

You are invited to our **AIMSS Seminar Series:**
"The MIDFRAIL study: A new approach to older people with Diabetes from the perspective of frailty"



Guest Speaker:

Prof. Leocadio Rodriguez Mañas

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Prof Mañas is Professor of Geriatrics at the Universidad Europea de Madrid, Scientific Director of the Spanish Center for Biomedical Research on Frailty and Healthy Aging (CIBERFES) (Ministry of Economy and Competitiveness), and Co-director of the Toledo Study on Healthy Ageing, carried out on 2,895 community-dwelling older people. Director of the GARN-IAGG network since July 2017. His main lines of research are frailty, diabetes and models of care. He is a Principal Investigator in more than 40 externally, peer-reviewed funded projects research, including several EU-funded projects focused on frailty. One of these EU-funded projects (MID-FRAIL) was focused in assessing the effectiveness and efficiency of a multi modal treatment of older frail people with diabetes. In addition, he is participating in other 5 EU-funded projects.

Prof Rodriguez Mañas coordinates since 1st January 2017, on behalf of the Spanish government, the Joint Action ADVANTAGE, funded by DGSANTE, with the aim of building a European road map to face in a coordinated and homogeneous way the clinical, organisational and public health challenge of frailty.

Prof Rodriguez-Mañas has published more than 200 original manuscripts in peer reviewed journals, books and book chapters on several aspects of ageing, frailty and diabetes in older people and has participated in performing Technical Reports on those issues for both national and international organisations.

Details

Thursday 15th November 2018

5:00 - 6:00pm (followed by networking refreshments)

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