

議程總覽 (Program Overview)

2026 MBI x PNIRS Asia-Pacific Symposium in Taipei

Bridging Frontiers in Psychoneuroimmunology: Empowering Next-Gen Scientists

Date: October 17, 2026 (Saturday)

Time: 9:00 AM – 17:00 PM

Venue: TBD

Time	Session	Title	Speaker
09:00 – 09:30	Registration		
09:30 – 10:20	Plenary Keynote <i>Moderator: Prof. Keith Kelley, M.D., Ph.D.</i>	Neuroimmune in the Mediation and Treatment of Dysregulations of the Blood-Brain Barrier	<i>Prof. William Banks, M.D., Ph.D.</i>
10:20 – 10:30	Coffee break		
10:30 – 11:55	PNIRS International Scholars Session <i>Moderator: Prof. Keith Kelley, M.D., Ph.D.</i>	Multimodal pathway analysis of mouse brain lipid mediators during lipopolysaccharide -induced systemic inflammation	<i>Prof. Christoph Rummel, Ph.D.</i>
10:55 – 11:20		Digital Ecological Momentary Intervention for Real-World Workplace Mental Health	<i>Prof. Sisi Li, Ph.D.</i>
11:20 – 11:45		Inflammation and Anhedonia in Depression: Biomarkers, Mechanisms, and Therapeutic Implications	<i>Prof. Jennifer C. Felger, Ph.D.</i>
11:45 – 12:00		Panel discussion – Group Photo	
12:00 – 13:30	Lunch Break		
13:30 – 14:20	Plenary Keynote <i>Moderator: Dr. Jane Pei-Chen Chang, M.D., Ph.D.</i>	Psychoneuroimmunity in Depression: Targeting Evidence-based Mind-Body Interventions	<i>Prof. Kuan-Pin Su, M.D., Ph.D.</i>
14:20 – 14:30	Coffee break		
14:30 – 14:55		A disrupted gut–brain dialogue in depression and the roles of Omega-3 fatty acids: insight from the pilot study	<i>Dr. Quang Le Do, M.D.</i>
14:55 – 15:20		Efficacy of Specialized Pro-Resolving Mediators and Eicosapentaenoic Acid in Major Depressive Disorder: A 12-Week Randomized, Double-Blind, Placebo-Controlled Trial	<i>Ms. Ayesha Zafar, MSc.</i>
15:20 – 15:45		PUFA-derived lipid mediator and endocannabinoid signaling pathways in major depressive disorder: a Mendelian randomization study	<i>Mr. Aimal Khan, MSc.</i>
15:45 – 16:10		Genetic Propensity for Kynurenine Pathway Metabolites Across the Clinical Phenome	<i>Dr. Cherry Youn, Ph.D.</i>
16:10 – 16:20		Panel discussion – Group Photo	
16:20 – 16:30	Closing Remarks		
16:30 – 17:30	Transfer		
17:30 – 19:30	Banquet Dinner		