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Nagroda Konorskiego za rok 2011 - przyznana 2012-10-16

Komisja ds. Nagrody Konorskiego za r. 2011 pod przewodnictwem prof. Grzegorza Hessa za najlepszą spośród zgłoszonych prac uznała następującą publikację:

Anna Nowicka, Artur Marchewka, Katarzyna Jednorog, Paweł Tacikowski, Andre Brechmann. Forgetting of Emotional Information Is Hard: An fMRI Study of Directed Forgetting. Cerebral Cortex 21: 539-549, 2011.

Gratulujemy laureatom!

EXTENSION of Deadline for the 10th Goettingen Meeting of the German Neuroscience Society 2012-10-16

The deadline for registration, abstract submission and stipend application for the **10th Göttingen Meeting of the German Neuroscience Society (March 13 - 16, 2013)**

IS EXTENDED until: October 22, 2012.

The Meeting offers 8 plenary lectures, 24 symposia and extended poster sessions. The German Neuroscience Society provides travel grants for young qualified researchers.

Members of the FENS Member Societies (see "National Societies" and "Monodisciplinary Societies" on the FENS website) are entitled to register at the same reduced fee as members of the German Neuroscience Society.

Further information on the meeting is available on the [website](#).

10th Goettingen Meeting of the German Neuroscience Society, March 13 - 16, 2013 2012-10-10

That the website for registration and abstract submission for the **10th Göttingen Meeting of the German Neuroscience Society, March 13 - 16, 2013** is open.

<https://www.nwg-goettingen.de/2013/default.asp?id=8>

The Meeting offers 8 plenary lectures, 24 symposia and extended poster sessions (see attached poster). The German Neuroscience Society provides travel grants for young qualified researchers.

<http://nwg.glia.mdc-berlin.de/de/stipends/>

The deadline for early registration, abstract submission, and stipend application is: October 15, 2012.

Further information on the meeting is available on the website:

<https://www.nwg-goettingen.de/2013/default.asp?id=0>

FFRM Prague 2012 - Extension of Deadline: September 30, 2012 - Call for Symposia 2012-09-26

The deadline for submitting symposium and plenary lecture proposals for the **FENS Featured Regional Meeting 2013** which will be held from **September 11 to 14, 2013, in Prague**, the Czech Republic, has been extended to **September 30, 2012**.

Proposals for symposia and plenary lectures can be submitted using the [online forms](#) available on the meeting internet site. Evaluation and selection of those proposals to be included in the final scientific programme will be made by the International Programme Committee. Also available on the website are the Meeting Schedule and the major topics of the [Scientific Programme](#), as well as information about [three Training Schools](#) that will be held in Prague prior to the meeting, from September 9 - 11.

The Local Organising Committee also offers the possibility to hold a workshop on Wednesday, 11th September 2013. Proposals for workshops should be sent directly to Mr. James Dutt at dutt@biomed.cas.cz. For more information visit the meeting's [website](#).

Inhibitory Control of Brain Plasticity 2012-09-26

Bio-imaging Methods Reveal Brain Physiology

EU sponsored Research Conference
Cracow, Poland, 5-7 September 2013, Venue – Collegium Novum, Jagiellonian University

Invited speakers

Enrico Cherubini, Jean – Marc Fritschy, Takao Hensch, Kai Kaila, Istvan Katona, Jan Konopacki, Malgorzata Kossut, Monika Liguz-Lecznar, Karri Lamsa, Lamberto Maffei, Jerzy Mozrzymas, Elly Nedivi, Adam Plaznik, Wolf Singer, Peter Somogyi, Mike Stryker, Antoine Triller

Main topics

- Inhibitory interactions in modulating of synaptic and circuit plasticity
- Inhibitory control of the oscillatory activity
- Bio-Imaging of inhibition
- Function of GABAA receptors in the synaptic time scale
- Molecular processes underlying inhibitory synaptic interactions
- Early and late phases of brain development, control of critical periods
- Molecular aspects of inhibitory dysfunction in epilepsy
- Inhibition-excitation balance and plasticity in adult brain

Presentations concerning GABA, glycine, endocannabinoids, ion channels, inhibitory neurons, inhibitory synapses and pharmacology of inhibitory interactions are invited.

More information - www.gaba.confer.uj.edu.pl

Neuromodulatory Mechanisms - Cell Symposia 2012-09-06



Nencki Institute

October 10 - 12 2012, Hilton New Orleans, New Orleans, USA

Extended abstract submission deadline August 1, 2012

Early Registration Deadline August 24, 2012

Extended early bird registration deadline - September 14, 2012

Neuromodulatory mechanisms play an important role in allowing the nervous system to adapt to changes in context or behavioral state, and dysregulation of these mechanisms contributes to nervous system disorders. In recent years there has been renewed attention to the role of diverse modulatory systems in the flexible regulation of synapses and dynamic tuning of circuits. The focus of this meeting will be on presenting the latest findings related to neuromodulatory mechanisms and their role in nervous system function and disease. The meeting will cover new concepts and cutting-edge technologies, with a selection of topics that highlight multidisciplinary approaches including cell biology, biochemistry and molecular biology, physiology, genetics, and behavioral analyses.

