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21<sup>ST</sup> ANNUAL MEETING OF THE  
ORGANIZATION FOR HUMAN BRAIN MAPPING

June 14-18, 2015 | Hawaii Convention Center



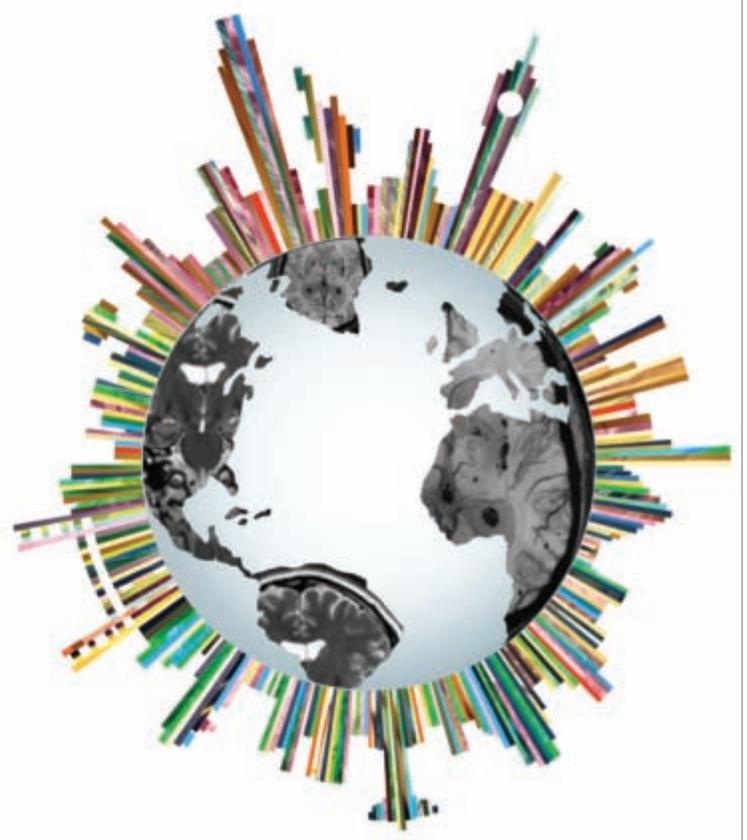


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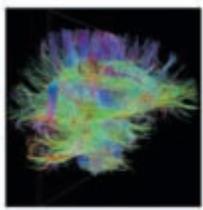


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# WELCOME

Thank you for joining us for the Organization for Human Brain Mapping's Annual Meeting in beautiful Honolulu, Hawaii!

William James said, "Man lives for science as well as bread." Many of you have attended this meeting over the past 20 years and have not only witnessed, but have also participated in the tremendous growth and evolution of our discoveries. So it will come as no surprise that our 21st meeting, as in years past, will offer a rich and varied menu of science delights for your intellectual palate. To whet your appetites, the program will be launched by Amy Arnsten's Talairach Lecture on "What Lies Within: Cautionary Tales from Cortical Physiology". Throughout the next few days, we will feast upon a series of outstanding keynote lectures presented by BJ Casey, Christian Büchel, Bruce Fischl, Michael Breakspear, Sabine Kastner, Susan Whitfield-Gabrieli, and Terry Sejnowski. And a rich scientific smorgasbord — literally hundreds of talks, scientific posters, and networking opportunities — will surely stimulate important discussion and debate, and nourish new insights and excitement about the work you do.

One of the highlights of this year's meeting will be the Town Hall Forum where the OHBM Council will present information regarding the future direction of OHBM based on a recent strategic planning meeting. Members will also have a chance to weigh in on a white paper prepared by OHBM's Committee on Best Practice in Data Analysis and Sharing (COBIDAS) to be shared with the brain mapping community. Attending the Town Hall Forum on Wednesday, June 17 from 17.15 to 18.15 is your chance to weigh in on the future of OHBM.

Other items on the menu to enhance your meeting experience include:

- Attending one of many educational courses offered on Sunday.
- Learning from the scientific education offered throughout the four days of the meeting including three member-initiated symposia, a Local Organizers Committee symposium, oral sessions and morning workshops.
- Hearing the results from this year's OHBM Hackathon and participating in the ongoing dialogue throughout the meeting. **Learn more about the OHBM Hackathon on the Annual Meeting website.**
- Engaging in conversation with over 2,900 poster presenters sharing the latest research in a variety of disciplines.
- Visiting with our knowledgeable exhibitors to learn about the latest products and services available for the brain mapping community.
- Taking time to build new relationships during one of several networking events, including the Welcome Reception on Sunday; Club Night on Wednesday at the Hilton Hawaiian Village; and poster wine/beer receptions being held on Tuesday and Thursday after programming.
- During and after the meeting, utilize OHBM resources including:
  - **The Annual Meeting mobile app**
  - The Onsite Career Resource room where job seekers can connect with employers
  - **Onsite Career Resource**
  - The **Online Library**, which contains program presentations from this and past OHBM meetings.
  - E-Posters, which contain hundreds of posters that you may have missed.  
<http://www4.aievolution.com/hbm1501>.

We thank each of you for joining us here in Honolulu. It has been a distinct privilege for us to contribute to the meeting, and we look forward to your involvement. Working together, our spectacular OHBM scientific community is the haute cuisine of our scientific field, so we know that you will find the superb fare at the 21st Annual Meeting of the Organization for Human Brain Mapping memorable, scientifically exciting, and intellectually satisfying. Oh, and don't forget to feast at the Opening Reception!

Sincerely,

Karen F. Berman  
Chair, Council

John Darrell Van Horn  
Chair, Program Committee

Thomas Ernst & Linda Chang  
Co-Chairs, Local Organizing Committee

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# OHBM 2015 PROGRAM-AT-A-GLANCE

## Sunday, June 14

### Educational Courses

#### Full Day Courses: 8:00 – 16:30

Advanced fMRI Course Physics, Physiology, Models, & Inference  
Ballroom ABC

Anatomy and Its Impact on Structural and Functional Imaging  
Room 315

Electromagnetical Neuroimaging and Multimodal Integration  
Room 311

MR Diffusion Imaging: Getting Your Measures Right  
Room 323 ABC

Pattern Recognition for NeuroImaging - PR4NI  
Room 316 AB

#### Morning Courses 8:00 – 12:00

Introduction to Imaging Genetics  
Room 324

The Art and Pitfalls of fMRI Preprocessing  
Room 316 C

Tools to Parcellate the Brain and its Relation to Function  
Room 314

#### Afternoon Courses 13:00 – 16:30

Computational Neuroscience and Modelling of Neurodynamics  
Room 314

Neuroimaging Meta-Analysis  
Room 324

Reproducible Neuroimaging  
Room 316 C

#### HACKATHON EVENT 8:00 – 16:30

Open Science Collaboration and Community:  
HBM Hackathon Project Outcomes  
There is no charge to attend this course  
Room 317 A

17:30 – 19:30

#### Opening Ceremonies and Talairach Lecture

Ballroom ABC

#### Talairach Lecture: Dr. Amy Arnsten

What Lies Within:  
Cautionary Tales from Cortical Physiology

19:30 – 21:00

#### Welcome Reception

Rooftop Garden Hawaii Convention Center



## Monday, June 15

8:00 – 9:15

### Morning Workshops

Neuroimaging-based Multivariate Classification Algorithms for Acute and Chronic pain  
Room 311

The Emergence of Cognition  
Room 316 AB

From Mapping Functions to Functional Mapping  
Room 323 ABC

Genetics of the Connectome  
Ballroom ABC

15 minute break

9:30 – 10:15

#### Keynote Lecture: Susan Whitfield-Gabrieli

Connectomic Insights into Psychiatric Disorders  
Ballroom ABC

15 minute break

10:30 – 11:45

### LOC Symposium

Neuroimaging Studies in Substance Use Disorders  
Ballroom ABC

11:45 – 12:45

### Lunch

12:45 – 14:45

#### Poster Session: Poster Numbers #1000 – 2451

Authors with even numbered posters will present their posters today.  
Exhibit Hall 2 and 3

14:45 – 16:00

### Symposium

Anatomical and Functional Mapping of Subcortical Structures with ultra-high-field MRI  
Ballroom ABC

15 minute break

16:15 – 17:00

#### Keynote Lecture: Bruce Fischl

Computational Analysis of Functional, Connectional and Architectonic Properties of the Human Brain  
Ballroom ABC

17:15 – 18:30

### Oral Sessions

O-M1: Motor Behavior-Multimodal Mapping of Motor Systems  
Room 316 AB

O-M2: Psychiatric Disorders  
Room 315

O-M3: Mechanisms of Memory and Learning  
Room 323 ABC

O-M4: Dynamic Electrophysiological Mapping  
Room 311

O-M5: Neuroanatomy  
Ballroom ABC

## Tuesday, June 16

8:00 – 9:15

### Morning Workshops

Tracking Disease Trajectories and Identifying Brain-Based Markers to Characterize Mental Illness  
Room 323 ABC

Novel Approaches to Decode the Distributed Neural Representation of Emotions and their Components  
Room 316 AB

A New Look at the Data: Non-traditional Approaches to fMRI Data Analysis  
Room 311

Toward a Bigger Brain: Noninvasive Characterization of Brain Microstructure  
Ballroom ABC

15 minute break

9:30 – 10:15

#### Keynote Lecture: Michael Breakspear

Brain Waves  
Ballroom ABC

15 minute break

10:30 – 11:45

### Oral Sessions

O-T1: Neurological Disorders  
Room 323 ABC

O-T2: Emotion and Motivation  
Room 316 AB

O-T3: Systems Analysis of Language Processes  
Room 311

O-T4: White Matter Imaging Methods  
Ballroom ABC

O-T5: Physiology, Metabolism and Neurotransmission  
Room 315

11:45 – 12:45

### Lunch

12:45 – 14:45

### Poster Session

#### Poster Numbers #1000 – 2451

Authors with odd numbered posters will present their posters today.  
Exhibit Hall 2 and 3

14:45 – 16:00

### Symposium

Multilevel Social Neuroscience  
Ballroom ABC

15 minute break

16:15 – 17:00

#### Keynote Lecture: BJ Casey

The Adolescent Brain: "Arrested" or Adaptive Development  
Ballroom ABC

17:00 – 18:30

### Poster Reception

Exhibit Hall 2 and 3

## Wednesday, June 17

8:00 – 9:15

### Morning Workshops

State-of-the-Science: Neuroimaging of Autism  
Ballroom ABC

Investigating Neuronal Computation in Cortical Laminae using  
Layer-resolved fMRI & Electrophysiology  
Room 323 ABC

Statistical Assessment of MVPA Results  
Room 316 AB

Time is of the Essence: The Role of EEG and MEG in Mapping the Human Brain  
Room 311

15 minute break

9:30 – 10:15

### Keynote Lecture: Sabine Kastner

Neural Network Dynamics For  
Attentional Selection in the Primate Brain  
Ballroom ABC

15 minute break

10:30 – 11:45

### Oral Sessions

O-W1: Resting-State  
fMRI Methods  
Ballroom ABC  
O-W2: Development  
Room 323 ABC

O-W3: Perception and  
Attention  
Room 311  
O-W4: Genetics  
Room 316 AB

O-W5: MRI Acquisition  
Room 315

11:45 – 12:45 **Lunch**

11:45 – 12:45

### Meet The Editors Roundtable

Room 316 C

12:45 – 14:45

### Poster Session: Poster Numbers #3000 – 4463

Authors with even numbered posters will present their posters today.  
Exhibit Hall 2 and 3

14:45 – 16:00

### Symposium

Understanding the Emerging Complexity of the Developing Brain  
Ballroom ABC

15 minute break

16:15 – 17:00

### Keynote Lecture: Christian Büchel

Pain and pain regulation: from spinal to cortical processing  
Ballroom ABC

15 minute break

17:15 – 18:15

### Town Hall Meeting

Ballroom ABC

19:30 – 1:00 **Club Night**

Coral Ballroom Hilton Hawaiian Village

## Thursday, June 18

8:00 – 9:15

### Morning Workshops

Statistics for Comparing Brain Networks with  
Applications in Brain Disease  
Ballroom ABC

New Developments and Horizons for Spinal Cord fMRI  
Room 323 ABC

Estimating Time Varying Connectivity  
Room 316 AB

Neuroimaging Applications of Simultaneous Multi-Slice Imaging  
Room 311

15 minute break

9:30 – 10:15

### Keynote Lecture: Terrence J. Sejnowski

Delay Differential Analysis of Human LFP EEG and ECoG  
Ballroom ABC

15 minute break

10:30 – 11:45

### Oral Sessions

O-TH1: Cognitive and  
Executive Function  
Room 311

O-TH2: Social Functioning  
and Autism  
Room 315

O-TH3: Aging and  
Dementia  
Ballroom ABC

O-TH4: Brain Stimulation  
Methods  
Room 323 ABC

O-TH5: Classification,  
Prediction, Machine  
Learning & Informatics  
Room 316 AB

11:45 – 12:45

### Lunch

11:45 – 12:45

### OHBM Research Funding Roundtable

Room 316 C

12:45 – 14:45

### Poster Session: Poster Numbers #3000 – 4463

Authors with odd numbered posters will  
present their posters today.  
Coral Ballroom Hilton Hawaiian Village

14:45 – 16:00

### Closing Comments and Meeting Highlights

Ballroom ABC

16:00 – 17:30

### Farewell Poster Reception

Exhibit Hall 2 and 3



## GENERAL INFORMATION

### CONFERENCE VENUE

Hawaii Convention Center  
1801 Kalakaua Avenue  
Honolulu, HI 96815  
808-943-3500

**All events will take place at the Hawaii Convention Center unless otherwise noted.**

### REGISTRATION HOURS

*Main Lobby, Level 1*

Saturday, June 13: 15:00 – 18:00  
Sunday, June 14: 7:00 – 19:30  
Monday, June 15: 7:30 – 17:00  
Tuesday, June 16: 7:30 – 17:00  
Wednesday, June 17: 7:30 – 17:00  
Thursday, June 18: 7:30 – 15:00

### EXHIBIT HOURS

*Exhibit Hall 2 and 3*

Monday, June 15: 8:00 – 16:00  
Tuesday, June 16: 8:00 – 18:30  
Wednesday, June 17: 8:00 – 16:00  
Thursday, June 18: 8:00 – 17:30

### WELCOME RECEPTION

**Sunday, June 14, 19:00 – 21:00**

*Rooftop Garden*

Join us for the 2015 Annual Meeting Welcome Reception. The reception will be held at the Hawaii Convention Center immediately following the Opening Ceremonies and Talairach Lecture on Sunday, June 14. **Please make sure to wear your name badge, which will serve as your ticket to the event.** Additional guest badges are \$50.00 USD.

### TOWN HALL FORUM

**Wednesday, June 17, 17:15 – 18:15**

*Ballroom ABC*

The Town Hall Forum is the top source for the latest breaking news and commentary on issues impacting the neuroimaging community and your member organization. It is also an opportunity for you to voice your opinions and questions to the Council — which helps shape future agendas. **If you have never attended the Forum before, this is the year to participate!** Member input will be sought on several topical issues including a report by Chair on OHBM's recent strategic planning meeting and new initiatives under development; a draft white paper created by the Committee on Best Practice in Data Analysis and Sharing (COBIDAS); and discussions on ways to bridge regional and special interests. The new elected leadership will be announced as well as dates and venues for future Annual Meetings.

### CLUB NIGHT

**Wednesday, June 17, 19:30 – 1:00**

Conveniently located at the Hilton Hawaiian Village, over 50,000 square feet of space will be transformed into OHBM's Annual Club Night. The Hilton Hawaiian Village is located at 2005 Kalia Road Honolulu. Club night will be in the Coral Ballroom and lounge which is in the Pacific Conference Center.

There will be a DJ that will play dance music throughout the evening. The party is complimentary to registrants. **Please make sure to bring your ticket to Club Night.**

Additional guest tickets are \$50.00 and must be purchased at the conference registration desk.

