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Dear colleagues and friends

Welcome to the Symposium of the "Institut de la Main", to be held in Paris (France) on March 10-11, 2017.

This is the first time an international meeting is entirely dedicated to surgery of the spastic upper limb, both in adults and in children.

International experts will discuss in depth the indications, techniques (videos only) and results of surgery, and there will be a special focus on evaluation, and clinical cases discussions.

Whether surgeon, physiatrist, physical or occupational therapist, you are welcome to attend, and exchange your views with the experts.

If you feel that you can make a valuable contribution to this meeting, please let me know.

Looking forward to welcoming you in the city of Paris.

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Programme

// Introduction

// Spasticity: an update

// Evaluation: what does the surgeon need?
Assessment tools
The ideal surgical assessment

// Non-surgical treatments:
Botulinum toxin:
- technique and preferences
- complications and so-call "failures"
- BT and surgery
Preoperative physiotherapy and splinting

// Decision making: Goals, strategy and timing of surgery
- in children
- in adult

// Neurosurgical treatment
Radicotomy / intrathecal baclofen

// Surgical techniques: video session
(5 mn video presentation of each technique)
- Muscle lengthening
- Multiple tenotomies
- Neurectomies
- Tendon transfers
- Wrist arthrodesis
// Indications and Results

Shoulder:
- lengthening Vs neurectomy
- Abd-RE deformation

Elbow:
- the role of the biceps
- lengthening and neurectomies
- indications of elbow arthrolysis

Pro-supination:
- how to avoid hypercorrection?

Wrist:
- are there any indications left for the Scaglietti-Page release?
- restoring the balance / tendon transfers:
  technique, post-operative management, and long term evolution

The Thumb:
- classification
- first web release: techniques
- thumb MPj instability

Fingers:
- how do we assess the intrinsic muscles?
- intrinsic release: technique and postoperative management
- indications for tendon transfers to the finger flexors and extensors
- STP transfer: indications, complications, and results
- swan-neck and boutonnière deformities

Specifics of children:
- abnormal movements
- long term results

Specifics of adults:
- management of severe deformities
- hopeless cases: beyond surgery?

// Misc.:

- Surgery in adult CP patients
- Tetraplegia and spasticity
- Kienbock and Spasticity
- Spastic missions in developing countries
- Long term results of surgery