DCR
Day of Clinical Research Program

December 7, 2023 | Venue: Langhans Auditorium, Inselspital Bern

12.00–12.45 | Lunch and registration
(posters on display)

12.45–13.00 | Official opening
Speaker: Prof Christian Leumann,
Rector University of Bern

13.00–13.15 | Welcome from the Dean
Speaker: Prof Claudio Bassetti
Chair: Prof Aris Exadaktylos

13.15–13.30 | Update on DCR
Speaker: Prof Eva Segelov, PD Dr Sven Trelle
Chair: Prof Aris Exadaktylos

13.30–14.15 | Plenary: Making progress in Alzheimer’s through RCTs
Speaker: Prof Marwan Sabbagh,
Vice Chairman for Research and Professor of Neurology at the Barrow Neurological Institute
Chair: Prof Claudio Bassetti

14.15–14.45 | Afternoon tea & poster walk
Poster applications open now until October 1st
Chair: Prof Thomas Geiser

14.45–15.45 | Bern Highlights
Speaker applications open now until October 1st,
Chair: Prof Guido Beldi

15.45–16.15 | Best of Junior Research
Speaker applications open now until October 1st,
Chair: Prof Uyen Huynh-Do & Dr Carole Aubert

16.15–17.00 | Keynote: “Hot Topic” – female leadership in clinical trials
Speaker: Prof Roxana Mehran, Mount Sinai School of Medicine, NY, Founding member of the “Women as One” initiative.
Chair: Prof Annette Kuhn

17.00–17.30 | Supporting clinical research: from the white paper to the national coordination platform
Speaker: Prof Henri Bounaumeaux, MD, President, Swiss Academy of Medical Sciences (SAMS)
Chair: Prof Annalisa Berzigotti

17.30–18.15 | Panel discussion: challenges and priorities for clinical trials in Switzerland
Speakers:
- Victoria Sarraf, Managing Director SCTO
- Prof Matthias Egger, SNF
- Patient’s representative: Steven Bourke, PersonalPulse
- PD Martin Verra (Interdisciplinary Research)
- Prof Marwan Sabbagh, Barrow Neurological Institute
- Prof Roxana Mehran, Mount Sinai School of Medicine
- Prof Henri Bounaumeaux, MD SAMS
- Dr Michael Larbig, CSL Behring
Chair: Prof Stephan Windecker

18.15 | Apéro & prize presentation
Chair: Dr med. h.c. Uwe E. Jocham

19.15 | Faculty dinner
Haus der Universität, Schlösslistrasse 5

We look forward to seeing you.
For more information & registration please go to our website.