Agenda for Dystonia Coalition's Seventh Meeting
Day 1: Research Priorities in Limb and Task-Specific Dystonias
3-4 March 2016
Rockville, MD

8:00am Welcome Jinnah/Hallett/Perlmutter
8:05am Goals for the meeting

Session 1: Clinical Features
Chair: Jinnah
8:10-8:25am Upper limb (full range including segmental) Jinnah
Comments & questions
8:35-8:50am Lower limb (including runners and gait lab assessments) Alter
Comments & questions
9:00-9:15am Musicians Frucht
Comments & questions
9:25-9:40am Post traumatic dystonia and complex regional pain syndrome (CRPS) Jankovic
Comments & questions
9:50 -9:55am Summary from the Chair

9:55-10:15 BREAK

Session 2: Pathogenesis (or Biological Basis)
Chair: Mink
10:15-10:30am Inhibition (motor and sensory, including temporal discrimination) Pirio Richardson
Comments & questions
10:40-10:55am Plasticity Chen
Comments & questions
11:05-11:20am Task specificity Hallett
Comments & questions
11:30-11:45 Imaging (MRI, PET, MRS) Perlmutter
Comments & Questions
11:55-12:00 Summary from the Chair

12:00-1:15pm LUNCH

Session 3: Therapy
Chair: Comella
1:15-1:30pm Botulinum toxin Lungu
Comments & questions
1:40-1:55pm Rehabilitation Prudente
Comments & questions
2:05-2:20pm Transcranial stimulation (TMS, tDCS) Altenmueller
Comments & questions
2:30-2:45pm Deep brain stimulation (DBS) Alterman
Comments & Questions
2:55-3:00pm Summary from the Chair

3:00-3:20 BREAK

Unanswered questions & research priorities
Chair: Perlmutter
3:20-3:50pm What are the research priorities in clinical research and treatment? Altenmueller, Comella, Frucht, Vidailhet
Panel discussion
3:50-4:20pm What are the research priorities in basic research Mink, Lang, Hallett, Chen
Panel discussion
4:30 pm Closing comments Hallett/Jinnah

5:00-6:00 BREAK
6:00pm DINNER
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8:00am  Welcoming Remarks                     Ami Rosen
8:10am  ORDR, NCATS Update                  Rashmi Gopal-Srivastava
8:20am  Project 4: Diagnostic & Rating Scales for Blepharospasm
        Progress Report & Next Steps          Mark Hallett
8:55am  Pilot Project: Validating Rating Scales for Pediatrics
        Progress Report & Next Steps         Jonathan Mink
9:30am  Career Development Program: Goals & Selection Criteria
9:40am  Updates & Plans from Awardees
10:00am Patient Advocacy Group Update & Plans      Kim Kuman
10:25am BREAK
10:40am Project 1: Natural History & Biorepository
        Progress Report & Next Steps         Joel Perlmutter
11:35pm Dystonia Coalition: Where are we now & where are we going?
        Year 6 Progress Report
        Thanks to Our Sponsors
        What’s Next?                           Buz Jinnah
12:00pm General Meeting Adjourned

12:15pm DC Steering & Executive Committees Meet to Review Progress
1:15pm Committee Meeting Adjourned