



CLINICAL TALK

Mechanisms of distal axonal degeneration and neuroprotection in peripheral neuropathies

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DATE

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LOCATION

px 236/238
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SPEAKER

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Dr. Ahmet Hoke is Professor of Neurology and Neuroscience and Director of the Daniel B. Drachman Division of Neuromuscular Diseases at Johns Hopkins. He completed his medical school in Turkey at Hacettepe University, PhD studies in neuroscience at Case Western Reserve University in Cleveland, Neurology Residency training at Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore and Neuromuscular Fellowship at University of Calgary before returning back to Johns Hopkins on faculty in 1999. Dr. Hoke focuses on neuromuscular diseases with a particular interest in peripheral nerve diseases. His research interest includes studies on biology of peripheral axons and Schwann cells and disorders affecting the peripheral nervous system with a special focus on developing regenerative therapies for nerve injuries and peripheral neuropathies. In 2005, he received the coveted Derek Denny Brown Young Neurological Scholar Award given by the American Neurological Association. He serves on several editorial boards and is currently the Editor-in-Chief of Experimental Neurology.

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