Topics covered at the symposium will include:

- modulatory mechanism involving neuropeptides, growth factors, and hormones
- modulatory neurotransmitters such as dopamine, serotonin and acetylcholine and their roles in tuning neural circuits
- neuromodulation of synaptic function
- neuromodulation and behavioral state changes
- contribution of neuromodulatory mechanisms to innate behavior and cognitive functions
- contribution of neuromodulatory mechanisms to disorders of the nervous system

More details <http://www.cell-symposia-neuromodulatory-mechanisms.com/index.html>**HERTIE Winter School "Brain Dynamics and Dynamics of Brain Disease"** 2012-09-03

December 9-16, 2012 in Obergurgl, Austria

Deadline for applications: October 1st, 2012, 24:00 CET

Increased life expectancy comes with an increase of the incidence of brain disorders, resulting in huge social and financial costs. Thus, there is an urgent need to understand the neural mechanisms underlying brain disorders, and to suggest new perspectives on diagnostics and therapeutic intervention.

Several brain disorders (e.g. Parkinson's disease, epilepsy, autism, schizophrenia, sleep disorders, stroke), despite their multiple genetic and physiological preconditions, exhibit altered neuronal activity and, hence, can be described as disorders of brain dynamics. Tools from computational neuroscience can be extended to reveal and understand the neural mechanisms underlying brain function and dysfunction, and even suggest new therapeutic strategies.

This intensive course presents a unique opportunity to initiate a dialog between theoreticians and experimentalists, with the aim to support the development of computational models of brain disorders that can be characterized as dynamic diseases.

To apply, please, follow this link <<http://www.fens.org/fens-ibro-schools/2012/students/>>.**Applications must be submitted via the FENS-IBRO website only.**Visit the schools website <<http://www.fenswinterschool.org/>> for further information.**Zjazd PTBUN 2013 w Poznaniu - zmiana terminu** 2012-06-03Najbliższy, **11-sty zjazd PTBUN** odbędzie się w dniach **15-17 września 2013 w Poznaniu**.**Na propozycje sympozjów czekamy do 30 czerwca 2012!**[informacje dotyczące zgłaszania sympozjów](#)**NENS Stipends for Training Stays** 2012-01-30

The stipends are intended for **Master and PhD students** registered within NENS member schools or programmes. Applicants are expected to **spend a period of one to three months at a NENS member school of their choice in a different European country for the purpose of methodological training**. Stipends will cover travel and accommodation costs of up to up to 2'000 euros.

Application deadlines every year:

- February 15th
- June 15th
- October 15th

Now is a call for applications for February 15th. [more](#)**Neuroscience School of Advanced Studies - Courses 2012** 2012-01-15

The Neuroscience School of Advanced Studies is home of residential, intensive Courses, where leading investigators from around the world discuss upcoming research challenges with a small, highly selected number of participants in the unique atmosphere of the fortified medieval village of San Quirico d'Orcia, all within the most idyllic Tuscan countryside.

Participants are selected on merit only and the small course size, with attendance limited to a maximum of 50 participants, ensures effective communication.

[Synucleinopathies April 14 - 22](#)[Translating CNS Research into Therapy April 28 - May 6](#)[Addictive Disorders May 12 - 20](#)[Neurogenetics May 26 - June 3](#)[Neuroinflammation June 23 - July 1](#)[Neuronal Synaptic Damage and Neuroprotection July 7 - 15](#)[Deep Brain Stimulation: The Motor System and Beyond July 21 - 29](#)[Basal Ganglia: Learning, Habit Formation and Reward August 4 - 12](#)[Imaging in Psychiatric Disorders August 25 - September 2](#)[Emerging Therapeutic Targets in Schizophrenia September 8 - 16](#)[Molecular Pathogenesis of Depression: Neuroplasticity and Epigenetic Mechanisms September 22 - 30](#)

Neurobiology of Autism Spectrum Disorders November 10 - 18

Apel o zapłacenie składek członkowskich PTBUN

2012-01-04

Zarząd Polskiego Towarzystwa Badań Układu Nerwowego (PTBUN) zwraca się z uprzejmą prośbą o zapłacenie zaległych składek członkowskich.

[więcej informacji](#)

Stypendia na udział w FENS Forum 2012

2011-12-28

PTBUN oferuje 4 stypendia po 500 EURO na pokrycie kosztów związanych z udziałem w FENS Forum 2012, które odbędzie się w Barcelonie w dniach 14-18 lipca, 2012

(<http://forum.fens.org/2012>).

[Wiecej informacji](#)

Nagroda im. Jerzego Konorskiego 2011

2011-09-10

Zawiadamiamy, że w tegorocznej edycji konkursu o nagrodę im. Jerzego Konorskiego, przyznawaną corocznie przez Polskie Towarzystwo Badań Układu Nerwowego i Komitet Neurobiologii PAN za najlepszą polską pracę badawczą z dziedziny neurobiologii, rozpatrzono siedem prac.

Komisja, pod przewodnictwem prof. dr hab. Mariana Lewandowskiego, postanowiła przyznać Nagrodę zespołowi:

Marta B. Wiśniewska, Katarzyna Misztal, Wojciech Michowski, Marcin Szczot, Elżbieta Purta, Wiesława Leśniak, Monika E. Klejman, Michał Dąbrowski, Robert K. Filipkowski, Andrzej Nagalski, Jerzy W. Mozrzyms i Jacek Kuźnicki,

za pracę:

LEF1/B - Catenin Complex Regulates Transcription of the Cav3.1 Calcium Channel Gene (Cacna1g) in Thalamic Neurons of the Adult Brain, opublikowaną w Journal of neuroscience 2010 (30) 14: 4957-4969. (IF=8.238).

Zwycięzcom gratulujemy!