### SPEAKER READY ROOM

*Room 319 AB*

Saturday, June 13: 15:00 – 18:00  
Sunday, June 14: 7:00 – 19:30  
Monday, June 15: 7:00 – 19:45  
Tuesday, June 16: 7:00 – 18:00  
Wednesday, June 17: 7:00 – 18:00  
Thursday, June 18: 7:00 – 16:00



## INTERNET CAFE

*Exhibit Hall Lobby Level*

A limited number of complimentary terminals will be available. Please limit your time at a terminal to 15 minutes.

Saturday, June 13: 15:00 – 18:00

Sunday, June 14: 7:00 – 19:30

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## OHBM ART EXHIBIT / CROSSING FIBERS: A NEURORETROSPECTROSCOPIC VIEW

*Main Lobby / Open During Registration Hours*

Since 2011, the brain-art competition at the OHBM annual meeting has provided an active interface between art and science. Hundreds of submissions in multiple categories have showcased the beauty of the brain from diverse perspectives. This year's exhibit celebrates this tradition by bringing together past and present works in a 5-year retrospective. The exhibition will be on display at the main entrance lobby in the Hawaii Convention Center throughout the conference. Please come by and enjoy the view through the neuroretrospectroscope!

For more information: [www.neurobureau.org/galleries](http://www.neurobureau.org/galleries)

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## 2015 OHBM HACKATHON

**June 14 – 18, 2015**

*Room 317 A*

The 2015 HBM Hackathon engages OHBM community members in open neuroscience initiatives through participation in "hacking" activities that range from data analysis and tool building to educational workshops. Brain imaging researchers come together to apply their technical, methodological, and scientific skills to topics of their choice in the days preceding OHBM. The 2015 event in Hawaii started three days prior to the Annual Meeting. On Sunday, June 14, 2015 all OHBM attendees are invited to attend the Open Science Collaboration and Community: HBM Hackathon Project Outcomes from 13:00-16:30 in room 317 A. *The Hack Room is available June 15-18 from 8:00-17:00 in room 317 A.*

## MOBILE APP

The 2015 Mobile App, powered by EventLink and created by Core-Apps LLC, is a native application for smartphones (iPhone and Android), a hybrid web-based app for Blackberry, and there's also a web-based version of the application for all other web browser-enabled phones.

How to Download:

For iPhone (plus, iPod Touch & iPad) and Android phones: Visit your App Store or Android Market on your phone and search for OHBM.

For All Other Phone Types (including BlackBerry and all other web browser-enabled phones): While on your smartphone, point your mobile browser to <http://m.core-apps.com/ohbm2015>. From there you will be directed to download the proper version of the app for your particular device, or, on some phones, you simply bookmark the page for future reference.

## ONSITE CAREER RESOURCES

Back by popular demand! OHBM has created an electronic board at [www.humanbrainmapping.org/2015Career](http://www.humanbrainmapping.org/2015Career) where PIs can post positions available notices (under "Labs Looking for People") and trainees can post CVs (under "People Looking for Jobs") before and during the meeting. OHBM has reserved room 325 B in the Hawaii Convention Center from Sunday, June 14 through Thursday, June 18 for job seekers to meet and network with job providers and gather and discuss employment opportunities.

## SOCIAL MEDIA

Twitter: @OHBM, hash tag #OHBM2015

Facebook: Organization for Human Brain Mapping

Facebook Student Post Doc: Organization for Human

Brain Mapping — Student and Postdoc Section

LinkedIn: Organization for Human Brain Mapping

## E-POSTERS

All poster presenters are encouraged to upload an electronic version of their poster (E-poster) as a pdf. To access E-Posters, please go to <http://www4.aievolution.com/hbm1501/>.



## GENERAL INFORMATION

### WIRELESS CONNECTION

To connect to the conference Wifi, please connect your device to the network "OHBM2015." **No password is required.**

### EVALUATIONS ONLINE!

New in 2015, we have eliminated the lengthy evaluation surveys! We ask that you utilize the rating system located on the mobile app. You can rate a session by selecting the clipboard icon on the left menu of an event. An overall Educational Course and Annual Meeting evaluation will be sent in the daily emails. It is only through attendee's feedback that we can continue to improve the content, format, and schedule of the meeting.

### ACCME ACCREDITATION

**CME CREDIT:** This activity has been planned and implemented in accordance with the Essential Areas and Policies of the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) through sponsorship of the Organization for Human Brain Mapping. The OHBM is accredited by the ACCME to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

The Organization for Human Brain Mapping designates this live activity for a maximum of 29.50 AMA PRA Category I Credit(s)<sup>™</sup>. Physicians should only claim credit commensurate with the extent of their participation. **CME forms will only be available online on the OHBM website.**

## EGI Sponsored Lunch Symposium

Hawai'i Convention Center, Room 315

Tuesday, 16 June 2015

12:00 pm – 1:30 pm



### "Geodesic Transcranial Electrical Neuromodulation: Rationale and Live Demo"

The two goals of this workshop are (1) to review the principles for modulating neural plasticity with low level electrical currents, and (2) demonstrate EGI's GTEN system.

#### Speaker:

Peter Tass, PhD, Institute for Neuroscience and Medicine, Jülich University

*Subtle Influence: Mechanisms of Neural Reorganization with Sensory Manipulation and Low Energy Electrical Neuromodulation*

#### Live GTEN demo:

Erik Anderson, PhD; Phan Luu, PhD; Don M. Tucker, PhD, Electrical Geodesics, Inc.

Boxed lunch is provided.

You may register for this symposium at [www.egi.com](http://www.egi.com) > education > workshops.



**EDUCATIONAL COURSES**

**CREDITS**

Anatomy and its impact on structural and functional imaging (Full Day).....	7.00
Advanced fMRI Course Physics, physiology, models, & inference (Full Day) .....	7.00
Pattern Recognition for Neuroimaging (or PR4NI) (Full Day) .....	7.00
MR Diffusion Imaging: Getting Your Measures Right (Full Day) .....	7.00
Electromagnetical Neuroimaging and Multimodal Integration (Full Day) .....	7.00
The Art and Pitfalls of fMRI Preprocessing (Half Day) .....	3.50
Tools to parcellate the brain and its relation to function (Half Day).....	3.50
Introduction to Imaging Genetics (Half Day).....	3.50
Computational Neuroscience and Modelling of Neurodynamics (Half Day) .....	3.50
Neuroimaging Meta-Analysis (Half Day).....	3.50
Reproducible Neuroimaging (Half Day) .....	3.50

**Maximum number of possible credits earned at Educational Courses..... 7.00**

**ANNUAL MEETING CREDITS**

Talairach Lecture .....	0.75
Keynote Lectures .....	0.75 each
Morning Workshops.....	1.25 each
Oral Sessions .....	1.25 each
Symposia .....	1.25 each
LOC Symposia.....	1.25
Meeting Highlights.....	1.00
Town Hall Forum .....	0.50

**Total number of possible credits earned at Annual Meeting ..... 22.50**

**TOTAL NUMBER OF POSSIBLE CREDITS ..... 29.50**

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## SUNDAY, JUNE 14, 2015 | EDUCATIONAL COURSES

### **Advanced fMRI Course Physics, Physiology, Models, & Inference**

**Full Day Course / 8:00 – 16:30**

*Ballroom ABC*

#### **Organizers:**

Tor Wager, *Department of Psychology and Neuroscience, University of Colorado at Boulder, Boulder, CO, United States*

Nikolaus Kriegeskorte, *MRC Cognition and Brain Sciences Unit, Cambridge, United Kingdom*

Functional magnetic resonance imaging (fMRI) has taken a central role in the study of human brain function. fMRI is inherently trans disciplinary, and data acquisition and analysis are constantly evolving. Thus, there is a need for continuing education on new methods and cutting-edge neuroscientific applications of fMRI. The first part of the course covers the physics and physiology of fMRI, and the relationship between neuronal and BOLD activity patterns. The second part focuses on pattern—information analyses and how they can be used to learn about neuronal population codes and to test computational theories of brain information processing.

#### **Learning Objectives:**

The course is designed to develop participants' understanding of:

1. The physics and physiology underlying fMRI, and the resulting potential and limitations of fMRI.
2. Pattern decoding, representational similarity analysis, and voxel-receptive-field modelling.
3. Computational modelling of brain information processing and its integration into the analysis of fMRI data.

#### **Target Audience:**

This course is intended for an audience of research scientists with intermediate to advanced knowledge of fMRI techniques, who wish to extend the breadth and depth of their understanding of the current state of the art.

### **Course Schedule**

**8:00 – 8:30**

#### **Introduction to MRI and fMRI physics**

Lawrence Wald, PhD, *Massachusetts General Hospital, Charlestown, MA, United States*

**8:30 – 9:00**

#### **Basic physiology of fMRI: signal and noise**

Rasmus Birn, *University of Wisconsin-Madison, Madison, WI, United States*

**9:00 – 9:30**

#### **The physiology of fMRI and its relation to brain information processing**

Amir Shmuel, *Montreal Neurological Institute, Montreal, Canada*

**9:30 – 10:00**

#### **Dynamic network models for fMRI data**

Sarah Muldoon, *University of Pennsylvania and US Army Research Laboratory Aberdeen Proving Ground, MD, United States*

### **BREAK**

**10:00 – 10:30**

**10:30 – 11:00**

#### **Inferential Brain Mapping**

Cyril Pernet, *Centre for Clinical Brain Sciences (CCBS), Neuroimaging Sciences, The University of Edinburgh, Edinburgh, Scotland*

**11:00 – 11:30**

#### **Causal inference in fMRI analysis**

Martin Lindquist, *Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, MD, United States*

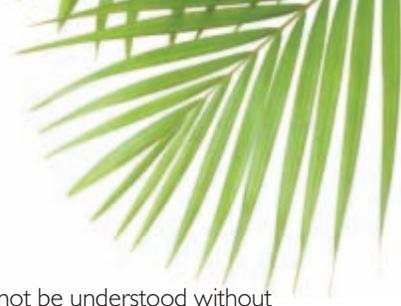
**11:30 – 12:00**

#### **Network modeling in fMRI analysis**

Eugene Duff, *FMRIB Centre, Oxford, United Kingdom*

### **LUNCH**

**12:00 – 13:00**



**13:00 – 13:30**

**Dynamic causal modeling**

Klaas Enno Stephan, *Translational Neuromodeling Unit, Inst. for Biomedical Engineering, Univ. of Zurich & ETH Zurich, Zurich, Switzerland*

**13:30 – 14:00**

**Representations and patterns in translational neuroimaging**

Tor D. Wager, *Department of Psychology and Neuroscience, University of Colorado at Boulder, Boulder, CO, United States*

**14:00 – 14:30**

**Pattern decoding analysis for fMRI: basic steps and advanced techniques**

Yukiyasu Kamitani, *MRC Cognition and Brain Sciences Unit, Cambridge, United Kingdom*

**BREAK**

**14:30 – 15:00**

**15:00 – 15:30**

**Representational similarity analysis**

Nikolaus Kriegeskorte, *MRC Cognition and Brain Sciences Unit, Cambridge, United Kingdom*

**15:30 – 16:00**

**A tutorial on voxel-wise modeling (VM)**

Jack Gallant, *University of California, Berkeley, CA, United States*

**Wrap Up and Discussion**

**16:00 – 16:30**

**Anatomy and Its Impact on Structural and Functional Imaging**

**Full Day Course / 8:00 – 16:30**

*Room 315*

**Organizers:**

Karl Zilles, *Research Center Jülich, Jülich, Germany*

Katrin Amunts, *Research Center Jülich, Jülich, Germany*

Results of neuroimaging studies cannot be understood without knowing the anatomy of the brain, and the way how brain structure influences the interpretation of the results through interaction with image acquisition, processing and analysis. The course will provide an introduction and critical overview of classical and modern approaches for studying the anatomy of the brain using neuroimaging techniques and anatomical methods. It is aimed at a multidisciplinary audience, and will provide an introduction to gross anatomical landmarks, the microstructural organization of the brain including cortical segregation and its intersubject variability, the representation of visual functions as well as brain development as assessed by MR techniques. Neuroimaging methods will be discussed with respect to their advantages, disadvantages and potential pitfalls as it concerns anatomy. The relevance of anatomical knowledge for the interpretation of structural and/or functional imaging data will be made explicit. Part one will consist of talks introducing anatomical concepts and developmental aspects and shows, how MRI contributes. Part two will focus on organizational principles of the brain's microstructure (cyto-, receptor- and myeloarchitecture), and critically reflects the perspectives and limits of MR imaging with respect to brain organization. Part 3 will demonstrate the complex relationships between neuroimaging and the anatomical and microscopical structure using the visual cortex as a concrete example.

**Learning Objectives:**

The course is designed to develop participants' understanding of:

1. Understand the organizational principles of the human brain on a macroscopic and microscopic level, and their changes during development.
2. Understand the relationships between neuroimaging data and anatomical structures, or the structural ground truth behind models, parameters and terms widely used in neuroimaging.
3. Give examples of applications of structural MRI for understanding brain function.
4. Understand the structure of the visual cortex and its meaning as an example for the interpretation of neuroimaging data.

**Target Audience:**

The prime target audience is researchers with an interest in understanding the relationship between brain structure and function. This includes researchers with limited previous anatomical knowledge but also these with more advanced knowledge. Prior experience of neuroimaging is expected. Background will be provided for those without special anatomical knowledge but some talks will address advanced issues that would be of interest to people with experience in this field.



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### Course Schedule

8:00 – 8:30

#### **Introduction to the course: Aims, goals and why these talks and this course structure**

Karl Zilles, *Research Center Jülich, Jülich, Germany*

8:30 – 9:00

#### **Development of the cerebral cortex**

David Van Essen, *Washington University, St. Louis, MO, United States*

9:00 – 9:30

#### **MRI and cortical thickness: What does it mean?**

Alan Evans, *McConnell Brain Imaging Centre, Montreal Neurological Institute, McGill University, Montreal, Quebec, Canada*

9:30 – 10:00

#### **High resolution imaging and anatomy**

Noam Harel, *University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN, United States*

### BREAK

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#### **Cytoarchitecture of the human cerebral cortex**

Katrin Amunts, *Research Center Jülich, Jülich, Germany*

11:00 – 11:30

#### **Receptorarchitecture and neural systems**

Karl Zilles, *Research Center Jülich, Jülich, Germany*

11:30 – 12:00

#### **Cortical diffusion imaging**

Alard Roebroek, *Maastricht University, Maastricht, The Netherlands*

### LUNCH

12:00 – 13:00

13:00 – 13:30

#### **Anatomical landmarks and functionally defined visual areas**

Kevin Weiner, PhD, *Stanford University, Stanford, CA, United States*

13:30 – 14:00

#### **Myeloarchitecture, probability maps and retinotopy of the visual cortex**

Matthew Glasser, *Washington State University, St. Louis, MO, United States*

14:00 – 14:30

#### **High-resolution fiber tract visualization in human occipital cortex**

Svenja Caspers, *Institute of Neuroscience and Medicine, INM-1, Research Center Jülich, Jülich, Germany*

### BREAK

14:30 – 15:00

15:00 – 15:30

#### **High-resolution functional imaging and anatomy of the visual cortex**

Rainer Goebel, *Maastricht University, Maastricht, The Netherlands*

15:30 – 16:00

#### **Integration of post-mortem anatomy and in-vivo imaging**

Simon Eickhoff, *Institute of Clinical Neuroscience and Medical Psychology, Heinrich Heine University, Düsseldorf, Germany*

### Wrap Up and Discussion

16:00 – 16:30



## Electromagnetical Neuroimaging and Multimodal Integration

Full Day Course / 8:00 – 16:30

Room 311

### Organizers:

Thomas Koenig, *University Hospital of Psychiatry, University of Bern, Department of Psychiatric Neurophysiology, Bern, Switzerland*

Petra Ritter, *Charité Universitaetsmedizin, Berlin, Germany*

Neuroimaging is becoming increasingly multimodal, and the integration of hemodynamic, electromagnetic, structural and behavioral data is offering insights unavailable to a single method alone. For conclusions to converge across modalities, the analysis strategies must however contain sufficient conceptual and statistical vigor. Aim of this educational course is to give a critical introduction to the available theories, models and methods to analyze multichannel electromagnetic data recorded from the human scalp in an unambiguous, explicit and coherent way. Particular care is given to present methods that offer explicit junctions to other imaging modalities, allowing converging and/ or complementary conclusions and translational research.

