

ACEM Scientific Meeting review - Manchester 6th July 2006

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If you go on the ACEM web site go into the members section and then into past meetings you'll find a veritable who's who in EM in the UK – this meeting was no exception. The speakers were up to our usual high standard covering areas including: virology, haematology, neuropathology and bone pathology.

A case presentation is an excellent way of making a particular point - in this instance a case of Lafora body disease was presented. The haematology presentation illustrated the point that we are all familiar - Professors are very busy people, they are often off somewhere giving talks; which they do very well. The virology talk was informative and entertaining at least the part explaining how some of the specimens were acquired. The bone talk was a good overview of the subject.

As per usual, the informal get-together the evening before the meeting was well attended – a large group of us went to an Indian restaurant somewhere along Manchester's famous curry mile.

The group picture below was taken at the end of the meeting after half the delegates had left – I'll try to remember to fit this in slightly earlier in the programme next time.

