



# PROGRAMME FOR THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE DANISH HEADACHE SOCIETY 2026

Date: 23. October 2026

*IDA Conference*

**Topic: A new era in migraine**

| Tid           | Aktivitet  | Beskrivelse   |
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| 08:30 - 09:00 | Arrival and breakfast buffet   |   |
| 09:00 - 10:00 | General meeting of members of The Danish Headache Society  |   |
| 10:00 - 10:10 | Welcome  |   |
| 10:10 - 10:40 | The migraine-stroke connection – an update   | Anders Hougaard, M.D. Ph.D.,<br>Copenhagen  |
| 10:40 - 11:10 | Combination of Botox & Atogepant in migraine treatment   | Prof. Anne Hege Aamodt, Oslo  |
| 11:10 - 11:30 | Coffee break - exhibition  |   |
| 11:30 - 12:30 | Oxford debate: Pros & cons of Botox<br><br>Is Botox necessary in migraine treatment?   | Prof. Piero Barbanti, Rome (pros)<br>versus Prof. Jan Versijpt, Brussel<br>(cons)   |
| 12:30 - 13:30 | Lunch  |   |
| 13:30 - 14:00 | A critical reappraisal of anti-CGRP treatment  | Prof. Antoinette Maasen van den<br>Brink, Rotterdam   |
| 14:00 - 15:30 | Translational aspects of headache research<br>Beyond Risk: What Polygenic Scores Can Tell Us<br>About Headache<br><br>Insights into pathophysiological mechanisms in<br>cluster headache and how they differ from<br>migraine mechanisms<br><br>In vivo models of migraine. Translational potential<br>and considerations<br><br>Translational Headache Research at the Cellular<br>Level: Focus on CGRP | Thomas Folkmann Hansen, Prof.<br>Copenhagen<br><br>Anja Sofie Petersen, M.D. Ph.d.,<br>Copenhagen<br><br>Sarah Louise T Christensen,<br>M.D. Ph.D., Copenhagen<br><br>Kristian Agmund Haanes, Prof.<br>Copenhagen |
| 15:30 - 16:00 | Coffee break - exhibition  |   |
| 16:00 - 17:30 | Lecture competition  |   |
| 17:30 - 19:00 | Drinks<br>Headache quiz  |   |
| 19:00 - 22:00 | Dinner   |   |