### Learning Objectives:

The course is designed to develop participants' understanding of:

1. Understand the effect of volume conduction on quantitative measures of EEG and MEG.
2. Know the main types of EEG and MEG modelling.
3. Know the essentials of integrating EEG and MEG data with data from other modalities such as fMRI.

### Target Audience:

People interested in using EEG and MEG in combination with other imaging modalities and as a standalone method.

## Course Schedule

8:00 – 8:45

### Scalp field dynamics of evoked and spontaneous EEG

Thomas Koenig, *University Hospital of Psychiatry, University of Bern, Department of Psychiatric Neurophysiology, Bern, Switzerland*

8:45 – 9:30

### Scalp field dynamics of evoked and spontaneous EEG

Professor Christoph Michel, *Department of Fundamental Neurosciences, University of Geneva, Geneva, Switzerland*

9:30 – 10:15

### Blind Source Separation of Electrophysiological Data

Scott Makeig, *Swartz Computational Center for Neuroscience, La Jolla, CA, United States*

## BREAK

10:15 – 10:30

10:30 – 11:15

### Baselines and state dependent processing

Daniel Brandeis, *University of Zurich, CIMH Mannheim, Zürich and Mannheim, Switzerland*

11:15 – 12:00

### Event related brain dynamics with EEG and fMRI

Petra Ritter, *Charité Universitaetsmedizin, Berlin, Germany*

## LUNCH

12:00 – 13:00

13:00 – 13:45

### Confronting noninvasive measures to intracerebral EEG

Christian G. Bénar, *INSERM, Marseille, France*

13:45 – 14:30

### Estimation of cortical connectivity in the source space: general principles, practical considerations and future perspectives

Laura Astolfi, *University of Rome, Rome, Italy*

## BREAK

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### **EEG/MEG inverse problem and integration with fMRI: The role of biophysical models**

Jorge Riera, PhD, *Florida International University, Miami, FL, United States*

**15:30 – 16:15**

### **Multimodal Databases and EEG—the key to translational Brain Mapping**

Pedro A. Valdes-Sosa, *Cuban Neuroscience Center, Ciudad Habana, Ciudad Habana, Cuba*

### **Wrap Up and Discussion**

**16:15 – 16:30**

### **MR Diffusion Imaging: Getting Your Measures Right**

**Full Day Course / 8:00 – 16:30**

*Room 323 ABC*

#### **Organizer:**

Flavio Dell'Acqua, *King's College London, London, United Kingdom*

Diffusion Imaging is a very fast evolving neuroimaging field and today there are several advanced methods or complex analyses that can be performed using diffusion imaging data. But how can we get the best data for our study? How can we check if data is actually good or that we have chosen the right pre-processing and processing methods for our study? Can I apply the same acquisition protocols also for ex-vivo fixed tissues? Sometimes, one of the problem faced by researchers coming from different fields or also students starting a PhD, is to start to use advanced methods and complex “high-level” analyses while still relying on poor acquisitions, simplified pre-processing or not adequate diffusion models. The aim of this educational course is to offer a practical overview about optimal strategies available today for acquisition, processing and analysis of diffusion imaging data.

By following an ideal diffusion imaging pipeline, lectures in the morning will review the current state of the art of diffusion imaging methods and possible pitfalls and limitations that need to be taken in account before getting to the final results. In the afternoon, lectures will focus on how we can apply these methods to study individual subjects and group differences in clinical research applications, in pre-clinical settings or in human post mortem datasets. Special attention will be also given

to the validation and the biological interpretation of current diffusion imaging indices. Finally, to stimulate a discussion with the participants of this course a final lecture will offer the opportunity to review the main messages of this one-day course by looking at the past, the present and the future of diffusion imaging and tractography.

#### **Learning Objectives:**

The course is designed to develop participants' understanding of:

1. To learn the optimal acquisition strategies available today for diffusion imaging and how to process and quality control diffusion data.
2. To learn which diffusion models and tractography methods are available and how they can be applied in neuroimaging and neuroscience research to study e.g. individual subject and group differences.
3. To understand what is the biological meaning of current diffusion indices, what are the challenges of diffusion imaging today and the risks behind each step of the diffusion pipeline.

#### **Target Audience:**

The target audience for this course is the broad neuroscience and neuroimaging community either with technical or clinical background, interested to learn and apply diffusion imaging in research. This course will offer a good opportunity for students and researchers new to this field to learn the basics of diffusion imaging and will also provide practical guidelines how to directly start to work with diffusion imaging data.

### **Course Schedule**

**8:00 – 8:45**

#### **Diffusion MRI data acquisition**

Karla Miller, *University of Oxford, Oxford, UK*

**8:45 – 9:30**

#### **Data Processing and Quality Control of DTI data**

Alexander Leemans, *Image Sciences Institute – UMC Utrecht, Utrecht, The Netherlands*

**9:30 – 10:15**

#### **Diffusion Imaging Models I: from DTI to HARDI models**

Flavio Dell'Acqua, *King's College London, London, United Kingdom*



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### Diffusion Imaging Models 2: from DTI to microstructure quantification

Gary Zhang, *University College London, London, United Kingdom*

11:15 – 12:00

### Introduction to Diffusion Tractography

Tim Dyrby, *Danish Research Centre for Magnetic Resonance, Copenhagen, Denmark*

## LUNCH

12:00 – 13:00

13:00 – 13:45

### Group Comparison using Diffusion Imaging

Konstantinos Arfanakis, *Illinois Institute of Technology, Chicago, IL, United States*

13:45 – 14:15

### Tract analysis and connectomics

Eleftherios Garyfallidis, *Université de Sherbrooke, Sherbrooke, Québec, Canada*

## BREAK

14:15 – 14:30

14:30 – 15:15

### Pre-Clinical and Post Mortem Diffusion Imaging

Manisha Aggarwal, *Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, MN, United States*

15:15 – 16:00

### Biological Interpretation of the Diffusion Signal

Matthew Budde, *Medical College of Wisconsin, Milwaukee, WI, United States*

### Wrap Up and Discussion

16:00 – 16:30

## Pattern Recognition for NeuroImaging - PR4NI

Full Day Course / 8:00 – 16:30

Room 316 AB

### Organizers:

Christophe Phillips, Jr, PhD, *Cyclotron Research Centre, University of Liege, Liege, Belgium*

Janaina Mourao-Miranda, *Department of Computer Science, University College London, London, United Kingdom*

The application of pattern recognition techniques to neuroimaging data has increased substantially in the last years leading to a large body of publications. Pattern recognition approaches consist of a whole family of tools coming from the “machine learning” community (at the border of statistics and engineering), which have been adapted to investigate neuroscience questions. Depending on the research question asked, experimental design and imaging modality, it is important that the experimenter knows which tools to use and how to draw reliable conclusions.

The course will focus on subject and/or patient classification (for cognitive and clinical applications) but also on regression issues. The usual functional and structural MRI modalities will be covered but the presentations will also consider other types of data such as PET, EEG/MEG and network metrics. Model validation and statistical inference are particularly crucial as these notions somewhat differ from the standard univariate statistics usually applied to analyse neuroimaging data (e.g. General Linear Model) and should thus be specifically addressed. After introducing the theoretical foundations of pattern recognition in neuroimaging, the remaining talks will introduce more advanced methodological points as illustrated by specific applications and/or modalities.

At the end of the course, the neuroscientist should have a global understanding of pattern recognition approaches, how to apply these tools to his/her own data to address new questions and how to interpret the outcomes of these analyses and draw reliable conclusions.

### Learning Objectives:

The course is designed to develop participants' understanding of:

1. The various pattern recognition tools available and how to make statistical inferences with these.
2. The “dos and don'ts” of the technique in neuroimaging and how to interpret their results.



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- The application of these methods on different modalities such as fMRI, sMRI, PET and M/EEG.

### Target Audience:

Research scientists with intermediate to advanced knowledge of standard neuroimaging analysis techniques, who wish to learn how to apply pattern recognition methods to their data.

### Course Schedule

**8:00 – 8:10**

#### Introduction and Motivation

Christophe Phillips, Jr, PhD, *Cyclotron Research Centre, University of Liege, Liege, Belgium* and Janaina Mourao-Miranda, *Department of Computer Science, University College London, London, United Kingdom*

**8:10 – 8:50**

#### Pattern recognition in neuroimaging: principles & tools

Janaina Mourao-Miranda, *Department of Computer Science, University College London, London, United Kingdom*

**8:50 – 9:30**

#### Validation & inference

Jonas Richiardi, *Ecole Polytechnique Fédérale de Lausanne, Lausanne, Switzerland*

**9:30 – 10:00**

#### Interpreting predictive models in terms of anatomically labelled regions

Jessica Schrouff, *Stanford University, Stanford, CA, United States*

### BREAK

**10:00 – 10:30**

**10:30 – 11:00**

#### Machine learning for disease prediction: from anatomical to multimodal imaging

Oliver Colliot, *Centre de recherche de l'institut du cerveau et de la moelle épinière (UPMC, CNRS, INSERM), Paris, France*

**11:00 – 11:30**

#### Brain maps from machine learning? Spatial regularizations

Gaël Varoquaux, *INRIA, Saclay, France*

### Questions and Discussion

**11:30 – 12:00**

### LUNCH

**12:00 – 13:00**

**13:00 – 13:30**

#### Mapping activation pattern across individuals

Georg Langs, *Medical University of Vienna, Vienna, Austria*

**13:30 – 14:00**

#### Decoding and predicting intentions

Carsten Alfeld, *Charité – Universitätsmedizin Berlin, Bernstein Center for Computational Neuroscience, Berlin, Germany*

**14:00 – 14:30**

#### PET based classification for clinical diagnosis

Christophe Phillips, Jr, PhD, *Cyclotron Research Centre, University of Liege, Liege, Belgium*

**14:30 – 15:00**

#### Network based predictive models

Irina Rish, *machine learning in neuroscience and biology, T. J. Watson Research Center, New York, NY, United States*

### BREAK

**15:00 – 15:30**

**15:30 – 16:00**

#### M/EEG classification and brain computer interfacing

Moritz Grosse-Wentrup, *Max Planck Institute for Intelligent Systems, Tübingen, Germany*

### Closing Comments and Discussion

**16:00 – 16:30**



## Introduction to Imaging Genetics

**Half Day Morning Course / 8:00 – 12:00**

Room 324

### Organizers:

Jason Stein, *University of California, Neurology, Los Angeles, CA, United States*

Jean Baptiste Poline, *Helen Wills Neuroscience Institute, University of California at Berkeley, Berkeley, CA, United States*

Thomas Nichols, *University of Warwick, Dept. of Statistics, Coventry, United Kingdom*

This course will introduce the fundamentals of “Imaging Genetics,” the process of modeling and understanding how genetic variation influences the structure and function of the human brain as measured through brain imaging. The course begins with a lecture on the fundamentals of genetics, including the types of variation observed in the human, the mechanism by which that variation develops, and understanding how to relate genetic variation to a measured phenotype. We will then delve more into applications of genetics to neuroimaging phenotypes with an overview of imaging phenotypes. We will provide the student with modern tools to perform associations to both common and rare variation, conduct imputation and meta-analysis, and interpret significant findings. Overall this course will provide the neuroimager who is not familiar with genetics techniques both theoretical and practical understanding of the genetics field when exploring neuroimaging phenotypes.

### Learning Objectives:

Having completed this course, participants will be able to:

1. Understand the fundamentals of the molecular basis of genetic variation, and how that variation is modeled in traditional genetics studies.
2. Understand how to conduct association analyses.
3. Understand the relative strengths & weaknesses of each different type of brain imaging phenotype used to find genetic association.

### Target Audience:

The course is designed for neuroimaging practitioners who do not necessarily have a background in genetics.

### Course Schedule:

**8:05 – 8:35**

#### **Structure, Measurement & Analysis of Genetic Variation**

Sven Cichon, *Research Center Jülich, Jülich, Germany*

**8:35 – 9:15**

#### **Neuroimaging Phenotypes & Heritability**

Roberto Toro, *CNRS URA 2182 ‘Genes, synapses and cognition’, Paris, France*

**9:15 – 9:30**

#### **Reproducibility of Imaging Genetics Findings: Power, candidate genes and other issues**

Jean-Baptiste Poline, *Helen Wills Neuroscience Institute, University of California at Berkeley, United States*

**9:30– 10:00**

#### **Searching for common variants**

Derrek Hibar, *University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA, United States*

### **BREAK**

**10:00 – 10:30**

**10:30 – 11:00**

#### **Imputation & Meta-analysis**

Sarah Medland, *Queensland Institute of Medical Research, Brisbane, Australia*

**11:00 – 11:30**

#### **Rare variant discovery using family based studies**

John Blangero, *Texas Biomedical Foundation, San Antonio, TX, United States*

**11:30 – 12:00**

#### **After the association: Functional and Biological Validation of Variants**

Jason Stein, *University of California, Los Angeles, Los Angeles, CA, United States*



## **The Art and Pitfalls of fMRI Preprocessing**

**Half Day Morning Course / 8:00 – 12:00**

Room 316 C

### **Organizers:**

Christian Habeck, *Columbia University, Neurology, New York, NY, United States*

Ray Razlighi, PhD, *Columbia University, New York, NY, United States*

Awareness of the critical importance of fMRI pre-processing is increasing for both task-based and especially resting-state fMRI research. Most resting-state studies address questions of functional connectivity, i.e. target the correlation of brain activity in one area with activity in a different brain area. This means that regressors used in first-level linear models of resting-state fMRI come from the brain itself, rather than from externally generated task designs that are unaffected by acquisition artifacts or pre-processing steps in task-based fMRI. In contrast to task-based fMRI, independent and dependent variables are thus both affected by artifacts and pre-processing steps, and there is a greater chance of artificially induced functional connectivity than task-based activation. It follows further that those common pre-processing pipelines which have gained acceptance in task-based fMRI practices should not necessarily be carried over to resting-state studies of functional connectivity. After attending our proposed educational course the audience should have gained a thorough understanding (1) of the kinds of artifacts are affecting the hemodynamic signal recorded in fMRI scanners and (2) of the state-of-the-art tools to counteract these artifacts. Beyond these initial learning objectives, course attendees should have gained awareness of the problem of pipeline dependence and the ability to follow, and possibly engage in, methodological research that aims at pipeline optimization using real-world as well as simulated data.

### **Learning Objectives:**

Having completed this course, participants will be able to; Concrete learning objectives we hope to achieve for the audience will include, but not be limited to: (1) an understanding of the kinds of artifacts that affect the recorded fMRI signal and current state-of-the-art algorithms, and their software implementations, to correct these artifacts; (2) an appreciation of the interaction of different processing modules, possible ordering effects, and the need for an optimization of the pre-processing pipeline as a whole; (3) the ability to follow, and possibly initiate, methodological investigations that deal with the assessment and optimization of pipeline dependence in task-based and resting-state fMRI, using both real-world and simulated data.

### **Target Audience:**

The target audience of the course will primarily consist of the fMRI data analysts who are faced with the need for pre-processing before embarking on group-level analysis to answer substantive research questions of basic and diagnostic neuroscience. We hope to attract both novices, who are just becoming familiar with fMRI data analysis, as well as more seasoned practitioners who already have experience with standard pre-processing implementations in common software packages (i.e. FSL, SPM).

### **Course Schedule:**

**8:00 – 8:30**

#### **Introductory remarks: the problem of pre-processing pipeline dependence for task-based and resting-state fMRI**

Christian Habeck, *Columbia University, Neurology, New York, NY, United States*

**8:30 – 9:00**

#### **Temporal Preprocessing (slice-timing, temporal filtering, spike removal)**

Blaise Frederick, *McLean Hospital, Belmont, MA, United States*

**9:00 – 9:30**

#### **Spatial Preprocessing (Spatial Alignment, Normalization, and Smoothing)**

Ray Razlighi, PhD, *Columbia University, New York, NY, United States*

**9:30 – 10:00**

#### **Artefact Removal (motion-related)**

Christian Windischbeger, *MR Center, Medical University of Vienna, Vienna, Austria*



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### Artefact Removal (Physiological)

Rasmus Birn, *University of Wisconsin-Madison, Madison, WI, United States*

11:00 – 11:30

### FSL Pre-Processing Pipeline

Mark Jenkinson, *University of Oxford, Oxford, United Kingdom*

11:30 – 12:00

### An SPM Perspective on fMRI Preprocessing

Lars Kasper, *University of Zurich & ETH Zurich, Translational Neuromodeling Unit (TNU), Institute for Biomedical Engineering, Zurich, Switzerland*

## Tools to Parcellate the Brain and its Relation to Function

Half Day Morning Course / 8:00 – 12:00

Room 314

### Organizers:

Michel Thiebaut de Schotten, *Natbrainlab-Brain and Spine Institute, Paris, France*

Marco Catani, *Institute of Psychiatry, London, United Kingdom*

Over the past century and an half, human brain mapping consisted in pinning small functionally responsive areas within the brain. However the real extent of these areas and their eventual overlap remains unknown.

