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**Day 1**  July 22, 2013

**Flamingo Ballroom**

**Keynote Forum**

09:00-09:05  Introduction

09:05-09:30  **Kenneth Blum**
University of Florida, USA

09:30-09:55  **Philip K. Liu**
Mass General Hospital and Harvard Medical School, USA

09:55-10:20  **Kirk J. Brower**
University of Michigan Addiction Research Center, USA

10:20-10:45  **Constance Scharff**
Cliffside Malibu, USA

**Coffee Break 10:45-11:00 @ Atrium**

**Track 1: Various Addictives and Addictions**

**Track 2: Alcoholism and Drug Addiction**

**Session Chair:** Jacob Barg, Ashkelon Academic College, Israel

**Session Co-Chair:** Rebecca Cooper, Rebecca’s House: Eating Disorder Foundation, USA

11:00-11:20  Making a living online: Texas hold’em poker & problem gambling
Anthony A. B. Hopley, University of New Brunswick-Fredericton, Canada

11:20-11:40  Food addiction and eating disorders
Rebecca Cooper, Rebecca’s House: Eating Disorder Foundation, USA

11:40-12:00  Sex on the brain! Hypersexuality, a diagnosis to reveal or conceal?
Sorika De Swardt, Elim Clinic, South Africa

12:00-12:20  Helping recovering addicts find their way in the world
Rabbi Mark Borovitz, Beit T’ Shuvah: The House of Return, USA

12:20-12:40  The storyline approach in prevention of FASD
Jacob Barg, Ashkelon Academic College, Israel

12:40-13:00  CACNA1C variant in methamphetamine induced depression
Doungjai Buntup, Mahidol University, Thailand

13:00-13:20  A meta-analytical approach to assessing cognitive dysfunction in substance use disorder populations
Katherine Stavro, University of Montreal, Canada

13:20-13:40  Treatment and philosophy of the “dis-ease” of addiction
Harriet Rossetto, Beit T’ Shuvah: The House of Return, USA

13:40-14:00  The Dutch GHB monitor: Monitoring GHB dependence and detoxification
Boukje AG Dijkstra, Radboud University Nijmegen, The Netherlands

14:00-14:20  Untangling the web: The clinical assessment and treatment of sex & porn addiction
Robert Weiss, Elements Behavioral Health, USA

14:20-14:40  Panel Discussion

**Coffee Break 15:10-15:25 @ Atrium**

**Track 3: Drug Addiction and Neurotoxicology**

**Track 4: Addiction Biology**

**Session Chair:** Philip K. Liu, Mass General Hospital and Harvard Medical School, USA

**Session Co-Chair:** John A. Dani, Baylor College of Medicine, USA

15:00-15:10  Differential effects of Amphetamine exposure on neuroglia in vivo
Philip K. Liu, Mass General Hospital and Harvard Medical School, USA

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15:45-16:05 Mechanisms of Dopamine signaling contributing to the Nicotine addiction process
John A. Dani, Baylor College of Medicine, USA

16:05-16:25 Impact of perineuronal nets on Cocaine-induced plasticity in the medial prefrontal cortex
Barbara A. Sorg, Washington State University, USA

16:25-16:45 Examining connections on compulsive sexual behavior (CSB), anxiety, depression, and unsafe sexual practices among 88 CSB and 64 non-CSB men in Sao Paulo, Brazil
Marco de Tubino Scanavino, University of Sao Paulo Medical School, Brazil

16:45-17:05 Biological targets for medication development in stimulant addiction: Focus on animal models of addictive-like behavior
Juan J. Canales, University of Canterbury, New Zealand

17:05-17:25 Nerve block in treating chronic pain and addiction due to Opioid like drugs and pain killer
Souheil Chamandi, Holy Spirit University, Lebanon

17:25-17:45 Characteristics and outcomes of young and older adult Opiate users receiving private residential substance use treatment
Siobhan A. Morse, Foundations Recovery Network, USA

17:45-17:55 Panel Discussion

18:00-19:00 Cocktails - Sponsored by Journal of Addiction Research & Therapy

Day 2 July 23, 2013
Flamingo Ballroom

Keynote Forum

08:30-08:55 Lucious Conway
Recovery Coach Service of New York, USA

08:55-09:20 Gregory Bunt
ISAM, USA

09:20-09:45 Robert Weiss
Elements Behavioral Health, USA

Track 5: Addiction Chemistry
Track 7: Advanced Research Techniques in Addiction Treatment

Session Chair: Kenneth Blum, University of Florida, USA
Session Co-Chair: Bruce Hinds, Bruce Hinds, University of Kentucky, USA

09:50-10:10 Drug abuse relapse rates linked to level of education: Is Dopamine a culprit
Kenneth Blum, University of Florida, USA

10:10-10:30 Remotely programmed transdermal delivery device for counseling enhanced addiction treatment
Bruce Hinds, University of Kentucky, USA

10:30-10:50 Profiling epigenomic and transcriptomic alterations in postmortem prefrontal cortex of human alcoholics
Huiping Zhang, Yale University School of Medicine, USA

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11:05-11:25 Why aren't they coming? Barriers to addiction treatment entry and tools to address them
Adi Jaffe, Alternatives Addiction Treatment, USA

11:25-11:45 Dopamine and addiction: A novel perspective and future direction
Rajendra Badgaiyan, University of Buffalo, USA

11:45-12:05 Prescription drug abuse: Americas fastest growing drug problem
John Harden, UF & Shands Florida Recovery Center, USA

12:05-12:25 Effective treatments for addiction and comorbid psychiatric disorders
Thomas M. Kelly, University of Pittsburgh, USA

12:25-12:45 Prevalence of co-morbid disorders in addition to Cocaine dependence and their impact
Jesse B. Milby, University of Alabama at Birmingham, USA

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13:25-13:45 Understanding addiction through molecular imaging
Nina Urban, Columbia University, USA

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Desiree Crevecoeur-MacPhail, University of California at Los Angeles, USA

14:05-14:25 Population pharmacokinetics of Baclofen in alcohol-dependent patients
Nicolas Simon, Medical School of Marseilles, France

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Siobhan A. Morse, Foundations Recovery Network in Nashville, USA
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Amy L. Copeland, Louisiana State University, USA

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Vinod Kumar Goyal, Indian Psychiatry Society, India

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**Understanding dynamics of recovery**  
Naumana Amjad, University of Punjab, Pakistan

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Jian Kong, Harvard Medical School, USA

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**Using social media for tobacco dependence education**  
Marjorie R. Arnett, Loma Linda University, USA

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**Psychopathology and compulsive sexual behavior among 86 men who sought for treatment in Sao Paulo, Brazil**  
Marco de Tubino Scanavino, University of Sao Paulo Medical School, Brazil

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**Physical fitness in drug rehabilitation program**  
Prapapun Chucharoen, Mahidol University, Thailand

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Kyczy Hawk, Yoga and the Twelve Step Path, USA

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