

# Suggested 2018 Tracks - Surgery/Spine/Acute Care

## Wednesday, May 2

- 8:45 am – 9:30 am **Sell Lecture: Restoration of Motor Function in Persons with Chronic Spinal Cord Injury - A Potential Therapeutic Role for Acute Intermittent Hypoxia (AIH)**  
Guest Speaker: Zev Rymer, MD, PhD
- 11:00 am – 12:00 pm **Can Rehabilitation Increase Strength and Motor Recovery Following SCI?**  
Keynote Speaker: Professor Lisa Harvey
- 1:30 pm – 3:00 pm **Assessment and Treatment of Neuropathic Pain after Spinal Cord Injury from Bench to Bedside**  
Thomas Bryce, MD;  
Eva Widerstrom-Noga, DDS, PhD;  
Norbert Weidner, MD; Eldon Loh, MD
- 3:30 pm – 4:30 pm **The Role of Upper Extremity Surgery in Patients with Tetraplegia**  
Peter C. Rhee, DO, MS;  
Kristin Garlanger, DO;  
Ronald K. Reeves, MD

## Thursday, May 3

- 8:00 am – 9:30 am **Awards Session Papers**
- 10:30 am – 11:30 am **Ketogenic Diet for Spinal Cord Injury**  
Guest Speaker: Wolfram Tetzlaff, MD, PhD
- 12:45 pm – 2:15 pm **Stimulating Spinal Cord Injury: Moving Neuromodulation of Gait Past Proof of Principle**  
Keith E. Tansey, MD, PhD;  
Matthias Krenn, PhD;  
Kendall Lee, MD, PhD

- 2:45 pm – 3:00 pm **Membership Meeting** (for Current Members)
- 3:30 pm – 5:00 pm **Expert Panel Discussion of Pathways to Field Testing Clinical Guidelines: Case Study on Ventilator Weaning**  
Stephen McKenna, MD; James D. Crew, MD;  
Matthew Davis, MD; Cheryl Vines, MS

### ROUND ROOM OPTIONS

- 5:00 pm – 6:00 pm **Option 1 – Helping People with SCI Navigate Clinical Trials: From Acute Care to Living in the Community**
- 5:00 pm – 6:00 pm **Option 2 – Opportunities and Obstacles in Developing and Maintaining a Career in the Field of Spinal Cord Injury**
- 5:00 pm – 6:00 pm **Option 3 – Traumatic and Non-traumatic Myelopathy: When are They the Same and When are They Different?**
- 6:00 pm – 6:45 pm **Awards Ceremony**
- 7:30 pm – 9:30 pm **Presidential Reception**

## Friday, May 4

- 8:00 am – 9:00 am **SPINE SESSION I – Case Presentations: Surgery for Spinal Cord Injury**  
Moderator: Jean-Marc Mac-Thiong, MD, PhD
- 9:15 am – 10:15 am **SPINE SESSION II – Central Cord Syndrome**  
Moderator: Jean-Marc Mac-Thiong, MD, PhD
- 10:30 am – 11:30 am **SPINE SESSION III – Venous Thromboembolism after Spinal Cord Injury**  
Moderator: Jean-Marc Mac-Thiong, MD, PhD



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