The challenge now facing neuroscience is to define boundaries for functionally responsive areas at the group and the individual level. Many approaches parcellating the brain in areas with different features became recently available including post-mortem and in vivo architectonics, tractography-based connectivity, functional coactivation, and resting state functional connectivity. However, what these methods really measure and what conclusion can be drawn, are not yet fully clear to the scientific community. This course addresses this need and is intended for a large audience of research scientist (e.g. from beginner to advanced level).

### Learning Objectives:

Having completed this course, participants will be able to:

1. Understand the rationale and the difference between the different methods for brain parcellation.
2. Understand the advantage and the limitation between the different methods for brain parcellation.
3. Give examples of approaches to parcellate the brain
4. Choose the appropriate method to fulfill a research project objective.

### Target Audience:

The prime target audience is researcher with an interest with the relation between new brain subdivision results and functional specialization of the brain. This includes researchers with limited knowledge in neuroimaging. Background will be provided for those without experience in methods for brain parcellation but some parts of the talks will also address advanced methodological issues that would be of interest to people with more experience.

### Course Schedule:

8:00 – 8:45

#### PART I Parcellate the brain using anatomical features: Histological and neurochemical architecture

Simon Eickhoff, *Institute of Clinical Neuroscience and Medical Psychology, Heinrich Heine University, Düsseldorf, Germany*

8:45 – 9:30

#### PART I Parcellate the brain using anatomical features: Myelin mapping in vivo

Matthew Glasser, *Washington University of St. Louis, St. Louis, MO, United States*

9:30 – 10:15

#### PART I Parcellate the brain using anatomical features: Tractography based subdivision

Michel Thiebaut de Schotten, *Natbrainlab-Brain and Spine Institute, Paris, France*

## BREAK

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**10:30 – 11:15**

**PART II Parcellate the brain using functional features:  
Functional MRI coactivation parcellation.**

Danilo Bzdok, *Research Center Jülich, Jülich Germany*

**11:15 – 12:00**

**PART II Parcellate the brain using functional features:  
Resting state functional connectivity subdivision.**

Carl Hacker, *Washington University School of Medicine, St. Louis, MO, United States*

**Computational Neuroscience and Modelling  
of Neurodynamics**

**Half Day Afternoon Course / 13:00 – 16:30**

*Room 314*

**Organizers:**

Stefan Kiebel, *Technische Universität Dresden, Dresden, Germany*

Jean Daunizeau, *ICM, Paris, France and TNU, Zurich, Switzerland*

Michael Breakspear, *Queensland Institute of Medical Research, Brisbane, Australia*

Computational neuroscience is a rapidly growing field that seeks to understand the principles of neuronal dynamics and how these underpin cognition. Computational neuroscience offers fresh perspectives on the design, analysis and interpretation of functional neuroimaging data, moving beyond static designs and phenomenological heuristics.

Desired learning outcome: Having completed this course, participants will be able to summarize the use of dynamic systems theory in modelling neuroscience phenomena, ranging from single neuron models to macroscopic modelling of networks.

**Learning Objectives:**

Having completed this course, participants will be able to:

1. Summarize new developments and research questions in dynamic models of the brain.
2. Understand the link between models of cortical activity and theories of brain function.
3. Understand computational models of behavioural and neuroimaging data.

**Target Audience:**

This course is designed to guide both cognitive neuroscientists and modellers through a variety of computational approaches. The participants do not require an explicit mathematical background to follow the course but need to bring a healthy interest in how ubiquitous neuroscience phenomena can be explained mechanistically.

**Course Schedule:**

**13:00 – 13:30**

**Introduction to Computational Neuroscience**

Michael Breakspear, *Queensland Institute of Medical Research, Brisbane, Australia*

**13:30 – 14:00**

**Models for Dynamics from the Neural Microcircuit to Cortical Regions**

Peter Robinson, *University of Sydney, Australia*

**14:00 – 14:30**

**Models of Behaviour and Neuroimaging Data**

Christoph Mathys, *Wellcome Trust Centre for Neuroimaging, UCL, London, UK*

**14:30 – 15:00**

**Dynamic Causal Modelling and Neurophysiology**

Rosalyn Moran, *Virginia Tech Carilion Research Institute, Roanoke, VA, USA*

**BREAK**

**15:00 – 15:30**

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**Models of Perceptual Decision Making**

Stefan Kiebel, *Technische Universität Dresden, Dresden, Germany*

**16:00 – 16:30**

**A Guided Tour of the Virtual Brain**

Petra Ritter, *Charité Universitaetsmedizin, Berlin, Germany*



**15:30 – 16:00**

### **Models of Perceptual Decision Making**

Stefan Kiebel, *Technische Universität Dresden, Dresden, Germany*

**16:00 – 16:30**

### **Platforms for Large-Scale Brain Simulations**

Viktor Jirsa, *Université Aix-Marseille, Marseille, France*

## **Neuroimaging Meta-Analysis**

**Half Day Afternoon Course / 13:00 – 16:30**

Room 324

### **Organizers:**

Thomas Nichols, *University of Warwick, Dept. of Statistics, Coventry, United Kingdom*

Simon Eickhoff, *Institute of Clinical Neuroscience and Medical Psychology, Heinrich Heine University, Düsseldorf, Germany*

Functional neuroimaging has provided a wealth of information on the cerebral localization of mental functions. In spite of its success, however, several limitations restrict the knowledge that may be gained from each individual experiment. These include a usually rather small sample size, limited reliability of an indirect signal like BOLD fMRI and the need to base inference on relative contrasts between conditions. Such limitations have raised some concerns on the interpretability and validity neuroimaging results, but have also encouraged the development of quantitative meta-analysis approaches. Neuroimaging meta-analysis is used to summarize a vast amount of research findings across a large number of participants and diverse experimental settings. Such integration then enables statistically valid generalizations on the neural basis of psychological processes in health and disease. They also permit comparisons of different tasks or processes to each other and the modeling of interacting networks. Quantitative meta-analysis therefore represents a powerful tool to gain a synoptic view of distributed neuroimaging findings in an objective and impartial fashion, addressing some of the limitations raised above. The purpose of this course is to review the theory and practice of meta-analytic modeling and database-driven syntheses. In order to provide a comprehensive overview, this course spans both basic and advanced topics and addresses practical tips and tools to conduct meta-analytic studies in psychological and clinical applications. This broad coverage will thus provide both a deeper understanding of the methodological underpinnings as well as concrete ideas for how to apply meta-analytic techniques to advance brain science.

### **Learning Objectives:**

Having completed this course, participants will better understand:

1. The conceptual and technical foundations of neuroimaging meta-analyses.
2. The main software tools and resources available to the community.
3. Methods for data-mining and the meta-analytic investigation of brain networks.
4. The potential contribution of these approaches to understand brain organization.

### **Target Audience:**

Imaging researchers interested in databases, meta-analyses and functional atlasing of the brain as well as cognitive psychologists who wish to learn about emerging computational approaches to understanding mental functions. While some background in neuroimaging will be helpful, this course does introduce all basic concepts and approaches and focus on providing instructive examples on how to conduct actual meta-analyses.

### **Course Schedule:**

**13:00 – 13:20**

#### **Overview: Foundations and potential of meta-analyses**

Peter Fox, *UTHSCSA, San Antonio, TX, United States*

**13:20 – 13:40**

#### **How to Plan and Prepare a Meta-Analysis**

Felix Hoffstaedter, *Institute of Neuroscience and Medicine at the Research Center Jülich, Jülich, Germany*

**13:40 – 14:00**

#### **Overview on Meta-Analysis methods**

Thomas Nichols, *University of Warwick, Dept. of Statistics, Coventry, United Kingdom*

**14:00 – 14:20**

#### **ALE and BrainMap**

Angela Laird, *Florida International University, Miami, FL, United States*

**14:20 – 14:40**

#### **SVD-Based Discriminant Meta-Analysis**

Anjali Krishnan, *Institute of Cognitive Science, University of Colorado, Boulder, CO, United States*

**14:40 – 15:00**

#### **Practical Intensity Based Meta-Analysis**

Camille Maumet, *University of Warwick, Coventry, United Kingdom*



## SUNDAY, JUNE 14, 2015 | EDUCATIONAL COURSES

### BREAK

15:00 – 15:30

15:30 – 15:50

#### Co-activation mapping and parcellation

Veronika Müller, *Heinrich Heine University, Institute of Clinical Neuroscience and Medical Psychology, Düsseldorf, Germany*

15:50 – 16:10

#### Inferring mental states from imaging data: OpenfMRI and the Cognitive Atlas

Russell Poldrack, *UT Austin, Austin, TX, United States*

### Questions and Discussion

16:10 – 16:30

### Reproducible Neuroimaging

Half Day Afternoon Course / 13:00 – 16:30

Room 316 C

#### Organizers:

Martin Lindquist, *Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, MD, United States*

Victor Solo, *University of New South Wales, Sydney, Australia*

Replication is the cornerstone of science. Its absence reduces any scientific endeavor to a set of unverified beliefs. Recently a number of high profile articles (e.g. Button 2013; Ionnidis 2005) have claimed that the lack of reproducibility is reaching epidemic levels. The recent release of high quality human connectome data with its multiple sessions per subject and large subject numbers provides researchers with the ability to critically assess the reproducibility of imaging studies. This educational course discusses key issues involved with ensuring results are reproducible and will teach researchers how to critically evaluate scientific results in this context.

#### Desired Outcomes:

- Attendees will learn that the reliability, validity and reproducibility of neuroimaging data analyses depend upon a series of analysis choices.
- A framework to help critically evaluate neuroimaging studies and avoid stumbling blocks that can effect the validity and reproducibility of the results.
- An understanding of limitations of pre-processing, statistical inference, prediction and meta-analysis in neuroimaging.

#### Learning Objectives:

Having completed this course, participants will better understand:

- To learn to critically evaluate the results of a neuroimaging study and understand how analysis choices impact the validity and reproducibility of these results.
- To learn how meta analysis can be used to increase knowledge, but also how it can be misused.
- To understand how reliability of results relates to sample size, pre-processing pipelines, analysis choices and research questions.

#### Target Audience:

PhD students, Post doctoral fellows and junior faculty in all neuroimaging subdisciplines.

### Course Schedule:

13:00 – 13:25

#### fMRI Reliability

Gary Glover, *Stanford University, Radiology, Stanford, CA, United States*

13:25 – 13:50

#### Exploration, Confirmation, Algorithm, and Model

Martin Lindquist, *Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, MD, United States*

13:50 – 14:15

#### Encoding and Decoding in fMRI

Jack Gallant, *University of California, Berkeley, CA, United States*

14:15 – 14:40

#### Reproducibility and Power

Thomas Nichols, *University of Warwick, Dept. of Statistics, Coventry, United Kingdom*

### BREAK

14:40 – 15:00



**15:00 – 15:25**

**The negative effects of common image processing and analysis pipeline choices**

Stephen Strother, *Baycrest and University of Toronto, The Rotman Research Institute, Toronto, Ontario, Canada*

**15:25 – 15:50**

**Neuroimaging meta-analysis: Pitfalls and emerging solutions**

Tor Wager, *Department of Psychology and Neuroscience, University of Colorado at Boulder, Boulder, CO, United States*

**15:50 – 16:15**

**The informatics revolution in neuroimaging**

Tal Yarkoni, *University of Texas at Austin, Austin, TX, United States*

**Questions and Discussion**

**16:15 – 16:30**

**OPEN TO ALL OHBM ATTENDEES  
HACKATHON 2015 OPEN SCIENCE COLLABORATION AND COMMUNITY:  
HBM HACKATHON PROJECT OUTCOMES**

**Full Day Course / 8:00 – 16:30**

*Room 317 A*

**9:00 – 10:00 Brain Hacking 101**

**13:00 – 16:30 Hackathon Results**

**Organizers:**

Nolan Nichols, *Stanford University, Stanford, CA United States*

Jean-Baptiste Poline, *Helen Wills Neuroscience Institute, University of California, Berkeley, CA, United States*

Human brain imaging is an interdisciplinary field that requires competences in domains ranging from neuroanatomy and neurophysiology to statistics and physics. Over the past ten years, brain imaging emerged as a computational field with an increasing demand for open source scientific tools that enables researchers to conduct rich analyses. Just as the genetics and molecular biology communities came to rely on bioinformatics, today neuroinformatics is addressing comparable challenges in brain imaging. The complexity of “Big Data” in neuroimaging is driving a growing community of researchers to embrace open science and to develop neuroinformatics tools and resources that are now available to the OHBM community. In this course, we will describe important open source projects and data resources that are active in the field of brain imaging.

Upon completion attendees will know the scope and capacities of important open source projects in the field of brain imaging and will be introduced to the goals and outcomes of the HBM Hackathon. Some demonstration of some of the software will also be provided.



SUNDAY, JUNE 14, 2015

## OPENING CEREMONIES

17:30 – 19:30

Ballroom ABC

The Opening Ceremonies is the official kick-off where attendees can gather together to celebrate the start of the 21st Annual Meeting! Here we will honor the accomplishments of our colleagues receiving special recognition during the Awards Program for OHBM's Glass Brain Award recognizing a lifetime of achievement; Wiley's Young Investigator Award, Wiley's "Editor's Choice Award"; NeuroImage "Editor's Choice Awards" and a NEW OHBM Education in Neuroimaging Award.

## TALAIRACH LECTURE

### What Lies Within: Cautionary Tales from Cortical Physiology

Dr. Amy Arnsten, *Professor of Neurobiology, Patricia Goldman-Rakic at Yale University, New Haven, CT, United States*



Dr. Arnsten will describe the unique molecular signaling pathways that dynamically alter the strength of network connections in the most highly evolved cognitive circuits in the primate cortex. As more primitive, (e.g. sensory-driven) neurons are often modulated differently, averaged measures such as the BOLD response can obscure key changes in cognitive circuits.

## WELCOME RECEPTION

19:00 – 21:00

Hawaii Convention Center / Rooftop Garden

Join us for the 2015 Annual Meeting Welcome Reception. The reception will be held at the rooftop garden at the Hawaii Convention Center immediately following the Opening Ceremonies and Talairach Lecture on Sunday, June 8. Please make sure to wear your badge as that will serve as your ticket to the event. Additional guest badges are \$50.00.





## MORNING WORKSHOP

### Neuroimaging-based Multivariate Classification Algorithms for Acute and Chronic Pain

8:00 – 9:15

Room 311

#### Organizer:

Jennifer Labus, *Center for Neurobiology of Stress, UCLA, Los Angeles, CA, United States*

Assessment of acute and chronic pain states and individual response to treatment is currently hindered by the inherent biases of patient self-report measures. Utilization of neuroimaging based measures to assist in drug development, prediction of pain state and diagnostic classification of patients has been rapidly advancing, primarily due to advances in the statistical methods and computing power now being applied using “big data” approaches such as multivariate pattern analysis and classification algorithms from machine-based learning. This approach is particularly useful for making sense out of the enormous data sets generated by neuroimaging based on functional, structural, and diffusion tensor imaging.

In particular, classification algorithms such as linear support vector machines and sparse partial least squares-discriminant analysis are important statistical tools for assessing pain state (diagnosis, perception) without dependence on patient self-report. Classification algorithms applied to predict acute pain state, chronic pain diagnosis, and pharmacological and non-pharmacological treatment outcomes based on functional, structural, and anatomical neuroimaging data. Classification algorithms provide important information regarding pathophysiological mechanisms in acute and chronic pain. This information will be important in future identification of therapeutic targets and in development of tailored patient treatment.

