



## Program At-A-Glance

October 16 – 18, 2025 | Times are in Mountain Daylight Time Calgary  
Telus Convention Centre | 136 8 Ave SE, Calgary, Alberta

### Day 1: Thursday October 16, 2025

Times are in Mountain Daylight Time (MDT)

15:00 – 16:00	Registration
16:00 – 16:30	Opening Remarks ( <a href="#">Zahinoor Ismail</a> )
16:30 – 17:30	Risk Factors, Pathology, and the Clinical Expression of Alzheimer's Disease ( <a href="#">David Bennett</a> )
17:30 – 18:15	Brain Stimulation as a Potential Treatment Option for Dementia ( <a href="#">Howard Chertkow</a> )
18:15 – 19:00	Healthy Sleep, Healthy Brain - Bidirectional Mechanistic and Clinical Links Between Sleep and Dementia ( <a href="#">Andrew Lim</a> )
19:00 – 21:00	Opening Reception, onsite at the Telus Convention Centre

### Day 2: Friday October 17, 2025

07:00 – 08:00	Registration and Breakfast
08:00 – 08:15	Opening Remarks ( <a href="#">Zahinoor Ismail</a> )
08:15 – 09:15	Psychosis in Dementia and Preclinical Dementia ( <a href="#">Clive Ballard</a> )
09:15 – 10:00	Dementia Prevention Memory Clinics ( <a href="#">Giovanni Frisoni</a> )
10:00 – 10:30	Morning Break, Sponsor Exhibit & Poster Viewing
10:30 – 12:00	Parallel Session 1: Brain Science and Analytics Parallel 1 & 2 run concurrently and consist of three thirty minute presentations (each 20 min presentation + 10 min Q & A)
10:30 – 11:00	Sex Differences in the Effect of Exercise on the Brain: Potential Role of Genetics ( <a href="#">Cindy Barha</a> )
11:00 – 11:30	Amyloid, Alpha-Synuclein and Tau: Impacts on Clinical Phenotypes ( <a href="#">Richard Camicioli</a> )
11:30 – 12:00	Digital Markers and Phenotypes of Behavioral and Psychological Symptoms in Dementia Care ( <a href="#">Andrea Iaconi</a> )

<b>10:30 – 12:00</b>	<b>Parallel Session 2: Prevention and Public Health</b> Parallel 1 & 2 run concurrently and consist of three thirty minute presentations (each 20 min presentation + 10 min Q & A)
<b>10:30 – 11:00</b>	<b>Prevention of Dementia with Lifestyle Interventions: A Systematic Review and Network Meta- Analysis</b> ( <a href="#">Zahra Goodarzi</a> )
<b>11:00 – 11:30</b>	<b>Who Benefits? Aligning Lifestyle Interventions and Disease-Modifying Treatments for Dementia Within a Precision Medicine Framework</b> ( <a href="#">Manuel Montero</a> )
<b>11:30 – 12:00</b>	<b>Nutrition for the Aging Brain</b> ( <a href="#">Jacqui Pettersen</a> )
<b>12:00 – 13:30</b>	<b>Lunch, Sponsor Exhibit &amp; Poster Viewing</b>
<b>13:30 – 15:00</b>	<b>Parallel Session 3: Memory Clinic</b> Parallel 3 & 4 run concurrently and consist of three thirty minute presentations (20 min presentation + 10 min Q & A)
<b>13:30 – 14:00</b>	<b>LATE-NC and LANS: Clinical presentation, Imaging and Neuropathological Considerations</b> ( <a href="#">Mario Masellis</a> )
<b>14:00 – 14:30</b>	<b>Cerebral Amyloid Angiopathy-Related Inflammation: Diagnosis, Management, and Lessons for Amyloid-Related Imaging Abnormalities</b> ( <a href="#">Eric Smith</a> )
<b>14:30 – 15:00</b>	<b>Clinical Meaningfulness of DMT for AD: From Clinical Trials to Clinical Practice</b> ( <a href="#">Serge Gauthier and Paolo Vitali</a> )
<b>13:30 – 15:00</b>	<b>Parallel Session 4: Primary and Continuing Care</b> Parallel 3 & 4 run concurrently and consist of three thirty minute presentations (20 min presentation + 10 min Q & A)
<b>13:30 – 14:00</b>	<b>My Patient is Falling - What Do I Do Next?</b> ( <a href="#">Jacqueline McMillan</a> )
<b>14:00 – 14:30</b>	<b>Bridging Academia and Community to Educate Medical Students and Healthcare Professionals on Strategies to Support Caregivers</b> ( <a href="#">Claire Webster</a> )
<b>14:30 – 15:00</b>	<b>Update on Psychotropic Drug Safety and Deprescribing in Dementia</b> ( <a href="#">Jennifer Watt</a> )
<b>15:00 – 15:30</b>	<b>Afternoon Break, Sponsor Exhibit &amp; Poster Viewing</b>
<b>15:30 – 16:15</b>	<b>Biomarkers</b> ( <a href="#">Nick Ashton</a> )
<b>16:15 – 16:45</b>	<b>Everyone Loves a List! Top Ten Dementia Research Articles over the Year</b> ( <a href="#">Aravind Ganesh and Zahra Goodarzi</a> )
<b>19:30 – 23:00</b>	<b>Gala Dinner &amp; Dance</b>

