

Event info

For almost 50 years since the influential Ad Hoc Committee of Harvard suggestion to expand the traditional circulatory standard to determine death into a twofold standard, a number of vexing practical and theoretical debates have arisen related to the ethics of procuring vital organs from cadavers. Some of the old controversies still generate debate, occasionally revived by new cases.

This conference offers an opportunity for novel and senior international scholars to share their most recent research with peer reviewed free oral communications.

Keynote Speakers

Stuart Youngner	Karen Gervais
Dale Gardiner	Charlotte Harrison
Christopher Dolan	Eric Racine
Michael Nair-Collins	Alicia Pérez Blanco

Organisation



Research Projects

MINECO FFI-2015-62699-ERC “Investigación sobre estrategias éticas para incrementar la donación de órganos en Europa”, IP David Rodríguez-Arias.

MINECO DER2013-50411-EXP “La regla del donante cadáver y la donación de órganos tras la muerte cardiocirculatoria: desafíos clínicos, éticos y jurídicos”, IP Pablo de Lora.

Dying Death Donating

INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON THE ETHICS OF ORGAN DONATION

GRANADA, SPAIN



Registration

Registration is possible until September 2nd, 2016.

In order to register, please fill the form below and send us a proof of payment at response.ugr@gmail.com.

On receipt of a completed registration form and correct fee, each participant will receive an electronic confirmation of their registration.

Please include "Death Donation" and your name on the bank transfer.

Registration fee: 50€ (EUR)

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Abstract submission

The conference organizers welcome submissions from a range of disciplines relevant to bioethics, including medical ethics, medicine, healthcare, philosophy, social sciences, law and public policy. In addition to submissions from established academics, early career researchers and healthcare professionals, we also encourage submissions from postgraduate students.

The word limit for the abstracts is 300 words.
Deadline for submissions: 15 July 2016
(to: response.ugr@gmail.com)

Programme

Wednesday September 7th

9:00- 9:15 Opening remarks: Chair: David Rodríguez-Arias and Pablo de Lora

On death: Clinical, legal and philosophical perspectives

9:15- 9:45 Dale Gardiner: The diagnosis of death: current clinical issues

9:45- 10:05 Q/A Chair: Alicia Pérez Blanco

On pluralism and death determination

10:10- 10:40 Christopher Dolan: The case of Jahi McMath

10:40- 11:00 Q/A Chair: Pablo de Lora

Coffee break

11:30-12:00 Karen Gervais: Science and ethics. Decisions of significance in death determination

12:00-12:20 Q/A Chair: David Rodríguez

12:30-13:30 Personal communications

13:30- 14:00 Q/A Chair: Pablo de Lora

Lunch break

On dying and donating: Ethical aspects

16:00- 16:30 Michael Nair-Collins: DCD and the dead donor rule

16:30-16:50 Q/A Chair: Stuart Youngner

17:00-17:30 Alicia Pérez Blanco: Craneoplasty: A case study in Spain

17:30-18:00 Q/A Chair: Michael Nair-Collins

Thursday September 8th

On the public attitudes about death, dying and organ donation.

9:00- 9:30 Charlotte Harrison: Pediatric donation: Ethical questions

9:30- 9:50 Q/A :Chair: Dale Gardiner

10:00- 10:30 Eric Racine: Paradigmatic assumptions and ethical responsibilities in the debate on death determination: A perspective from philosophical pragmatism

10:30- 10:50 Q/A :Chair: Alberto Molina

Coffee break

Concluding remarks

11:30- 12:00 Stuart Youngner: Organ donation and the boundaries between life and death. The evolution of the debate

12:00- 12:20 Q/A: Chair: Karen Gervais

12:30- 12:30 Personal communications

13:30- 14:00 Q/A

Chair: David Rodríguez-Arias