During this symposium, Dr. Tor Wager will describe progress towards understanding the representations necessary and sufficient for predicting the intensity of pain and negative emotional experiences. Dr. Sean Mackey will present work using support vector machines to assess acute and chronic pain state with fMRI data. Dr. Jennifer Labus will present work predicting diagnosis of chronic pain compared to healthy and disease controls by applying sparse partial least square regression-discriminate analysis to multimodal neuroimaging data. Dr. Eugene Duff will discuss work using multivariate pattern analysis to predict pain perception in healthy controls as well as analgesic and placebo responses (including patients) using functional Magnetic Resonance Imaging(fMRI)-based data.

#### Learning Objectives:

This morning workshop is designed to develop participants' understanding of:

1. Be able to describe how neuroimaging may allow objective detection of the subjective experience of pain.
2. Understand the importance of predictive classification algorithms for tailoring pharmacological and nonpharmacological treatments.
3. Understand the role of brain imaging based classification algorithms for identifying pathophysiological mechanisms in acute and chronic pain

#### Target Audience:

The workshop is targets a broad audience ranging from the beginning student to the experienced researcher interested in the utility and current application of machine learning and multivariate projection techniques to large-scale neuroimaging data. Individuals with an interest in using multiple MRI methods to study drug effects and pathophysiological mechanisms in disease will find this workshop particularly useful.

#### Distinct brain representations underlying pain and negative emotion

Tor Wager, *Department of Psychology and Neuroscience, University of Colorado at Boulder, Boulder, CO, United States*

#### Identification of brain imaging biomarkers for pain

Sean Mackey, *Stanford University, Palo Alto, CA, United States*

#### Application of classification algorithms in chronic pain

Jennifer Labus, *Center for Neurobiology of Stress, UCLA, Los Angeles, CA, United States*

#### Multivariate pattern analyses in pharmacological studies

Eugene Duff, *FMRIB Centre, Oxford, United Kingdom*



**MORNING WORKSHOP**

**The Emergence of Cognition**

**8:00 – 9:15**

*Room 316 AB*

**Organizer:**

Rhodri Cusack, *Western University, London, Ontario, Canada*

There is growing evidence that many of the brain networks seen in adults have emerged by the typical age of birth. This includes not just sensory and motor networks, but those associated with higher-level cognition, such as the language, task-positive and task-negative networks. Establishing when these networks emerge, and their properties and initial functions, will enhance understanding of their roles throughout the lifespan. Furthermore, knowing the healthy trajectory of development is a prerequisite for early detection and characterization of the abnormalities that lead to developmental disabilities, which will in turn facilitate more effective earlier interventions.

This workshop brings together four methodologies that have recently yielded exciting advances. We report the structural emergence of networks using diffusion tractography and graph theory, revealing early network organisation already present in the preterm brain. With resting-state fMRI, we find these structural networks are active around the normal time of birth. The functions of two networks are then studied using auditory and visual stimulation with fMRI and EEG, showing that complex sound classification, and an elementary form of conscious-level processing, are operative in the first months. Taken together, these converging results reveal that a rich set of neurocognitive functions has emerged in young infants, which was largely inaccessible to investigation before infant neuroimaging.

Our aim is that attendees of the workshop will be able to summarize the emergence of cognition in young infants, the relevance of this to cognitive and clinical neuroscience, and the methodological advances that have made infant neuroimaging possible.

**Learning Objectives:**

This morning workshop is designed to develop participants' understanding of:

1. Enhanced understanding the ontogenesis of cognitive functions in the human brain.
2. Enhanced understanding of the emergence of networks in the developing brain and their potential role in neurodevelopmental outcomes.

3. Improved knowledge of techniques for testing cognitive functions using neuroimaging in non-verbal and non-compliant subjects.

**Target Audience:**

Our target audience comprises those interested in cognitive neuroscience, neurodevelopmental outcomes, or methods for neuroimaging acquisition and analysis in non-compliant populations.

**Structural Connectivity and Network Development in the Preterm Brain**

Gareth Ball, *King's College London, London, United Kingdom*

**Resting fMRI During Infancy: Exploring the Emerging Functional Organization of the Developing Brain**

Christopher Smyser, *Washington University, St Louis, MO, United States*

**The Emergence of Auditory-Language Function from Birth to Nine Months**

Rhodri Cusack, *Western University, London, Ontario, Canada*

**Hierarchical Processing in the Infant Brain**

Ghislaine Dehaene-Lambertz, *Neurospin, Gif/Yvette, France*

**MORNING WORKSHOP**

**From Mapping Functions to Functional Mapping**

**8:00 – 9:15**

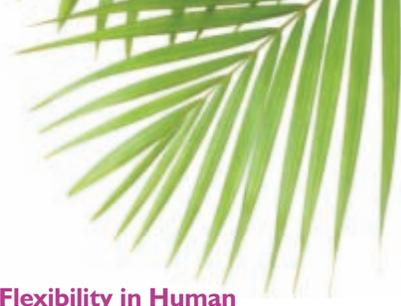
*Room 323 ABC*

**Organizers:**

Simon Eickhoff, *Institute of Clinical Neuroscience and Medical Psychology, Heinrich Heine University, Düsseldorf, Germany*

Tianzi Jiang, *Institute of Automation, Chinese Academy of Sciences, Beijing, China*

A regional specialization into distinct cortical areas is one of the fundamental organizational principles of the human cerebral cortex. Mapping the regional organization of the human brain has long been the domain of post-mortem anatomy, whereas functional neuroimaging primarily focused on localizing the neuronal correlates of mental functions. This dichotomy has started to change dramatically less than a decade after the initial demonstration that parcellations based on structural connectivity may reveal distinct modules in the human brain.



Not only have the concepts of connectivity-based parcellation subsequently been transferred to functional connectivity analyses and subsequently refined, but rather they have also been complemented by new methods specifically developed to identify functional boundaries. Together with formal approaches to assigning mental functions to the identified modules via quantitative forward and reverse inference, these tools now enable a new perspective for the functional mapping of the human cerebral cortex. This symposium aims at providing an overview on several of the emerging methods for the functional mapping of the human brain. We will furthermore discuss how these can be integrated with other modalities such as structural neuroimaging and outline the potential of these emerging approaches for both regional and whole-brain mapping.

#### **Learning Objectives:**

This morning workshop is designed to develop participants' understanding of:

1. The distinction between "classical" mapping of functions and functional brain mapping.
2. The heterogeneity of methods used to for functional parcellation of the human brain.
3. The benefit of multi-modal integration in the context of functional brain mapping.
4. The role of quantitative functional decoding in the context of brain parcellations.

#### **Target Audience:**

The human brain mapping community. As this symposium combines methodological and neurobiological aspects it should be of interest to people focused on methods for functional connectivity analysis and parcellation as well as neurobiologists interested in the potential applications.

#### **Connectivity-based Brain Parcellation: Toward the Brainnetome Atlas**

Lingzhong Fan, *Institute of Automation, Chinese Academy of Sciences, Beijing, China*

#### **Regional mapping of cortical modules, their connectivity and function based on task-activation data**

Simon Eickhoff, *Institute of Clinical Neuroscience and Medical Psychology, Heinrich Heine University, Düsseldorf, Germany*

#### **Functional Specialization and Flexibility in Human Cerebral Cortex Estimated From a Large-Scale Cognitive Ontology**

BT Thomas Yeo, *National University of Singapore, Singapore*

#### **Generation and evaluation of a cortical area parcellation from resting state correlations**

Evan Gordon, *Washington University School of Medicine, Neurology, St. Louis, MO, United States*

### **MORNING WORKSHOP**

#### **Genetics of the Connectome**

**8:00 – 9:15**

*Ballroom ABC*

#### **Organizers:**

Thomas Nichols, *University of Warwick, Department of Statistics, Coventry, United Kingdom*

David Glahn, PhD, *Yale University, New Haven, CT, United States*

The study of the genetic architecture of brain structure and function has largely progressed through the study of associations between common genetic variants and neuroimaging signals. Recent work has demonstrated reliable genome-wide associations with brain structure, but this approach is fundamentally challenging due to the need for very large sample sizes (in the tens of thousands). In addition, genome-wide associations studies in a number of domains have shown that common variants are generally associated with very small effect sizes, and thus the identification of a significant association is difficult to translate into mechanistic neurobiological insights. In this symposium we will discuss several new approaches to studying the genetic basis of variation in brain function.

In the first talk, Dr. Nichols will review the tools used for genetic analyses of related individuals and how they can be scaled up to massive connectomic data. Then Dr. Glahn will show how quantitative genetic analyses can be used to understand the shared genetic structure of structural and functional connectivity. Next Dr. Poldrack will present how to link gene expression data to brain imaging phenotypes. Finally, Dr. Blangero will show how large pedigree studies are essential for discovering associations with rare variants that explain connectivity.



**Learning Objectives:**

This morning workshop is designed to develop participants' understanding of:

1. How to account for dependence induced by studying related subjects, whether that dependence is of interest (to estimate heritability) or a nuisance.
2. The use of polygenic models to estimate the common genetic variation that links two distinct phenotypes, such as structural and functional connectivity measures.
3. How gene expression data from blood cells can be linked to functional connectivity measures in the brain.

**Target Audience:**

A key target audience will be researchers interested in "imaging genetics," i.e. those looking to understand the role that genetics has in explaining variation brain measures. However, other attendees interested in connectivity data in general, may also be interested, to expand their base of knowledge.

**Fast, accurate methods for heritability and association high-dimensional connectomics data**

Thomas Nichols, *University of Warwick, Department of Statistics, Coventry, United Kingdom*

**Shared and Unique Influences on Structural and Functional Connectivity**

David Glahn, PhD, *Yale University, New Haven, CT, United States*

**Peripheral gene expression and brain function**

Russell Poldrack, *UT Austin, Austin, TX, United States*

**Impact of Highly Deleterious Functional Genetic Variants on Human Brain Connectivity**

John Blangero, *Texas Biomedical Foundation, San Antonio, TX, United States*





## BREAK

9:15 – 9:30

## KEYNOTE LECTURE

9:30 – 10:15

Ballroom ABC



### Connectomic Insights into Psychiatric Disorders

Susan Whitfield-Gabrieli, *McGovern Institute for Brain Research, MIT, Cambridge, MA, United States*

Connectomics provide new perspectives on brain variation associated with psychiatric diseases. Intrinsic networks can reveal mechanisms of pathophysiology associated with specific diagnoses and can reveal variation within diagnoses relevant to treatment outcome. Such neuromarkers may support personalized medicine that guides patients to optimal treatments, and translate neuroimaging into medical practice.

## BREAK

10:15 – 10:30

## LOC SYMPOSIUM:

### Neuroimaging Studies in Substance Use Disorders

10:30 – 11:45

Ballroom ABC

#### Moderators:

Andrew Stenger, *University of Hawaii, Honolulu, HI, United States*

Thomas Ernst, *University of Hawaii, University of Hawaii, Honolulu, HI, United States*

#### Speakers:

Edythe D. London, PhD, *University of California, Los Angeles, CA, United States*

### Stimulant Abuse and Dopamine Signaling: Impact on Self-Control and Decision-making

Molecular and functional neuroimaging studies have revealed deficits in dopaminergic circuits and in top-down control mechanisms associated with stimulant abuse. Our laboratory has used a combination of imaging modalities, including PET, task-based and resting-state fMRI, and structural MRI, to explore the links between dopaminergic signaling, systems-level brain function and structure, and behavioral phenotypes that can influence the course of addiction and recovery. We have shown that striatal D2-type receptor signaling is linked to behavioral and neural measures of self-control and risky decision-making in the laboratory, that stimulant users exhibit enhanced intrinsic activity of the mesocorticolimbic system in the resting state, and a negative association of mesocorticolimbic resting-state connectivity with responsivity of dorsolateral prefrontal cortex to risk during decision-making. Moreover, we have provided evidence that midbrain D2-type receptors influence the neurotoxic effects of methamphetamine, as indicated by negative associations between D2-type receptor availability and structural deficits in striatum and cortex. These studies show the utility of multi-modal neuroimaging in extending knowledge of how psychostimulants produce profound effects on adaptive behavior.

### Brain Imaging Studies in Alcoholism

Adolf Pfefferbaum, MD, *Stanford University School of Medicine, Stanford, CA, United States*

Alcoholism follows a dynamic course, involving development, maintenance, recovery, and relapse. In vivo brain imaging studies have enabled the tracking of this course and has revealed evidence for disruption of selective macrostructural and microstructural brain tissue in Alcohol Use Disorder with evidence for improvement with sustained sobriety. Features of brain dysmorphology have been modeled in rodents under controlled conditions exposed to high levels of alcohol with reversal of damage after a week free of alcohol. These studies demonstrate the strength of longitudinal study using noninvasive MR imaging.

### Brain changes associated with marijuana use

Linda Chang, *John A. Burns School of Medicine, University of Hawaii, Honolulu, HI, United States*

Marijuana is the most common illicit drug abused in the world, and is used medically under legal jurisdictions in almost half of the United States. Preclinical studies suggest the psychoactive



ingredient of marijuana, delta-9-tetrahydrocannabinoid (THC), is anti-inflammatory which may be beneficial for the treatments of neuroinflammatory disorders and for pain. However, marijuana contains many other cannabinoids and clinical data are somewhat controversial regarding marijuana's therapeutic effects. Brain imaging studies showed re-organized brain networks, and alterations in brain metabolites and brain structures in chronic marijuana users. Similarly, neurocognitive studies consistently showed deficits in learning and memory, although some of these deficits may be reversible with abstinence. Furthermore, age of first use of marijuana may lead to greater brain alterations. Given the high prevalence of use by the youth, and the impending legalization of marijuana in many regions, more studies are needed to clarify how marijuana use impacts the brain across the lifespan, in order to better inform the public and guide its medicinal use.

#### **Imaging Biomarkers of Addiction Status and Treatment Outcome**

Elliott Stein, PhD, *Intramural Research Program, National Institute on Drug Abuse, Bethesda, MD, United States*

Nicotine dependence remains a large public health problem with individual relapse rates exceeding 90%. In part, the poor understanding of the neurobiological mechanisms of nicotine (and other drug) dependence and the absence of quantifiable, brain based biomarkers of treatment outcome contribute to such high relapse. This talk will include data based on anatomical, physiological and genetic analyses of nicotine dependence and, together with prediction outcome data from a recent cocaine treatment protocol, will provide a proposed pathway in the development of multimodal imaging biomarkers that may be used as part of comprehensive treatment interventions.

