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# Autoimmune Neurology Virtual Symposium 2021

## Saturday, December 11, 2021



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This virtual symposium is designed for the entire multidisciplinary team, including neurologists, medical specialists, primary care physicians, and nurse practitioners who have an interest in autoimmune neurology disorders.

The program will provide a state-of-the-art update on Autoimmune Neurology offered as a livestream and designed to provide evidence-based strategies that focus on practical and clinical management from a multidisciplinary approach. Latest clinical and laboratory research will be presented through didactic lecture, case vignettes and interactive Q & A with faculty.

### Objectives:

- Cite the mechanism of action and diagnostic challenges associated with autoimmune neurological diseases such as immune-mediated paraneoplastic movement disorders and encephalitis.
- Describe the clinical, laboratory, and neuroimaging characteristics of neuromyelitis optica spectrum disorders and myelinoligodendrocyte glycoprotein-associated disorders.

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## Program Schedule in KL Time



**Moderator Voja Jovanovic, Ph.D.**

*Regional Manager, APAC  
Mayo Clinic Laboratories*

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8:50 a.m. **Login to Zoom livestream**



9:00 a.m. **Welcome Opening**

Dato Tan Chong Tin, MBBS, M.D., FRCP  
*Chair, Neuroimmunology Chapter, Malaysian Society of Neurosciences  
Professor, Division of Neurology, Department of Medicine  
University of Malaya, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia*



9:15 a.m. **Autoimmune/Paraneoplastic Movement Disorders & Practical Interpretation of Biomarker Results from Bench to Bedside**

Sean J. Pittock, M.D.  
*Consultant, Department of Neurology, Mayo Clinic  
Director, Neuroimmunology Research Laboratory*

## Program Schedule Continued

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**10:15 a.m. Illustrative Cases in NMOSD and MOGAD**

Shanthi Viswanathan, MBBS (India), FRCP (Ireland), Fellowship in Neurology (Malaysia)  
*Vice President, Malaysian Society of Neurosciences*  
*Consultant Neurologist, Department of Neurology, Hospital Kuala Lumpur*



**11:00 a.m. Autoimmune Encephalitis: The Rewards and Challenges**

Suhailah Abdullah, MBBS, MMed  
*Associate Professor, Consultant Neurologist*  
*Division of Neurology, Department of Medicine*  
*University of Malaya, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia*



**11:45 a.m. Panel Discussion**

Su-Yin Lim, MBBS (Lond), MRCP (Lond), SCE (Neurology), M.D.  
*Senior Lecturer, School of Medicine*  
*Faculty of Health & Medical Science*  
*Taylors University*

**12:15 p.m. Adjourn**

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