

Thursday 9th July 2015

Time	Session	Location
	Session 5: Alzheimer's Disease and Cognitive Function Session Chair:	Howard Theatre
08.30	Overview of Alzheimer's Disease and its treatment strategy Professor Riona Mulcahy Waterford Regional Hospital, Age-Related Care Unit, Waterford, Ireland	Howard Theatre
09.00	Assessing cognitive function in AD and non-AD patients	Howard Theatre
09.30	Oxidative stress, carotenoids and dementia	Howard Theatre
10.00	Challenges in evaluating the role of xanthophylls in cognition across multiple levels of analysis	Howard Theatre
10.30	Tea/Coffee	Grace Howard Room
	Session 6: Carotenoid Nutrition and Brain Session Chair: Professor Billy R. Hammond University of Georgia, USA	Howard Theatre
11.00	Differing xanthophyll content in regions of elderly human brain	Howard Theatre
11.35	Exploring the roles of the Xanthophylls in Macular Development	Howard Theatre
12.10	Distribution of Lutein in Membranes of Rhesus Macaque Brain: relationships to cell function and viability Professor Elizabeth Johnson Tufts University, USA	Howard Theatre
12.30	Finger Buffet Lunch	Grace Howard Room
	note: Tea/Coffee will be provided in the Howard Building First Floor (poster viewing room)	
	Session 7: Macular Carotenoids: Clinical Studies Session Chair:	Howard Theatre

14.00	Central Retinal Enrichment Supplementation Trials (CREST) Results: Report 1 Professor John M. Nolan Macular Carotenoids Committee Chair, Waterford Institute of Technology, Ireland	Howard Theatre
14.35	Macular carotenoids and their measurement: some open questions	Howard Theatre
15.10	Structural, functional and macular pigment response to carotenoid supplementation in glaucoma subjects	Howard Theatre
15.30	Tea/Coffee note: Tea/Coffee will be provided in the Howard Building First Floor (poster viewing room)	
16.00	Session 8: Investigator Poster Session Session Chairs (Professor James Loughman, Dr Antonio Mendelez-Martinez, Professor Elizabeth Johnson)	
	-All scientific posters will be on display in the Howard Building First Floor (poster viewing room) during the conference	
18.00	Group Photo	Howard Court Lawns
18.15	Gala dinner drinks reception	Fellows Lawn
19.30	Gala Dinner	Downing College Dining H
	The Howard Poster and Investigator Presentation Prizes will be awarded after the dinner, followed by an address from Dr. Alan Howard, Chairman of the Trustees, Howard Foundation	
21.30	Cash Bar until midnight	Howard Building