#### **LUNCH**

**11:45 – 12:45**

#### **POSTER SESSION**

**12:45 – 14:45**

*Exhibit Hall 2 and 3*

**Poster Numbers #1000 – 2451**

**Authors with even numbered posters will present their posters today.**

**Disorders of the Nervous System:** Anxiety Disorders, Bipolar Disorder, Depressive Disorders, Other Psychiatric Disorders, Parkinson's Disease and Movement Disorders, Research Domain Criteria studies (RDoC), Schizophrenia and Psychotic Disorders, Sleep Disorders, Stroke and Traumatic Brain Injury

**Emotion and Motivation:** Emotion and Motivation Other, Emotional Learning, Emotional Perception, Reward and Punishment and Sexual Behavior

**Higher Cognitive Functions:** Decision Making, Higher Cognitive Functions Other, Imagery, Music and Space, Time and Number Coding

**Imaging Methods:** Anatomical MRI, BOLD fMRI, Diffusion MRI, EEG, Imaging Methods Other, Imaging of CLARITY, MEG, MR Spectroscopy, Multi-Modal Imaging, NIRS, Non-BOLD fMRI, Optical coherence tomography (OCT), PET and Polarized light imaging (PLI)

**Language:** Language Acquisition, Language Comprehension and Semantics, Language Other, Reading and Writing, Speech Perception and Speech Production

**Learning and Memory:** Implicit Memory, Learning and Memory Other, Long-Term Memory (Episodic and Semantic), Neural Plasticity and Recovery of Function, Skill Learning and Working Memory

**Modeling and Analysis Methods:** Bayesian Modeling, Diffusion MRI Modeling and Analysis, EEG/MEG Modeling and Analysis, Other Methods, PET Modeling and Analysis and Task-Independent and Resting-State Analysis



**Motor Behavior:** Brain Machine Interface, Mirror System, Motor Behavior Other, Motor Planning and Execution, Visuo-Motor Functions

**Physiology, Metabolism and Neurotransmission:** Cerebral Metabolism and Hemodynamics, Neurophysiology of Imaging Signals, Pharmacology and Neurotransmission and Physiology, Metabolism and Neurotransmission Other

## SYMPOSIUM

### Anatomical and Functional Mapping of Subcortical Structures with ultra-high-field MRI

14:45 – 16:00

Ballroom ABC

#### Organizers:

Michelle Moerel, *CMRR, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN, United States*

Essa Yacoub, *CMRR, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN, United States*

Subcortical structures are fundamental to brain processing, functioning to actively gate sensory information, merge signals across modalities, participate in thalamocortical loops, and regulate emotion. Due to their small size, these structures have been largely inaccessible to non-invasive physiological explorations. Ultrahigh magnetic field scanners have the potential to improve spatial resolution and contrast specificity of functional imaging far beyond the possibilities at lower field strengths. Recent fMRI studies at 7 Tesla have used these advantages to explore the human midbrain and thalamic nuclei at sub-millimeter resolution. These studies revealed detailed organizations, including the presence of sensory topographic maps, in accordance with results obtained from animal studies using microelectrode recordings. These research efforts represent the beginning of investigations aiming to unravel the functional organizational and modulation of subcortical structures. In combination with high resolution anatomical studies, these advances in non-invasive parcellation of subcortical nuclei of individual subjects have the potential to ultimately provide a deeper understanding of the brain processes hidden underneath the human neocortex.

#### Learning Objectives:

This symposium is designed to develop participants' understanding of:

1. Provide an overview of relevant subcortical structures and their anatomical identification in individual human brains.
2. Describe recent high-field fMRI studies revealing detailed organizations of human midbrain and thalamic nuclei.
3. Discuss fMRI acquisition methods and limitations related to obtaining high-resolution functional images of subcortical structures.

#### Target Audience:

Neuroscientists working with, or interested in, subcortical brain processing. Topics addressed will range from MRI acquisition methods to identification of anatomical structures, brainstem sensory processing, and clinical applications.

#### Visualization of human brainstem substructures using gray matter nulling 3D-MPRAGE at 7 Tesla

Michael Wyss, *University of Zurich, Zurich, Switzerland*

#### Imaging the anatomical and functional connectivity of the human brainstem in vivo at 7 Tesla

Lawrence Wald, PhD, *Massachusetts General Hospital, Charlestown, MA, United States*

#### High-field mapping of the magnocellular and parvocellular subdivisions of human LGN

Rachel Denison, *New York University, New York, NY, United States*

#### Encoding sound features in auditory brainstem and thalamus

Federico De Martino, *Maastricht University, Maastricht, The Netherlands*





**BREAK**

16:00 – 16:15

**BREAK**

17:00 – 17:15

**KEYNOTE LECTURE**

16:15 – 17:00

Ballroom ABC



**Computational Analysis  
of Functional,  
Connectional and  
Architectonic Properties  
of the Human Brain**

Bruce Fischl, *Athinoula A Martinos  
Center for Biomedical Imaging,  
Massachusetts General Hospital  
and Harvard Medical School,  
Boston, MA, United States*

Magnetic Resonance Imaging technology has progressed at an astonishing rate in the last decade, with an array of new image contrasts available at higher resolution, higher SNR and/or reduced imaging time. In this talk I will discuss ongoing work at MGH with the goal of automatically extracting information from these images for the purposes of quantifying normal brain structure, function and connectivity as well as detecting departures from normal trajectories. This includes the construction and use of surface-based models of the human cerebral cortex, the modeling of major white matter fascicles from diffusion-weighted MRI. Finally, I will describe work using ex vivo MRI and optical imaging to directly resolve structures that are far smaller than can be seen in vivo, with resolutions approaching 1 micron, that enables us to probe stereological, laminar and architectonic properties of the human brain with minimal distortion and large fields of view. These properties can then be predicted from macroscopic geometry that can be observed in vivo, making them available for neuroscientific and clinical research.





## ORAL SESSIONS

**17:15 – 18:30**

Oral session presentations are chosen by the Program Committee from submitted abstracts using criteria of quality and timeliness; a wide spectrum of investigation is represented.

### O-M1: Motor Behavior - Multimodal Mapping of Motor Systems

Room 316 AB

Chair: Virginia Penhune, *Concordia University, Montreal, Quebec, Canada*

**17:15 – 17:30**

#### **1875: The Dynamic Recruitment of Resting State Sub-networks**

George O'Neill, *University of Nottingham, Nottingham, United Kingdom*

**17:30 – 17:45**

#### **2399: The SMA and cingulate cortex sustain premovement activity in readiness for action: An EEG-fMRI study**

Ross Cunnington, *University of Queensland, Brisbane, Australia*

**17:45 – 18:00**

#### **3550: Impact of aging on motor control networks underlying movement selection and initiation**

Jochen Michely, *Cologne University Hospital, Cologne, Germany*

**18:00 – 18:15**

#### **2358: Predicting and Interrupting Movement Intentions with a Closed Loop BCI**

Matthias Schultze-Kraft, *Berlin Institute of Technology, Berlin, Germany*

**18:15 – 18:30**

#### **4127: Motor skill acquisition promotes human brain myelin plasticity**

Bimal Lakhani, *University of British Columbia, Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada*

### O-M2: Psychiatric Disorders

Room 315

Chair: Perry Renshaw, *Professor of Psychiatry, University of Utah, Salt Lake City, UT, United States*

**17:15 – 17:30**

#### **I 193: Connectome-wide association study reveals dysconnectivity in youth with psychosis-spectrum symptoms**

Theodore Satterthwaite, *UPenn, Philadelphia, PA, United States*

**17:30 – 17:45**

#### **1095: Aberrant functional connectivity of anterior versus posterior putamen in ADHD**

Marianne Oldehinkel, *Donders Institute for Brain, Cognition and Behaviour, Nijmegen, The Netherlands*

**17:45 – 18:00**

#### **1026: A comprehensive probabilistic tractography study in sibling pairs discordant for bipolar disorder**

Emma Sprooten, *Yale University, Hartford, CT, United States*

**18:00 – 18:15**

#### **1038: Hippocampal subfield analysis to compare the depression and neurodegeneration spectrum**

Philipp Sämann, *Max Planck Institute of Psychiatry, Munich, Germany*

**18:15 – 18:30**

#### **1037: Nucleus Accumbens Responses to Gain and Loss Revealed Symptom Subtypes of Major Depressive Disorder**

Masaya Misaki, *Laureate Institute for Brain Research, Tulsa, OK, United States*



## MONDAY, JUNE 15, 2015 | SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM

### O-M3: Mechanisms of Memory and Learning

Room 323 ABC

Chair: Michael Greicius, *Stanford University, Stanford, CA, United States*

**17:15 – 17:30**

#### **1534: Human markers of grid cell coding of non-spatial cognition**

Alexandra Constantinescu, *University of Oxford, Oxford, United Kingdom*

**17:30 – 17:45**

#### **2121: Resting state network reorganization in hemiplegic cerebral palsy treated with constraint therapy**

Kathryn Manning, *Robarts Research Institute, London, Ontario, Canada*

**17:45 – 18:00**

#### **2098: Sleep Reorganizes Memory-related Plasticity Processes in Children**

Charline Urbain, *The Hospital for Sick Children (SickKids), Toronto, Ontario, Canada*

**18:00 – 18:15**

#### **2020: Timing the Impact of Literacy in Visual Processing**

Felipe Pegado, *KU Leuven University, Leuven, Belgium*

**18:15 – 18:30**

#### **3359: Brain response to a working memory intervention in survivors of childhood cancer**

Matthew Scoggins, *St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, Memphis, TN, United States*

### O-M4: Dynamic Electrophysiological Mapping

Room 311

Chair: Christoph Michel, *University of Geneva, Geneva, Switzerland*

**17:15 – 17:30**

#### **3750: Frequency-Specific ECoG Correlations Underlie fMRI Resting State Networks**

Carl Hacker, *Washington University School of Medicine, St. Louis, MO, United States*

**17:30 – 17:45**

#### **3044: In-vivo MRI mapping of electrical current of transcranial Direct Current Stimulation (tDCS)**

Mayank V Jog, *University of California Los Angeles, Los Angeles, CA, United States*

**17:45 – 18:00**

#### **2231: Spatiotemporal Dynamic Models of Brain Activity Could Dramatically Improve MEG/EEG Source Imaging**

Camilo Lamus, *Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge, MA, United States*

**18:00 – 18:15**

#### **2181: Short-term plasticity of laminar synaptic connections in Alzheimer's disease - An MEG study**

Peng Wang, *mpi cbs, Leipzig, Germany*

**18:15 – 18:30**

#### **1855: Direct detecting optogenetically evoked oscillating neural current in rats using SLOE sequence**

Yuhui Chai, *Peking University, Beijing, China*



## O-M5: Neuroanatomy

Ballroom ABC

Chair: Bruce Fischl, *Harvard University, Cambridge, MA, United States*

**17:15 – 17:30**

### **1856: High resolution MRI neuroanatomy in whole human brains post mortem with a specialized 9.4T RF-coil**

Alard Roebroek, *Dept. of Cognitive Neuroscience, Faculty of Psychology & Neuroscience, Maastricht University, Maastricht, The Netherlands*

**17:30 – 17:45**

### **1740: Improved tract identification of post-mortem human brain with high-resolution DTI at 7T**

Sean Foxley, *University of Oxford, Oxford, United Kingdom*

**17:45 – 18:00**

### **4102: Population maps of axonal MRI g-ratio**

Siawoosh Mohammadi, *University Medical Center Hamburg-Eppendorf, Hamburg, Germany*

**18:00 – 18:15**

### **1957: Ex vivo human brain by optical coherence tomography: from cortical layers to the individual neurons**

Caroline Magnain, *Athinoula A. Martinos Center for Biomedical Imaging, MGH, Charlestown, MA, United States*

**18:15 – 18:30**

### **3501: Ultrahigh Resolution 3-D Volumetric Atlas of the Human Basal Ganglia**

Ayca Altinkaya, *Montreal Neurological Institute, Montreal, Quebec, Canada*





## MORNING WORKSHOP

### Tracking Disease Trajectories and Identifying Brain-based Markers to Characterize Mental Illness

8:00 – 9:15

Room 323 ABC

#### Organizers:

Lucina Uddin, *University of Miami, Coral Gables, FL, United States*

Jessica Damoiseaux, *Wayne State University, Detroit, MI, United States*

Over the past decade, increasingly sophisticated insights into human brain function have been obtained from functional neuroimaging analyses. As methods for analyzing functional brain connectivity become more standardized and consensus grows in the field, so does the potential for clinical utility. Here we highlight how functional connectivity approaches have been leveraged in recent years to provide insights into the neural architecture of neurodevelopmental, neuropsychiatric, and neurodegenerative disorders. In particular, it has now consistently been shown that not only do functional connectivity metrics differ between patient and control groups in reproducible ways, but that these metrics can be used to track disease progression, target regions for therapeutic brain stimulation, predict clinical outcomes, and even identify biological markers that can help us redefine or confirm clinical categories that are thus far defined using only manifested symptoms. The speakers will discuss several key strategies using unique data covering conditions that occur across the lifespan in a variety of patient populations, or which span multiple difficult-to-characterize patient populations. Using this approach, we aim to widen the discourse around developmental/age-related disease and symptom-based categorization of mental illness, and offer the opportunity to think about psycho- or neuropathology in a way that is broader than one condition or one brain system. This session will provide examples of the power of incorporating lifespan changes and/or incorporating brain imaging to inform a discussion of somewhat clinically controversial categories like schizoaffective disorder in an attempt to discover linkages in basic mechanisms and/or disease specific processes, and provide a forum for discussion of clinical implications.

#### Learning Objectives:

This morning workshop is designed to develop participants' understanding of:

1. Provide an overview of clinical applications of functional connectivity studies.
2. Widen the discourse on brain development across ages and diseases and thereby creating an opportunity for thinking beyond one condition or mechanism.
3. Illustrate the applicability of functional connectivity analyses to non-invasively examine brain function in challenging study populations such as psychiatric and neurological patients.

#### Target Audience:

Cognitive neuroscientists and clinicians interested in lifespan functional brain organization, with an emphasis on clinical translation.

### Neuroimaging of typical and atypical development: Insights from autism, attention-deficit/hyperactivity disorder, and hemispherectomy

Lucina Uddin, *University of Miami, Coral Gables, FL, United States*

### Data-driven approaches for characterizing bipolar, schizophrenia, and schizoaffective patients from resting fMRI data

Vince Calhoun, *Mind Research Network & University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, NM, United States*

### Predicting Treatment Outcome in Anxiety and Depression

Satrajit Ghosh, PhD., *MIT, Cambridge, MA, United States*

### Resting state fMRI as a biomarker for preclinical Alzheimer's disease

Jessica Damoiseaux, *Wayne State University, Detroit, MI, United States*



## MORNING WORKSHOP

### Novel Approaches to Decode the Distributed Neural Representation of Emotions and Their Components

8:00 – 9:15

Room 316 AB

#### Organizer:

Patrik Vuilleumier, *University of Geneva, Geneva, Switzerland*

The goal of the symposium is to present an overview of novel approaches used to study emotions with neuroimaging and neurophysiology measures, including multivariate classification and dynamic network analysis. Human brain imaging played a key role in the development of research on emotions and affective neuroscience in general in the last two decades, because it allowed scientists to link emotion phenomena, typically characterized by subjective and private mental states, to observable changes in the activity of specific brain structures and circuits. This work yielded many important insights, but also raised new questions that now need be addressed with new methodologies in order to uncover how emotions are represented in the brain. Early brain imaging research generally focused on mapping basic emotion categories (e.g. fear, disgust) or dimensions (e.g. valence, arousal) onto specific brain structures (e.g., amygdala, insula), but it is now becoming evident that many different emotions recruit similar brain structures, including many outside the “limbic” system traditionally associated with emotion processing. These data support an emerging view of emotions in terms of activity patterns that are distributed across widespread and overlapping brain networks. This framework calls for novel methods of analysis to dissect how emotions are coded in the brain and better understand the multidimensional neural space underlying their differentiation into distinct categories. The 4 speakers during the symposium will present several different approaches aiming at identifying brain activity patterns that are associated with various categories of emotions and their underlying components, at different scales of brain organization. Topics covered in the symposium will include multivariate pattern classification of neural and physiological data, small world network and graph theory, dynamic resting state analysis, and inter-subject synchronization. These approaches will not only illustrate the power of innovative imaging methodologies but also how imaging results can be used, under appropriate conditions, to test the classic theoretical accounts of emotions and provide new conceptual perspectives.

Comparing brain activation patterns distributions within and between areas may allow researchers to identify the “building blocks” of emotion processes in ways that could not be fully elucidated by traditional theories proposing either categorical or bi/tri-dimensional representations. Therefore, we believe that our field is entering a new era where applying new imaging methodologies to the study of emotions will make the field move forward and help resolve long-standing debates.

All speakers are experts in the neuroimaging of emotions and have published pioneer work on the neural substrates of emotion processing with multivariate classification analysis and other innovative methods. They come from 4 different countries, with equal representation of North America and Europe. Their research is highly complementary and should be of interest to a wide audience of researchers and clinicians even outside the field of emotion research.

#### Learning Objectives:

This morning workshop is designed to develop participants’ understanding of:

1. To gain better knowledge about advanced analysis methods using multivariate and pattern classification approaches, including diversity, advantages, and limitations of these methods.
2. To highlight the variety and complementary of modern neuroimaging tools available to investigate emotions in humans, with a particular focus on fMRI. Different levels of analysis will be presented, which can be applied to understand emotions and assess their links with neural substrates, including local patterns of neural activity, network measures, and functional connectivity of individual brains, but also inter-subject comparison based on temporal correlation and cross-subject classification methods, as well as decoding and integration of peripheral physiological measures.
3. To learn about current theoretical accounts and open issues concerning emotion processes and their neurobiological instantiation in the human brain, and to demonstrate how neuroimaging data can be used to inform, challenge, and/or constrain theories of emotions.

