11:45	Interventional Pain Management I: Nerve Blocks			B. Morlion (KUL)
11:45	12:45	Interventional Pain Management II: Radiofrequency			K. Vissers (Nijmegen)
12:45		Lunch			
		Farewell			