

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 Leonardo Royal Hotel Tower Bridge, Foyer, Floor 1
- 18:30 20:00 Welcome Drinks Leonardo Royal Hotel Tower Bridge, Bartholomew, Floor 1

Day 1 – Cutting Edge Research in Homeopathy

FRIDAY 16 JUNE 2023

FULL DAY PLENARY SESSIONS

09:00 – 09:20 Opening Ceremony

09:20 – 10:30 Insights from over 20 years' experience 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

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 otitis media? A systematic review
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 – 15:10 Basic Research 1

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. The use of Homeopathy in agriculture and its plant biostimulation effect on the strawberry cropping system
Dr Alexander Tournier and Rachel Roberts. HRI Update



15:40 – 17:00 Clinical Research & Poster Talks

Dr Anupriya Chaudhary, India. *Homoeopathy as adjuvant therapy to standard medical management in persons with Haemophilia (PWH) – a prospective, randomized double arm study* **Dr Michael Teut**, Germany. *Homeopathic research - do you believe in the evidence?*

Poster Talks

Dr Deepti Singh, India. *Evaluation of adjunct homoeopathy treatment in COVID-19 hospitalised patients in Gujarat state during the first wave of COVID-19: a multicentric single-arm retrospective data analysis study*

Christoph Dombrowsky, Switzerland. *Theories and models on the mode of action of homeopathic remedies – a scoping review*

Dr Philippa Fibert, UK. A service evaluation of homeopathic treatment for those with long-COVID: the long-COVID POD (patient's own data) project

Dr Yvonne Fok, Hong Kong. *Homeopathic treatment of COVID-19 patients: Findings of the Clificol international clinical case registry*

- **17:00 19:00 Poster Session & Drinks Reception** Leonardo Royal Hotel Tower Bridge, Harpley + Bartholomew Please see Poster Programme for details.
- **19:30** Dinner at The Dickens Inn, St Katharine's Dock

Day 2 – Cutting Edge Research in Homeopathy

SATURDAY 17 JUNE 2023

MORNING PLENARY SESSIONS

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

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 – 12:30 Clinical Research 1

Dr Katharina Gaertner, Germany. Critical Appraisal Tool of Homeopathic Intervention Studies – CATHIS Dr Rajesh Shah, India. COVID-19 Nosode (BiosimCovex) research: Development, safety and efficacy (Phase I,II,III) studies Panel discussion

12:30 - 14:00 Buffet Lunch



AFTERNOON PARALLEL SESSIONS

14:00 – 15:20 Basic Research 2

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

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

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 **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

Dr Raj Manchanda, India. Homeopathic medicines in COVID-19: Prognostic factor research 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

Dr Elizabeth Rice and Dr Eleni Krommidas, USA. *Homeopathic Treatment of Post-acute COVID-19* Syndrome - a Pilot Double-Blind Randomized Controlled Trial

15:20 - 15:50 Coffee

AFTERNOON PLENARY SESSION

15:50 – 17:10 Basic Research 3

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

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* **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*

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



Day 3 – Cutting Edge Research in Homeopathy

09:10 - 10:30 Mixed Session 2

SUNDAY 18 JUNE 2023

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 Petra Weiermayer, Austria. Recommendations for designing, conducting and reporting clinical observational studies in homeopathic veterinary medicine
 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 – 12:30 Clinical Research 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) Dr 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
- 12:40 Buffet Lunch