THE FUTURE ROLES of CUTTING-EDGE METHODS in the STUDY and TREATMENT of CHILDHOOD DISORDERS

Monday, October 25, 2010
The Italian Academy
1161 Amsterdam Avenue  NY
(just South of 118th St.)
New York, NY 10027
9.00 - 9.30 Welcoming Remarks
Freedberg D.
Greetings/Introduction
Caffo E., Peterson B.

9.30 - 10.00 The Value of Epidemiological Approaches to Contemporary Studies of Childhood Onset Neuropsychiatric Disorders
Shaffer D.

10.00 - 10.30 The Future of Genetic Approaches to Understanding Childhood Onset Neuropsychiatric Disorders
Macciardi F.

10.30 - 11.00 The Future Role of Epigenetics in the Study and Treatment of Childhood Disorders
Champagne F.

11.00 - 11.30 BREAK

11.30 - 12.00 Twin Studies in Future Studies of Genetic and Environmental Determinants of Childhood Onset Neuropsychiatric Disorders
Battaglia M.

12.00 - 12.30 Contributions of Cognitive Neuroscience in Future Studies of Childhood Onset Anxiety and Affective Disorders
Pine D.

12.30 - 13.00 The Role of Social Cognition in Understanding Normal Development and Childhood Onset Neuropsychiatric Disorders
Gerber A.

13.00 - 14.00 LUNCH

14.00 - 14.30 The Future for Pluripotent Stem Cells in Research and Treatment of Childhood Onset Neuropsychiatric Disorders
Hen R.

14.30 - 15.00 Research and Clinical Potential for TMS in Childhood Onset Neuropsychiatric Disorders
Mantovani A.

15.00 - 15.30 Animal Models for Studying the Pathogenesis and Treatment of Childhood Onset Neuropsychiatric Disorders
Gingrich J.

15.30 - 16.00 Future Applications of Brain Imaging Technologies in the Study of Childhood Onset Neuropsychiatric Disorders
Peterson B.

16.00 - 16.30 CONCLUSIONS
Rutter M.

CO-CHAIRS
De Ronchi D., Klein R., Leckman J., Rapoport J.

17.00 - 18.30 RECEPTION
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