



10th Latin American Congress on Epilepsy

San José - Costa Rica 29 Sept - 2 Oct 2018

2nd Latin-American Workshop on Neurobiology of Epilepsy: Cannabinoids and Epilepsy: myths and realities

Saturday, 29th September 2018

9:00-09:30

CEDROS

Introduction

Dr. Luisa Rocha (Mexico)

Dr. Norberto García-Cairasco (Brazil)

9:30-10:00

Role of endocannabinoids in the cerebral function.

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10:00-10:30

Endocannabinoid system: a synaptic circuit breaker preventing abnormal coupling in epilepsy.

Marcio Flavio Dutra Moraes (Brazil)

10:30-11:00

A simple in vitro model to evaluate the complex effects of Cannabis in epilepsy.

Oscar Brenes (Costa Rica)

11:00-11:30

Break

11:30-12:00

Canabidiol and analogues as potent anticonvulsant and neuroprotective drugs in genetic, electrical and chemical experimental models of epilepsy.

Norberto Garcia-Cairasco (Brazil)

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The endocannabinoid system as a novel therapeutic target for the treatment of Fragile X Syndrome.

Rafael Maldonado (Spain)

12:30-13:00

Effects of Cannabis on neurodevelopment and its implications in epileptogenesis.

Dr. Sandra Orozco Suárez (Mexico)

13:00-13:30

State of the endocannabinoid system in drug resistant temporal lobe epilepsy.

Dr. Luisa Rocha (Mexico)

13:30-14:30

Break

14:30-15:00

Modulation of P-glycoprotein function and expression by Cannabis.

Alberto Lazarowski (Argentina)

15:00-15:30

Computational identification of the best Cannabis derivatives with antiepileptic effects.

Luis Bruno-Blanch (Argentina)

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**What do we have to expect from the chronic administration of
cannabinoids in patients with epilepsy?**

Lilia Morales-Chacón (Cuba)

16:00-16:30

**Animal models as a relevant alternative to understand diseases of the
nervous system.**

Jaime Fornaguera (Costa Rica)

16:30-17:00

Closing remarks

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