#### Target Audience:

The workshop will be of interest to a wide audience, including researchers with primary interest in methods and those with interest in emotion research, but also others whose own work might be enriched by the approaches presented during the symposium, as well as more clinically oriented researchers or practitioners with interest in affective disorders and psychiatry diseases.



**Neural representations of external events and their internal affect**

Adam Anderson, Professor, *Department of Human Development and Human Neuroscience, Cornell University, Ithaca, NY, United States*

**Multivariate pattern classification reveals biomarkers of distinct emotional states in the central and autonomic nervous systems**

Kevin LaBar, Professor, *Center for Cognitive Neuroscience, Duke University, Durham, NC, United States*

**Neural mechanisms of emotional contagion**

Lauri Nummenmaa, *AMI Centre and Brain Research Unit, Low Temperature Laboratory, Aalto University School of Science, Espoo, Finland*

**Emotions, network dynamics, and brain states**

Patrik Vuilleumier, *University of Geneva, Geneva, Switzerland*

**MORNING WORKSHOP**

**A New Look at the Data: Non-traditional Approaches to fMRI Data Analysis**

**8:00 – 9:15**

*Room 311*

**Organizers:**

Vince Calhoun, *Mind Research Network & University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, NM, United States*

Tor Wager, Professor, *Department of Psychology and Neuroscience, University of Colorado at Boulder, Boulder, CO, United States*

fMRI has benefitted greatly from the introduction of analysis and acquisition approaches borrowed from other disciplines to examine brain function in new ways. The examples of now-familiar techniques are many. Some of the earliest include statistical parametric mapping using the general linear model and functional connectivity using seed-based maps, clustering, and multivariate component analysis approaches. More recently, pattern-based classification approaches, graph theoretic approaches, and time-varying whole-brain connectivity have gained prominence and are increasingly becoming established methods. With each new successful analytic approach, new sources of valuable information have been revealed by uncovering 'hidden' variation that is ignored

by traditional approaches. In this symposium, we have asked the speakers to discuss approaches that are new to the brain imaging community, whether that be transferring an approach developed in another field to fMRI data or an approach which focuses on sources of variation that have been typically ignored or underemphasized in traditional fMRI approaches.

**Learning Objectives:**

This morning workshop is designed to develop participants' understanding of:

1. To step back a bit from traditional analysis approaches and look at some new ways to view fMRI data that might provide useful, but are overlooked with traditional approaches.
2. To encourage consideration of the underlying assumptions that we are making with a specific analytic choice and to try to 'think outside the box' with respect to what currently widely adopted approaches can and cannot provide.

**Target Audience:**

Talks will be structured to be accessible to both beginners to fMRI who have taken the preconference course, as well as to more advanced users who are interested in thinking in new ways about analysis including what do existing analysis approaches miss.

**New fMRI observations using novel acquisition, paradigm, and processing approaches**

Peter Bandettini, *SFIM, Bethesda, MD, United States*

**Incorporating spatial frequency patterns into fMRI analysis**

Robyn Miller, *The Mind Research Network, Albuquerque, NM, United States*

**Deep neural network-based feature extraction and classification for fMRI data**

Jong-Hwan Lee, *Korea University, Brain and Cognitive Engineering, Seoul, Republic Of Korea*

**Bayesian modeling approaches to the study of Dynamic Functional Connectivity Networks in fMRI data**

Michele Guidani, *Department of Biostatistics, UT MD Anderson Cancer Center, Houston, TX, United States*



## MORNING WORKSHOP

### Toward a Bigger Brain: Non-invasive Characterization of Brain Microstructure

8:00 – 9:15

Ballroom ABC

#### Organizers:

Nikola Stikov, *McGill University, Montreal, Quebec, Canada*

Aviv Mezer, *Stanford University, Stanford, CA, United States*

Measuring tissue microstructure is essential for understanding many physiological processes associated with development, aging and disease progression. A non-invasive approach to performing histological measurements will revolutionize the way we observe the effects of disease, exercise, and injuries on the human brain. As microstructural changes often precede the manifestation of symptoms, non-invasive tissue characterization has the potential to provide faster diagnosis, closer disease monitoring and better prognosis.

Over the last ten years we have seen tremendous advances in the fields of diffusion and myelin imaging, enabling us to glean microstructural information on a scale that is orders of magnitude smaller than the native MRI resolution. Advances in hardware and pulse sequence design have enabled us to ask specific questions about the distribution of axons and myelin in the brain, but the answers will have to come from an interdisciplinary approach that combines multi-modal imaging and sophisticated biophysical models of brain microstructure.

This symposium aims to highlight the most recent advances in microstructural imaging and discuss the challenges associated with developing, testing and validating novel MRI biomarkers. The program will begin with an overview of brain microstructure by Dr. Karla Miller, with a particular focus on post-mortem imaging. Dr. Aviv Mezer will follow up with discussing proton density measurements and the relationship between water and macromolecular content during development and disease. Dr. Ivana Drobnyak will give an overview of diffusion models and their relationship to axon distributions and orientations. Finally, Dr. Nikola Stikov will talk about myelin imaging and the advantages of combining the above techniques to provide a more complete picture of the myelin microstructure.

#### Learning Objectives:

This morning workshop is designed to develop participants' understanding of:

1. Explain the basics of diffusion and myelin imaging with MRI.
2. Describe the challenges associated with developing and validating tissue microstructure biomarkers.
3. Discuss the benefits and limitations of state-of-the-art microstructural imaging techniques.

#### Target Audience:

Basic and clinical neuroscientists with an understanding of introductory MRI physics. We anticipate that the symposium will also attract methodology researchers interested in multi-modal brain imaging.

#### Probing brain microstructure with magnetic resonance imaging

Karla Miller, *University of Oxford, Oxford, United Kingdom*

#### Quantifying water and macromolecular content in the brain

Aviv Mezer, *Stanford University, Stanford, CA, United States*

#### Diffusion MRI techniques for axon diameter estimation

Gary Zhang, *University College London, London, United Kingdom*

#### Characterizing the myelin microstructure with multimodal MRI

Nikola Stikov, *McGill University, Montreal, Quebec, Canada*

## BREAK

9:15 – 9:30



**KEYNOTE LECTURE**

**9:30 – 10:15**

Ballroom ABC



**Brain Waves**

Michael Breakspear,  
Systems Neuroscience Group,  
Queensland, Australia

Unifying theories of natural phenomena, expressed in mathematical form, have had enormous success in science, essentially “solving” the problems of electromagnetism, gravity, thermodynamics and particle physics. Could the processes that prescribe the dynamics of the brain’s physical states be governed by a closed set of equations that could be discovered and written down? What might the equations for the brain look like, how will they be obtained, and will they “solve” neuroscience?

**BREAK**

**10:15 – 10:30**

**ORAL SESSIONS**

**10:30 – 11:45**

Oral session presentations are chosen by the Program Committee from submitted abstracts using criteria of quality and timeliness; a wide spectrum of investigation is represented.



**O-T1: Neurological Disorders**

Room 323 ABC

Chair: Andrei Irimia, *Neuroimaging and Informatics at the University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA, United States*

**10:30 – 10:45**

**3549: Cerebellar gray matter reduction is a neurologic signature for physical frailty**

Chen-Yuan Kuo, *Brain Science, Taipei, Taiwan*

**10:45 – 11:00**

**I 123: Functional Connectivity of the aMCC and its Relation to Akinesia in Parkinson’s Disease**

Lukas Hensel, *Research Center Jülich, Jülich, Germany*

**11:00 – 11:15**

**I 124: Chronic Cortical and Subcortical Recordings Reveal Narrowband 70 Hz Activity During Dyskinesias**

Nicole Swann, *University of California, San Francisco, CA, United States*

**11:15 – 11:30**

**I 245: Recovery of abnormal sleep slow-wave activity after dopamine treatment in Restless legs syndrome**

Jeong Woo Choi, *Yonsei University, Wonju, Korea*

**11:30 – 11:45**

**I 252: Dynamic resting-state fMRI connectivity reflects behavioral measures in stroke patients**

Niels Schwaderlapp, *Medical Physics, University Medical Center Freiburg, Freiburg, Germany*

**O-T2: Emotion and Motivation**

Room 316 AB

Chair: Patrik Vuilleumier, *University of Geneva, Geneva, Switzerland*

**10:30 – 10:45**

**I 000: Modeling effective connectivity in the extended emotion processing network using DCM at 7T**

Ronald Sladky, *Center for Medical Physics and Biomedical Engineering, Medical University of Vienna, Vienna, Austria*

**10:45 – 11:00**

**I 368: Imagined Extinction Reduces Real-life Threat Expression**

Marianne Reddan, *University of Colorado, Boulder, CO, United States*



11:00 – 11:15

**1415: Cognitive Neurostimulation: Learning to Volitionally Sustain Ventral Tegmental Area Activation**

Kathryn Dickerson, *Duke University, Durham, NC, United States*

11:15 – 11:30

**1416: Parsing Reward: Spatiotemporal Analysis Reveals Distinct Striatal Responses to Reward**

David Smith, *Rutgers University, Newark, NJ, United States*

11:30 – 11:45

**321 I: Rewarding speech elicits reduced accumbens & amygdala activity and connectivity in children with ASD**

Daniel Abrams, *Stanford University, Stanford, CA, United States*

**O-T3: Systems Analysis of Language Processes**

Room 311

Chair: William Graves, *Department of Psychology, Rutgers University, Newark, NJ, United States*

10:30 – 10:45

**1980: Activation to Manipulable Nouns in Naturalistic Reading**

Rutvik Desai, *University of South Carolina, Columbia, SC, United States*

10:45 – 11:00

**1809: Tracking dynamics of functional brain networks using dense EEG**

Mahmoud Hassan, *Université de Rennes, Rennes, France*

11:00 – 11:15

**1981: The Role of Syntax in Semantic Processing: a Study of Active and Passive Sentences**

Nicole Rafidi, *Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh, PA, United States*

11:15 – 11:30

**2021: A DTI study of structural connectivity within the reading network of young struggling readers**

Anna Romanowska-Pawliczek, *University of Texas Health Science Center at Houston, Houston, TX, United States*

11:30 – 11:45

**1478: Dual-stream speech processing signified by directed connectivity markers**

Jeong-Sug Kyong, *Department of Neurology, Seoul National University Hospital, Seoul, Korea*

**O-T4: White Matter Imaging Methods**

Ballroom ABC

Chair: Jennifer McNab, *Stanford University, Stanford, CA, United States*

10:30 – 10:45

**2195: Combining ex vivo diffusion imaging with CLARITY in human hippocampus**

Kristi Clark, *USC, Los Angeles, CA, United States*

10:45 – 11:00

**1874: MRI evaluation of the CLARITY method for lipid removal from brain tissue**

Christoph Leuze, *Stanford University, Stanford, CA, United States*

11:00 – 11:15

**2196: In Vivo Observation of Time-dependent Diffusion in Human White Matter**

Els Fieremans, *New York University School of Medicine, New York, NY, United States*

11:15 – 11:30

**4103: Fiber dispersion in the corpus callosum revealed with postmortem diffusion weighted imaging and PLI**

Jeroen Mollink, *Nuffield Department of Clinical Neurosciences, University of Oxford, Oxford, United Kingdom*

11:30 – 11:45

**1966: Large-scale Fiber Orientation Models Derived From 3D Polarized Light Imaging**

Markus Axer, *Research Centre Juelich, Juelich, Germany*



**O-T5: Physiology, Metabolism and Neurotransmission**

Room 315

Chair: Amir Shmuel, *Montreal Neurological Institute, Montreal, Quebec, Canada*

10:30 – 10:45

**2425: Application of a new physiological forward fMRI signal model on experimental multimodal imaging**

Martin Havlicek, *Maastricht University, Maastricht, The Netherlands*

10:45 – 11:00

**2439: Neuronal and Physiological Correlation of Hemodynamic Resting-State Fluctuations and Connectivity**

Alberto Vazquez, *University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA, United States*

11:00 – 11:15

**2281: Lag threads organize the brain's intrinsic activity**

Anish Mitra, *Washington University School of Medicine, St. Louis, MO, United States*

11:15 – 11:30

**1911: A Spontaneous Neurophysiological Event Underlying Spontaneous fMRI Signal Changes**

Xiao Liu, *NIH, Bethesda, MD, United States*

11:30 – 11:45

**2438: The relation between oscillatory EEG activity and the laminar specific BOLD signal**

Rene Scheeringa, *Radboud University Nijmegen, Nijmegen, The Netherlands*

**LUNCH**

11:45 – 12:45

**POSTER SESSION**

12:45 – 14:45

Exhibit Hall 2 and 3

Poster Numbers #1000 – 2451

Authors with odd numbered posters will present their posters today.

**Disorders of the Nervous System:** Anxiety Disorders, Bipolar Disorder, Depressive Disorders, Other Psychiatric Disorders, Parkinson's Disease and Movement Disorders, Research Domain Criteria studies (RDoC), Schizophrenia and Psychotic Disorders, Sleep Disorders, Stroke and Traumatic Brain Injury

**Emotion and Motivation:** Emotion and Motivation Other, Emotional Learning, Emotional Perception, Reward and Punishment and Sexual Behavior

**Higher Cognitive Functions:** Decision Making, Higher Cognitive Functions Other, Imagery, Music and Space, Time and Number Coding

**Imaging Methods:** Anatomical MRI, BOLD fMRI, Diffusion MRI, EEG, Imaging Methods Other, Imaging of CLARITY, MEG, MR Spectroscopy, Multi-Modal Imaging, NIRS, Non-BOLD fMRI, Optical coherence tomography (OCT), PET and Polarized light imaging (PLI)

**Language:** Language Acquisition, Language Comprehension and Semantics, Language Other, Reading and Writing, Speech Perception and Speech Production

**Learning and Memory:** Implicit Memory, Learning and Memory Other, Long-Term Memory (Episodic and Semantic), Neural Plasticity and Recovery of Function, Skill Learning and Working Memory

**Modeling and Analysis Methods:** Bayesian Modeling, Diffusion MRI Modeling and Analysis, EEG/MEG Modeling and Analysis, Other Methods, PET Modeling and Analysis and Task-Independent and Resting-State Analysis

**Motor Behavior:** Brain Machine Interface, Mirror System, Motor Behavior Other, Motor Planning and Execution, Visuo-Motor Functions

**Physiology, Metabolism and Neurotransmission:**

Cerebral Metabolism and Hemodynamics, Neurophysiology of Imaging Signals, Pharmacology and Neurotransmission and Physiology, Metabolism and Neurotransmission Other



## SYMPOSIUM

### Multilevel Social Neuroscience

14:45 – 16:00

Ballroom ABC

#### Organizers:

Jamil Zaki, *Stanford University, Stanford, CA, United States*

Leonhard Schilbach, *Max Planck Institute of Psychiatry, Munich, Germany*

Social neuroscience represents a young and burgeoning field of research devoted to understanding the mechanisms that underlie social behavior. This session highlights the broad, “multilevel” approach that scientists take towards this endeavor, with an eye towards theoretical and methodological advances that have pushed social neuroscience forward in recent years. With respect to content, this work spans neural mechanisms that underlie ecologically valid, real-time social encounters (Hasson), strategic and cooperative social behavior (Platt), social intelligence and neural computation (Wheatley) and shifts in neural bases of social behavior through development (Mills). The work represented here also includes various methodologies, from single unit recordings to manipulation of neurohormones to naturalistic multi-person neuroimaging paradigms. Together, the speakers in this session will highlight both the diverse and broad approaches currently being employed in social neuroscience, and the promise of these new methods to more deeply uncover the cognitive structure of social cognition and behavior.

#### Learning Objectives:

This symposium is designed to develop participants’ understanding of:

Attendees will learn about the state-of-the-art in social neuroscience, new topics examined in this field, and the varied, “multilevel” neuroscientific methods currently being used to understand the bases of social behavior. The session will also include a structured perspectives on challenges and opportunities each speaker believes social neuroscience as a domain will face in the coming years.

