

5th HRI International Homeopathy Research Conference

Cutting Edge Research in Homeopathy London, 16-18 June 2023

Conference Programme

Conference Registration

THURSDAY 15 JUNE 2023

18:00 – 20:00 Registration – Bridge Suite, Tower Hotel

18:30 – 20:00 Welcome Drinks – Bridge Suite, Tower Hotel

Day 1 - Cutting Edge Research in Homeopathy

FRIDAY 16 JUNE 2023

FULL DAY PLENARY SESSIONS

09:00 - 09:25 Opening Ceremony

Tower 2 + 3

09:25 – 10:30 Prof UBIRATAN ADLER, Brazil. *Challenges and solutions for conducting clinical trials on homeopathy for major depression and cocaine/crack use disorder*

Prof STEPHAN BAUMGARTNER, Switzerland. *Key results from 25 years of basic research into homeopathic potentisation*

10:30 - 11:00 Coffee

11:00 - 12:30 Mixed Session 1

Tower 2 + 3

Rachel Roberts, UK. *Scientific standards in homeopathy research: context is everything* **Prof Thomas Ostermann**, Germany. *Quality of health economic evaluations in homeopathy: overview of the last 30 years*

Dr Esther van der Werf, UK. Can homeopathy reduce antibiotic use while maintaining symptom control for acute otitis media? A systematic review and meta-analysis

Dr Roja Varanasi, India. A comparative randomised controlled trial of Homoeopathy vs Allopathy in acute otitis media & its recurrence in children

12:30 - 14:00 Buffet Lunch

14:00 – 15:20 Fundamental & Basic Research

Tower 2 + 3

Prof Leoni Bonamin, Brazil. Characterization of physicochemical markers of homeopathic medicines **Dr Christa Raak**, Germany. A study on stimulating effects of potentiated sulfur on neutrophil granulocytes from patients with periodontal inflammation and a healthy control group **Dr Leonardo Faedo**, UK. Dynamized high dilutions have plant bio-stimulation effect in strawberry plants

Dr Alexander Tournier and Rachel Roberts. Update from HRI

15:20 - 15:50 Coffee

15:50 - 16:50 Poster Talks





17:00 – 19:00 Poster Session & Drinks Reception

Tower 1

19:30

Dinner and Drinks, Dickens Inn, St Katharine's Dock

Day 2 - Cutting Edge Research in Homeopathy

SATURDAY 17 JUNE 2023

MORNING PLENARY SESSIONS

09:00 – 10:30 Agua-homeopathy & Fundamental Research

Tower 2 + 3

Dr ANTONIO LÓPEZ-CARVALLO, Mexico. *Highly diluted bioactive compounds in marine aquaculture: looking for sustainable practices*

Dr Steven Cartwright, UK. *Ten years of research on solvatochromic dyes and homeopathic potencies:* a summary of findings so far, together with recent results

Dr Alexander Tournier, Switzerland. *Fundamental research in homeopathy: considerations and recommendations*

10:30 - 11:00 Coffee

11:00 – 12:20 Clinical Research 1

Tower 2 + 3

Dr Katharina Gaertner, Germany. *Critical appraisal tool of homeopathic intervention studies* – *CATHIS*

Dr Rajesh Shah, Multicentric, Phase II/III DB-RCT of BiosimCovex against COVID-19 infection conducted in India shows preventative and immunomodulatory effects

Panel Discussion

12:30 - 14:00 Buffet Lunch

AFTERNOON PARALLEL SESSIONS

14:00 - 15:20 Cell & Plant Based Research

Tower 2 + 3

Annekathrin Ücker, Germany. Standard deviation as outcome parameter in plant-based test systems investigating homeopathic preparations in high potency levels

Dr Francesca Truzzi, Italy. Effects of homeopathic treatments on human cellular inflammation in vitro **Dr Maria Olga Kokornaczyk**, Switzerland. Self-assembled patterns formed in evaporating droplets to analyze the simple homeopathic bi-component complex Luffa 4x – Mercurius bijodatus 9x **Stéphanie Chanut**, France. Dynamized dilution of Ruta Graveolens disrupts plasma membrane organization and decreases migration of melanoma cancer cell

14:00 - 15:20 Clinical Research 2

Tower 1

Dr Harleen Kaur, India. Homoeopathy as an adjuvant to standard care in moderate and severe cases of COVID-19: a single-blind, randomized, placebo-controlled study

Dr Debadatta Nayak, India. *Efficacy of Arsenicum album 30C in prevention of COVID-19 in individuals residing in containment areas – a prospective, multicentre, cluster-randomized, parallel arm, community based, open-label study*

Drs Elizabeth Rice and Eleni Krommidas, USA. Homeopathic treatment of post-acute COVID-19 syndrome - a pilot double-blind randomized controlled trial

Dr Anupriya Chaudhary, India. Homoeopathy as adjuvant therapy to standard medical management in persons with Haemophilia (PWH) - a prospective, randomized double arm study





15:20 - 15:50 Coffee

15:50 - 17:10 Fundamental & Basic Research

Tower 2 + 3

Dr Pritam Goswami, India. *An in-vitro study exploring the therapeutic utility of Bryonia alba against SARS-CoV-2 Spike protein RBD induced cytokine imbalance in Gallus gallus domesticus embryo* **Prof Oskan Tasinov**, Bulgaria. *Ferrum phosphoricum D12 affects J774A.1 cells proliferation and transcription of inflammation, oxidative stress and iron metabolism related genes in conditions of LPS stimulation*

Paul Doesburg, Switzerland. *Cell phone emitted electromagnetic radiation nullifies specific effects of homeopathically prepared tin (Stannum metallicum 30x)*

Dr Daniel Wrzałko, Switzerland. *Effect of homeopathic potencies on chromatographic patterns of human blood in vitro (Kaelin's blood test)*

15:50 - 17:10 Mixed Session 2

Tower 1

Dr Esther van der Werf, UK. *Homeopathy and fever management: a scoping review* **Dr Bernd Seilheimer**, Germany. *Disease mapping as a tool to analyze the mode of action of multicomponent/multitarget medications*

Dr Michael Teut, Germany. Homeopathic research - do you believe in the evidence? **Dr Petra Weiermayer**, Austria. Recommendations for designing, conducting and reporting clinical observational studies in homeopathic veterinary medicine

19:30 – 00:00 Gala Dinner – Historic central London venue

Day 3 – Cutting Edge Research in Homeopathy

SUNDAY 18 JUNE 2023

09:10 - 10:30 Provings

Tower 2 + 3

Dr Irene Dorothee Schlingensiepen, Germany. Accuracy and comprehensiveness of provings can determine the quality and long-term outcomes of homeopathic prescriptions

Dr Peter Smith, Ireland. *Classical homeopathic provings in a highly-regulated environment:* reflections on a recent proving of Galium mollugo

Dr Jean-Lionel Bagot, France. *N-of-1 trials, a new clinical research methodology appropriate for homeopathic supportive care in oncology*

10:30 - 11:00 Coffee

11:00 - 12:20 Clinical Research 3

Tower 2 + 3

Dr Pascal Trempat, France. Benefits of homeopathic complementary treatment in breast cancer patients: a retrospective cohort study based on the French nationwide healthcare database (SNDS) **Prof Elio Rossi**, Italy. Homeopathy and complementary medicine in oncology in Tuscany Region (Italy): a successful integration in Public Health

Prof JENNIFER JACOBS, USA. 30 years of homeopathic research - lessons learned

12:30 Closing Ceremony