## Day 3: Saturday October 18, 2025

<b>07:00 – 08:00</b>	<b>Registration and Breakfast</b>
<b>08:00 – 08:15</b>	<b>Opening Remarks</b>
<b>08:15 – 09:00</b>	<b>Clinical Interpretation of Blood Biomarkers for Alzheimer's Disease: Opportunities and Challenges</b> ( <a href="#">Joseph Therriault</a> )
<b>09:00 – 10:00</b>	<b>New &amp; Notable - Oral Abstracts</b> ( <a href="#">Presenters from the Call for Abstracts</a> )
<b>10:00 – 10:30</b>	<b>Morning Break, Sponsor Exhibit &amp; Poster Viewing</b>
<b>10:30 – 11:20</b>	<b>Workshop Session 1 – see list of workshops below</b> Ten workshops run concurrently (40 minutes presentation with 10 minutes for Q & A)
<b>11:20 – 11:25</b>	<b>Transition Time</b>
<b>11:25 – 12:15</b>	<b>Workshop Session 2 – see list of workshops below</b> Ten workshops run concurrently (40 minutes presentation with 10 minutes for Q & A)

<b>12:15 – 13:45</b>	<b>Lunch, Sponsor Exhibit &amp; Poster Viewing</b>
<b>13:45 – 14:30</b>	Revisiting our Approach to Assessment and Management of Behavioural Symptoms in Dementia ( <a href="#">Zahinoor Ismail</a> )
<b>14:30 – 15:45</b>	Debate: Advance Requests for Medical Assistance in Dying- A pro-con Debate ( <a href="#">Daphne Gilbert</a> , <a href="#">James Downar</a> )
<b>15:45 – 16:00</b>	Closing Remarks ( <a href="#">Zahinoor Ismail</a> )

<b>10:30 – 11:20</b>	<b>Workshops Session 1</b>
<b>Workshop 1.S1</b> Offered twice	Building a Systematic Approach to Pain Management in Persons Living with Dementia ( <a href="#">Marsha MacDonald</a> )
<b>Workshop 2.S1</b> Offered twice	Understanding Dementia Genetics for Better Communication with Families ( <a href="#">Setareh Ashtiani</a> and <a href="#">Charlotte Cowan</a> )
<b>Workshop 3.S1</b> Offered twice	AD DMTs: What You Need to Know about Their Potential Arrival in Canada ( <a href="#">Andrew Frank</a> )
<b>Workshop 4.S1</b> Offered twice	How Precision Medicine Combining Brain Imaging and Fluid Biomarkers is Advancing Personalized Therapeutics for Presymptomatic and Early ( <a href="#">Sandra Black</a> )
<b>Workshop 5.S1</b> Offered once	Comparative Efficacy of Interventions for Improving the Mental Health of Family and Friend Caregivers of People Living with Dementia: Understanding and Applying Results from a Systematic Review with Network Meta-Analysis ( <a href="#">Jenn Watt</a> , <a href="#">Person with Lived Experience</a> )
<b>Workshop 6.S1</b> Offered once	Lab, Clinic, Industry: Rapid-Fire Career Chats with Dementia Research Professionals ( <a href="#">Dylan Guan</a> ) <i>*This session is targeted to trainees</i>
<b>Workshop 7.S1</b> Offered once	The Power of Home: Elevating Quality of Life in Aging ( <a href="#">Brad Lohman</a> )
<b>Workshop 8.S1</b> Offered once	Getting the Big picture: Neuroimaging of Normal Pressure Hydrocephalus Review ( <a href="#">Aaron Switzer</a> )
<b>Workshop 9.S1</b> Offered once	Mind the Gap - Closing the Care Divide for Canadians with Dementia with Solutions to Move Beyond Strategy ( <a href="#">Saskia Sivananthan</a> )
<b>Workshop 10.S1</b> Offered twice	More than Just Memory Loss: A Case-Based Approach to 3 Non-Amnesic A's of Cognitive Neurology ( <a href="#">Aravind Ganesh</a> )

<b>11:25 – 12:15</b>	<b>Workshops Session 2</b>
<b>Workshop 1.S2</b> Offered twice	Building a Systematic Approach to Pain Management in Persons Living with Dementia ( <a href="#">Marsha MacDonald</a> )
<b>Workshop 2. S2</b> Offered twice	Understanding Dementia Genetics for Better Communication with Families ( <a href="#">Setareh Ashtiani</a> and <a href="#">Charlotte Cowan</a> )
<b>Workshop 3.S2</b> Offered twice	AD DMTs: What You Need to Know about Their Potential Arrival in Canada ( <a href="#">Andrew Frank</a> )
<b>Workshop 4.S2</b> Offered twice	How Precision Medicine Combining Brain Imaging and Fluid Biomarkers is Advancing Personalized Therapeutics for Presymptomatic and Early ( <a href="#">Sandra Black</a> )
<b>Workshop 5.S2</b> Offered once	Understanding and Navigating the Impact of Dementia on Family Caregivers ( <a href="#">Claire Webster</a> )

<b>Workshop 6.S2</b> Offered once	Description des Stades de la Maladie d'Alzheimer Basée sur les Biomarqueurs ( <a href="#">Joseph Therriault</a> )
<b>Workshop 7.S2</b> Offered once	Who decides? Consent and Capacity in Dementia ( <a href="#">Vivian Ewa</a> )
<b>Workshop 8.S2</b> Offered once	Next-generation Alzheimer's diagnostics: Accessing Plasma Biomarker Testing in Your Cognitive Clinic ( <a href="#">Aaron Switzer</a> )
<b>Workshop 9.S2</b> Offered once	CLEAR - Guidelines for Culturally Sensitive Disclosure and Communication of a Diagnosis of Dementia ( <a href="#">Saskia Sivananthan</a> and <a href="#">Vivian Ewa</a> )
<b>Workshop 10.S2</b> Offered twice	More than Just Memory Loss: A Case-Based Approach to 3 Non-Amnestic A's of Cognitive Neurology ( <a href="#">Aravind Ganesh</a> )