Dear colleagues,

We are pleased to announce on 8 and 9 July 2016, in Paris, the First International Symposium on Coccyx Disorders and to introduce the program.

Even today, coccydynia remains a poorly understood condition in which the care is often deemed unsatisfactory, both by doctors and by patients. It is, as we all know, the source of considerable discomfort in everyday life. However, although research has intensified in recent years, no meeting was ever dedicated to this topic! In order to fill this gap, we decided to organize this International Symposium. Renowned experts will present their work in the fields of history, anatomy, comparative anatomy, pathophysiology, clinical, imaging and therapeutics. As you can see the program is as complete as possible. Much space is devoted to the discussion and exchanges because everyone's experience is such a norrow field is irreplaceable. We chose for this meeting the beautiful surroundings of the Natural History Museum, the Great Gallery of Evolution. We look forward to welcome you and hope to see you soon in Paris!

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PROGRAM - FRIDAY 8TH

08:00 Registration 08:20 Welcome address. Jean-Yves Maigne

Basic science

- 08:30 History of coccydynia. Jon Miles. Oxford, UK
- 08:45 Anatomy of the coccyx and related structures. *Roger Robert. Nantes, France*
- 09:00 Comparative anatomy. Cyrille Cazeau, Paris, France
- 09:15 Discussion

The different lesions of the coccyx and how to evidence them

- 09:30 Dynamic films. Technique and results. The different lesions of the coccyx. Pitfalls in interpretation. Jean-Yves Maigne. Paris, France
- 10:00 Clinical examination of the painful coccyx. *Jean-Yves Maigne. Paris, France*
- 10:15 MRI and CT scanner of the coccyx. *Isabelle Pigeau. Paris, France*
- 10:30 Discussion

10:45-11:15 Coffee break

Differential diagnosis of common coccydynia

- 11:15 Sacrococcygeal tumours and cysts in adults. Charles Court. Paris, France
- 11:30 Pudendal neuralgia. Mansour Khalfallah. Biarritz, France
- 12:00 Chronic anal pain and anorectal dyssynergia. *Frédérique Le Breton. Paris, France*
- 12:15 Neurologic and myofascial disorders mimicking coccygodynia. Jean-Marie Berthelot, Jean-Jacques Labat. Nantes, France
- 12:30 Discussion

12:45-14:15 Lunch

Conservative management of common coccydynia

- 14:15 Coping with coccyx pain. Jon Miles. Oxford, UK
- 14:30 Injections of the coccyx (discs and spicules). Technique and results. *Jean-Yves Maigne. Paris, France*
- 14:45 Ganglion impar injection. Patrick Foye. Newark, USA
- 15:00 Manual therapy for coccyx pain. Michael Durtnall. London, UK
- 15:15 Discussion

Surgical management of coccydynia

- 15:30 History of coccygectomy.
 - Levon Doursounian, Dominique Hervault. Paris, France
- 15:45 Surgical technique. Levon Doursounian. Paris, France
- 16:00 Indications, follow-up and results.
 - Levon Doursounian. Paris, France
- 16:15 Discussion

16:30 End of Day 1

Social program: a private visit of the Great Gallery of Evolution + dinner

PROGRAM - SATURDAY 9TH

Free presentations

09:00	
	Gianluca Maestretti. Fribourg, Suisse
09:15	Results of CT guided injections for coccydynia.
	Elif Gurkan. Istambul, Turkey
09:30	A Sting in the Tail.
	Michael Durtnall. London, UK
09:45	Day surgery for coccyx patients. Experiences from St. Olavs Hospital
	Rainer G Knobloch. Trondheim, Norway
10:00	Rare lesions of the coccyx.
	Jean-Yves Maigne. Paris, France
10:15	Discussion

10:30-11:00 Coffee break

Intractable coccyx pain

- 11:00 Management of surgical failure.
 - Jean-Yves Maigne, Levon Doursounian. Paris, France
- 11:15 Intractable coccyx pain. What can do a pain specialist? Anne Lassaux. Paris, France
- 11:30 Discussion

Videos

- 11:45 Injections. Cases presentation. Jean-Yves Maigne. Paris, France
- 12:00 Closing remarks.
 - Jean-Yves Maigne and Levon Doursounian