



Autism Research UK

from diagnosis to intervention

National Conference

11-12 May 2007, The Open University

This conference will bring together key researchers from across the UK who are currently working on Autism Spectrum Disorders. The meeting will showcase the range of research perspectives that are contributing to the understanding of Autism, and provide a forum for the discussion and exchange of ideas within and across disciplines. The conference is of relevance to all those with a professional or personal interest in the Autism Spectrum.

Session Themes

Diagnosis and assessment
Aetiology, epidemiology and genetics
Metabonomic, biochemical and physiological perspectives
Neurology, imaging and brain pathology
Psychological perspectives, language and communication
Education, management and early intervention

Keynote Speakers and Chairs

Ann Le Couteur	Tony Charman
Jean Golding	Anthony Bailey
Patrick Bolton	Sabine Bahn
Gordon Bell	Declan Murphy
Martin Bax	Elizabeta Mukaetova-Ladinska
Christoph Schmitz	Kate Plaisted
Emma Weisblatt	José Alcántara
Peter Hobson	Jill Boucher
Ayla Humphrey	Dermot Bowler
Jonathan Green	Rita Jordan
Patricia Howlin	Anne O'Hare
Anthony Monaco	Steve Swithenby
Peter Mitchell	Colwyn Trevarthen
Gavin Malloch	John Williams
Michelle Dodson	Richard Mills
Jenny Longmore	Dame Stephanie Shirley

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Local Organisers

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