



NEUROSCIENCE DAY 2025: PAIN AND PLACEBO

-MECHANISMS, MODULATION AND CLINICAL IMPLICATIONS

- 10:00 **Registration, Coffee, Posters and Networking**
- 11:00 **Welcome address**
Anne-Mette Hvas, Dean, Faculty of Health, Aarhus University
- 11:05 **Pain modulation**
Troels Staehelin Jensen, Professor, Dr.med.
- 11:20-12:20 **Keynote: Placebo and nocebo research: Quo Vadis?**
Neurobiological mechanisms underlying placebo and nocebo effects in pain and beyond: what do we know and what's next?
Ulrike Bingel, Professor, Dr. med. Universität Duisburg Essen

Chair: Lene Vase
- 12:25-13:25 **Keynote: Human pain channelopathies**
Bridging genetics and molecular mechanisms to the clinic
David Bennett, Professor Oxford University, Honorary Skou Professor Aarhus University

Chair: Páll Karlsson
- 13:25 **Coffee break, Sandwich, Posters and networking**
- 14:15 **Flash talks**



- 14:45-15:00 **Neurobiological underpinnings of chronic pain self-management**
– recent discoveries and opportunities for activation
Lene Vase, Professor, Dr. med.
- 15:05 **Complex regional pain syndrome (CRPS) from a patient perspective**
Interview with a pain-patient,
Abarajitha Thiyagarajah, MD, Ph.D.-student, The Danish Pain Research Center,
Aarhus University
- 15:20 **Brain mechanisms of pain and temperature perception from representation to modulation**
Francesca Fardo, Associate Professor, CFIN, Aarhus University
- 15:40 **Poster Prize Announcement**

Venue: AULAEN, Nordre Ringgade 4, 8000 Aarhus C
Date: 10 June 2025
Time: 10.00 -16.00