# PIA Day at AAIC 2016

# **Subjective Cognitive Decline**

## **Business Meeting**

Date:July 25th, 2016Start:07:00 AMEnd:08:00 AMLocation:Parkdale, Delta Toronto Hotel

Chair/Co-Chair	Site
Frank Jessen (Chair)	Cologne
Wiesje van der Flier (Co-Chair)	Amsterdam
Andrew Saykin (Co-Chair)	Indianapolis

#### Welcome remarks (Wiesje van der Flier)

#### ISTAART/PIA Membership Data

Linear increase of members: 366 members in SCD PIA (data of June 2016)

#### PIA Elections, bylaw

Current executive committee: chair: Frank Jessen, Co-chair Wiesje van der Flier, Andrew Saykin The executive committee will provide suggestions for SCD-PIA elections next year (positions) The executive committee will propose the PIA bylaws

### Proposal of a Clinician Guideline on Subjective Cognitive Decline (Frank Jessen)

In memory centers only less than 50% of SCD patients are at the preclinical Alzheimer's disease stage

Suggestion to work on a new consensus paper

- Guideline for physicians to manage SCD in clinical
- Frank takes the lead of this paper and will manage to process

### **Business Issues and Discussion**

- Colette Smart discussed the idea of a multinational clinical trial in SCD. It could be a topic of a collaboration between European and North America. Keith Fargo agrees that the Alzheimer's Association would welcome an international collaboration. He suggests speaking with Heather Snyder. She is able to answer all questions regarding funding by the Alzheimer's Association.
- Self-reporting and proxy reports of patients could be something else to collaborate on. Nobody took the lead on this topic.
- Suggestion by Ming-Chyi Pai (National Cheng Kung University, Taiwan): Extent the cooperation on SCD to Asian countries. Important to include people with a different ethnical background. Frank suggested that it would be one idea to spread the concept of Euro-SCD (harmonization approach of SCD criteria) also to Asian countries.
- Ying Han (Xuan Wu Hospital, Capital Medical University, Beijing, China): She agreed that the

extension of the SCD Project to Asian countries is important.

• Allyson Rosen (Stanford University): In a new project emails from patients are used to detect cognitive decline via text based analyses. With the persons permission the email which he/she send to other people is copied for this project.. At the moment for this project *yahoo* and *googlemail* could be used. Allyson is looking for funding and collaborations. She will send an email with a proposal of the project to the SCD PIA group.