GABBA Programme 2014 – NEURODEGENERATIVE DISEASES June 9-13, IBMC

Coordination - Saraiva, MJ (IBMC and ICBAS)

Faculty: Gomes Pereira M (Paris) Romero-Ramos M (Aarhus) Maciel P (U Minho)

June 9

2.30 - 5 p.m. Saraiva, MJ

Introduction, course presentation; cell death: neurodegeneration- general concepts

Major trend in diseases of protein misfolding in the peripheral nervous system

June 11

10 - 12.30 a.m. Romero-Ramos M

Main trends in Parkinson Disease pathogenesis. Synuclein biology in Health and Disease

2.30 – 5 p.m. Gomes Pereira M

Main trends in Myotonic Distrophy Pathogenesis. Repeat instability and toxic RNA.

June 12

10 - 12.30 a.m. Journal Clubs on Parkinson. Kim and Luk

2.30 – 5 p.m. Journal Clubs on MD. Tome and Zu

June 13

10 - 12.30 a.m. Maciel, P

Main trends in Machado Joseph and Huntington disease

2.30 – 5 p.m. Journal Clubs on amyloidoses. Bucciantini and Tong