

Symposium in honor of Jan Ernerudh

December 4th, 2024
In Belladonna



Professor in Clinical Immunology,
Department of Biomedical and Clinical
Sciences, LiU

Program

10.00 - 10.30

Welcome to this symposium - a tribute to Jan Ernerudh
Lena Jonasson, Dean, Professor of Cardiology, LiU

10.30 - 11.15

Alzheimer's Etiology in Preeclampsia: Research Lessons from Decades Long Collaboration with Prof Jan Ernerudh and His Colleagues
Surendra Sharma, Honorary Doctor at the Medical Faculty, MD, PhD, Professor of OB/GYN and Pediatrics, University of Texas Medical Branch, Galveston, TX, USA

11.15 - 12.00

Interactions between MS risk genes and lifestyle/ environmental factors; focus on EBV and molecular mimicry
Jan's tutor **Tomas Olsson**, Professor in Neurology, Neuroimmunology Unit, Department of Clinical Neuroscience Center for Molecular Medicine, Karolinska Institutet

12:00 - 13.00

LUNCH

13.00 - 13.15

My PhD project started on a train in Norway 1987
Jans first PhD-student **Magnus Vrethem**, Professor emeritus in Neurology, Department of Biomedical and Clinical Sciences, LiU

13.15 - 13.45

"Everything is immunology" - from one hot lymphocyte to another
Jenny Mjösberg, Professor in Tissue immunology, Department of Medicine Huddinge, Karolinska Institutet

13.45 - 14.00	<p><i>From Decidual to Tumor APCs: An Immunology Journey inspired by Jan</i></p> <p>Judit Svensson Arvelund, Assistant Professor in Tumor Immunology, Department of Biomedical and Clinical Sciences, LiU</p>
14.00 - 14.15	<p><i>The immune response in Lyme neuroborreliosis and its role for the disease course - a journey into the "complement and cytokine swamps"</i></p> <p>Anna Henningson, MD, Assoc Prof in Infectious Diseases and Microbiology, Department of Biomedical and Clinical Sciences, LiU</p>
14.15-14.30	<p><i>Learning from nature - a simple idea that paved the way forward</i></p> <p>Sandra Hellberg, Assistant Professor at the Division of Inflammation and Infection, Department of Biomedical and Clinical Sciences, LiU</p>
14.30 - 15.00	COFFEE BREAK
15.00-15.15	<p><i>Carrying Jan Ernerudh's research legacy forward</i></p> <p>Johan Mellergård, MD, PhD, Head of the Neuroinflammatory section, Department of Neurology, and adjunct lecturer, Department of Biomedical and Clinical Sciences, LiU and Sofia Nyström, MD, Assoc prof in Clinical Immunology and Transfusion Medicine, Division of Infection and Inflammation, Department of Biomedical and Clinical Sciences, LiU</p>
15.15-15.30	<p><i>Hormonal regulation of immune responses: Insights from pregnancy induced modulation of multiple sclerosis</i></p> <p>Georgia Papapavlou Lingehed, PhD student with dissertation December 6th</p>
15.30-15.45	<p><i>Immunological Aspects on the Prediction of Spontaneous Preterm Birth</i></p> <p>Maria Svenvik, MD, PhD, Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology, Region Kalmar County and Department of Biomedical and Clinical Sciences, LiU</p>
15.45-16.00	<p><i>Concluding remarks</i></p> <p>Göran Berg, Charlotte Dahle, Maria Jenmalm, Marie Larsson</p>
16.00 -	MINGLE