#### Target Audience:

This session will be of broad appeal to scientists interested in social behavior, as well as the methodologies (e.g., single unit recording, inter-subject correlation of BOLD data) employed in the neuroscientific study of such behaviors. The session will also interest neuroscientists with expertise in development, communication, and cross-species commonalities in behavior.

#### Adolescence as a sensitive period of social brain development

Kate Mills, *University College London, London, United Kingdom*

#### The Neurobiology of Strategic Social Behavior

Michael Platt, *Duke University, Durham, NC, United States*

#### Social intelligence as repurposed neural computation

Thalia Wheatley, *Dartmouth College, Hanover, NH, United States*

#### Face to Face, Brain to Brain: Exploring the Mechanisms of Dyadic Social Interactions

Uri Hasson, *Department of Psychology and Neuroscience Institute, Princeton University, Princeton, NJ, United States*

## BREAK

16:00 – 16:15





## KEYNOTE LECTURE

**16:15 – 17:00**

*Ballroom ABC*



### **The Adolescent Brain: “Arrested” or Adaptive Development**

B.J. Casey, *The Sackler Institute for  
Developmental Psychobiology, Weill  
Cornell Medical College, Cornell University,  
New York, NY, United States*

Adolescence is the transition from childhood to adulthood that begins around the onset of puberty and ends with relative independence from the parent. This developmental period is one when an individual is probably stronger, of higher reasoning capacity, and more resistant to disease than ever before, yet when mortality rates increase by 200%. These untimely deaths are not due to disease but to preventable deaths associated with adolescents putting themselves in harm's way (e.g., accidental fatalities). We present evidence that these alarming health statistics are in part due to diminished self-control—the ability to inhibit inappropriate desires, emotions, and actions in favor of appropriate ones. Findings of adolescent-specific changes in self-control and underlying brain circuitry are considered in terms of how evolutionarily based biological constraints and experiences shape the brain to adapt to the unique intellectual, physical, sexual, and social challenges of adolescence.

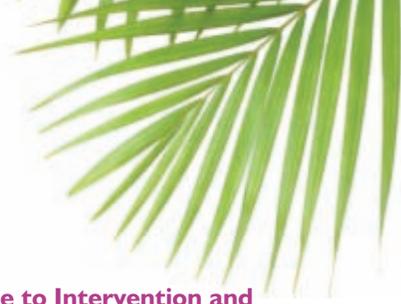
## POSTER RECEPTION

**17:00 – 18:30**

*Exhibit Hall 2 and 3*

**Poster Numbers #1000 – 2451**





## MORNING WORKSHOP

### State-of-the-Science: Neuroimaging of Autism

8:00 – 9:15

Ballroom ABC

#### Organizers:

Kevin Pelphrey, *Yale University, New Haven, CT, United States*

John Van Horn, *University of Southern California, Institute of Neuroimaging and Informatics, Los Angeles, CA, United States*

Neuroimaging techniques are rapidly advancing our understanding of the pathophysiology of autism spectrum disorder (ASD) by providing critical diagnostic markers of ASD risk in infant siblings of children with ASD and identifying neural mechanisms underlying positive response to behavioral and pharmacological treatments. Genes play a major role in ASD, but it is unknown how genetic effects are implemented in the brain to shape ASD. To bridge this gap, researchers are combining neuroimaging and molecular genetics to identify genetic biotypes of ASD that are validated in brain and cognition. We have assembled a team of field-leading scientists, each of whom has worked in one or more of these areas of major progress, to lead a “state-of-the-science” workshop on neuroimaging and ASD. In addition to being timely and addressing an important crosscutting topic, our workshop will serve to educate a diverse group of scientists.

#### Learning Objectives:

This morning workshop is designed to develop participants’ understanding of:

1. The latest findings from neuroimaging studies of ASD.
2. How investigators are implementing novel techniques for examining structural and functional connectivity across typical and atypical development.
3. How researchers are combining genetics and neuroimaging techniques to uncover the diverse etiology of ASD.

#### Target Audience:

Our target audience includes: 1) pre- and post-doctoral trainees, with some background in neuroimaging, who wish to enter the field of ASD; 2) seasoned investigators interested in learning about the latest findings in ASD; 3) all who are interested in brain development.

### Using EEG to Predict Response to Intervention and Elucidate Treatment Mechanisms in Autism

Sara Webb, *University of Washington, Seattle, WA, United States*

### Towards a Developmental Neurogenomics of Autism

Susan Bookheimer, *University of California, Los Angeles, CA, United States*

### A Developmental Perspective on Neuroimaging Biomarkers for Autism Risk

Mirella Dapretto, PhD, *UCLA, Los Angeles, CA, United States*

### The Promise of Structural and Functional Connectomics to Advance Understanding of Heterogeneous Etiology in Autism

John Van Horn, *University of Southern California, Institute of Neuroimaging and Informatics, Los Angeles, CA, United States*

## MORNING WORKSHOP

### Investigating Neuronal Computation in Cortical Laminae using Layer-Resolved fMRI & Electrophysiology

8:00 – 9:15

Room 323 ABC

#### Organizers:

Christian Doeller, *Donders Institute for Brain, Cognition and Behaviour, Radboud University, Nijmegen, The Netherlands*

Ole Jensen, *Donders Institute for Brain, Cognition and Behaviour, Nijmegen, The Netherlands*

The layers of the cortex are fundamental processing units of the brain. Layers show characteristic cytoarchitectonic and connectivity profiles and enable communication and interaction between brain regions through ascending (feedforward) and descending (feedback) processing. Work on cortical layers is almost exclusively based on invasive approaches in animal models but how layer-specific computations drive cognitive processes such as perception, attention, memory and decision making in humans remains largely elusive. This is mainly due to the limited spatial resolution of fMRI at conventional field strengths and poor spatial localization of human neurophysiological measures obtained from M/EEG. Recent advances in high-resolution, high-field fMRI technologies and



new source-localization methods for M/EEG provide exciting novel tools to start exploring the fine-grained neural basis of cognition. This symposium will summarize this advance and provide examples of how laminar computations underlying various cognitive functions can now be studied non-invasively in humans. These examples will focus on novel data from experiments using layer-resolved fMRI at 7T, combined EEG-fMRI and individual 3D head-casts during MEG recordings. We will highlight how this meso-level approach allows us to describe neural processing in sensorimotor regions, and coding of memories and space in the hippocampal-entorhinal system at an unprecedented level of detail. Finally, we will outline how mapping laminar-level circuitries can advance our understanding of the neural mechanisms supporting human cognition.

#### **Learning Objectives:**

This morning workshop is designed to develop participants' understanding of:

1. Receive an overview of different neuroimaging methods targeting neural mechanisms at the laminar level such as high-resolution fMRI and electrophysiology.
2. Getting familiar with novel analysis techniques including layer-resolved fMRI analysis, connectivity analysis, combined fMRI-EEG analysis and MEG source localization techniques.
3. Getting insights into the relationship between cognitive functions and laminar computations.

#### **Target Audience:**

We believe that this symposium could be of high relevance for the whole breadth of cognitive neuroimaging as well as methods-oriented researchers working on high-resolution fMRI, combined fMRI-EEG and MEG source localization techniques.

#### **The coordination of neuronal activity by alpha oscillations in deep layers and gamma activity in superficial layers**

Ole Jensen, *Donders Institute for Brain, Cognition and Behaviour, Nijmegen, The Netherlands*

#### **Non-invasive electrophysiology of human cortical laminae**

Sven Bestmann, *IoN, London, United Kingdom*

#### **Inferring the directionality of neural activity during encoding by using layer-specific fMRI**

Emrah Düzel, *German Center for Neurodegenerative Diseases (DZNE), Magdeburg, Germany*

#### **Layer-specific grid cell representations in humans underpin spatial cognition**

Christian Doeller, *Donders Institute for Brain, Cognition and Behaviour, Radboud University, Nijmegen, The Netherlands*

### **MORNING WORKSHOP**

#### **Statistical Assessment of MVPA Results**

**8:00 – 9:15**

*Room 316 AB*

#### **Organizers:**

Joset Etzel, *Washington University in St. Louis, St. Louis, MO, United States*

Yaroslav Halchenko, *Dartmouth College, Hanover, NH, United States*

Multivariate pattern analysis (MVPA) techniques have entered the mainstream for fMRI, EEG, and MEG-based neuroimaging studies. They encompass a spectrum of methodologies — unsupervised learning methods, supervised decoding, representational similarity analysis (RSA) — to address a wide range of hypotheses and experimental questions. The collection of frameworks and toolboxes to facilitate MVPA is constantly growing, thus facilitating ever wider adoption of these “brain reading” methods. However, results of such analyses are subject to an equally wide range of techniques for their statistical evaluation, and methodological details of those approaches are often neither transparent nor completely understood. This workshop will focus on reviewing and discussing existing approaches for performing statistical evaluation of MVPA results, their potential pitfalls, and limitations for results interpretation.

#### **Learning Objectives:**

This morning workshop is designed to develop participants' understanding of:

1. Understand the reasons why neuroimaging studies in general, and MVPA studies in particular, require robust statistical procedures, and the main classes of these procedures.
2. Understand the different statistical procedures available and appropriate for within-subjects and group-level analysis, for both ROI-based and searchlight analyses.



### **Target Audience:**

Our target audience is researchers (fMRI, EEG, MEG), particularly those reading or performing neuroimaging studies involving MVPA (multivariate pattern analysis) techniques.

### **MVPA Permutation Testing: considerations, complications, schemes, and solutions**

Joset Etzel, *Washington University in St. Louis, St. Louis, MO, United States*

### **Nonparametric methods for correcting the multiple comparisons problem in classification-based fMRI**

Johannes Stelzer, *MPI for Human Cognitive and Brain Sciences, Leipzig, Germany*

### **Inference on computational models from predictions of representational geometries**

Nikolaus Kriegeskorte, *MRC Cognition and Brain Sciences Unit, Cambridge, United Kingdom*

### **Overview of statistical evaluation techniques adopted by publicly available MVPA toolboxes**

Yaroslav Halchenko, *Dartmouth College, Hanover, NH, United States*

## **MORNING WORKSHOP**

### **Time is of the Essence: The Role of EEG and MEG in Mapping the Human Brain**

**8:00 – 9:15**

*Room 311*

#### **Organizers:**

Laura Marzetti, *Department of Neuroscience and Imaging, University "G. d'Annunzio" Chieti Pescara, Chieti, Italy*

Jorge Riera, *Department of Biomedical Engineering, Florida International University, Miami, FL, United States*

Noninvasive electrophysiological techniques, such as electroencephalography (EEG) and magnetoencephalography (MEG), offer a unique opportunity to investigate human brain dynamics on a time scale relevant to behavior, i.e., corresponding to frequencies in the 1- 1000 Hz range. Indeed, a major shortcoming of fMRI approaches is that brain activity at fast timescales is not captured. For many years, peoples in the EEG and MEG community have tried to transform time series representing the voltages and magnetic fluxes captured

by the sensors into brain current sources. The resulting technique, named Electrophysiological source imaging, has been infrequently used in the human brain mapping community due to several challenges that the neuroscientists must face to reliably recover brain activity, including a) valid assumptions about the type of current sources, b) accurate models about how these sources are reflected in the sensors, and, more important, c) the inevitable use of prior information to constraint non-physiological situations. Several strategies have been suggested to overcome these problems, thus allowing for revisiting the role of EEG/MEG in mapping the human brain. The workshop will cover the breakthroughs in estimating brain activity as a function of time and frequency from EEG/MEG, with emphasis on the abovementioned aspects. By means of the use of biophysical models and data-mining approaches, speakers in this workshop will also discuss the contribution that EEG and MEG will bring to the already established functional MRI technique.

#### **Learning Objectives:**

This morning workshop is designed to develop participants' understanding of:

1. Understand the advances in Electrophysiological source imaging by EEG and MEG;
2. Understand the impact of non invasively accessing high temporal resolution information and the potentialities of multimodal integration of electrophysiological and hemodynamic signals for a more comprehensive approach to brain functioning and its alterations;
3. Understand the role of multi-scale biophysical modeling based on the integration of different imaging modalities.

#### **Target Audience:**

All neuroimagers (primers and more experienced), especially those who have mainly an fMRI based approach to brain functioning and would like to understand the benefits of advanced multimodal integration.

### **The Conceptual Basis of Electrophysiological source imaging (ESI)**

Pedro Valdes Sosa, *Cuban Neurosciences Center, Ciudad Habana, Cuba*

### **Electrophysiological signatures relevant for hemodynamic changes: revisiting the contribution of brain rhythms**

Dante Mantini, *University of Oxford, Oxford, United Kingdom*



**Temporal variability in electrophysiological signals: implications for function and disease**

Georg Northoff, *Institute of Mental Health Research (IMHR), University of Ottawa, Ottawa, Canada*

**Interrelating EEG, fMRI, Networks, and Criticality: Multiscale Modeling and the Role of Brain Eigenmodes**

Peter Robinson, *School of Physics, University of Sydney, Sydney, Australia*

**BREAK**

9:15 – 9:30

**KEYNOTE LECTURE**

9:30 – 10:15

Ballroom ABC



**Neural Network Dynamics for Attentional Selection in the Primate Brain**

Sabine Kastner, *Princeton University, Princeton, NJ, United States*

Selective attention refers to a set of mechanisms that route behaviorally relevant information through large-scale cortical networks. I will discuss studies performed in two primate brain models, the human and the macaque, using an integrated approach of fMRI, ECoG and single-cell physiology to elucidate the network dynamics and local neural mechanisms that underlie the selection process.

**BREAK**

10:15 – 10:30

**ORAL SESSIONS**

10:30 – 11:45

Oral session presentations are chosen by the Program Committee from submitted abstracts using criteria of quality and timeliness; a wide spectrum of investigation is represented.

**O-WI: Resting-State fMRI Methods**

Ballroom ABC

Chair: Vince Calhoun, *Mind Research Network & University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, NM, United States*

10:30 – 10:45

**3749: A variational Bayes hidden Markov model for discovering dynamical functional brain networks**

Srikanth Ryali, *Stanford University School of Medicine, Stanford, CA, United States*

10:45 – 11:00

**3746: Early meta-level: deeper understanding of connectivity-states and consequences for state definition**

Markus Goldhacker, *University of Regensburg, Regensburg, Germany*

11:00 – 11:15

**1599: Robust estimation of dynamic functional connectivity using a novel functional coupling analysis**

Mac Shine, *The University of Sydney, Sydney, Australia*

11:15 – 11:30

**4000: Large-scale Probabilistic Functional Modes from resting state fMRI**

Samuel Harrison, *FMRIB, Oxford, United Kingdom*

11:30 – 11:45

**3747: Resting-state disentangled by innovation-driven coactivation patterns overlapping in space and time**

Fikret Isik Karahanoglu, *MGH/HST Athinoula A. Martinos Center for Biomedical Imaging, Charleston, MA, United States*



## O-W2: Development

Room 323 ABC

Chair: Jay N. Giedd, *University of California and Rady Children's Hospital-San Diego, San Diego, CA, United States*

10:30 – 10:45

### 3620: Olfactory perception in newborns using fMRI

Alexandra Adam-Darque, *Geneva University Hospital, Geneva, Switzerland*

10:45 – 11:00

### 4083: Cortical Maturation and Myelination in Healthy Toddlers and Young Children

Sean Deoni, *Children's Hospital Colorado, Denver, CO, United States*

11:00-11:15

### 3622: Predicting school-age cognitive capacities from the connectome at birth

Martijn van den Heuvel, *University Medical Center Utrecht, Utrecht, The Netherlands*

11:15 – 11:30

### 3621: Emergence of System Roles in Normative Neurodevelopment

Danielle Bassett, *University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA, United States*

11:30 – 11:45

### 4054: A Dynamically Growing Domain Model of Cortical Folding Pattern Formation

Monica Hurdal, *Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL, United States*

## O-W3: Perception and Attention

Room 311

Chair: Lars Muckli, *University of Glasgow, Glasgow, United Kingdom*

10:30 – 10:45

### 2048: Top-down signals during speech processing modulate the phase of oscillations in auditory cortex

Hyojin Park, *University of Glasgow, Glasgow, United Kingdom*

10:45 – 11:00

### 4299: Decoding the time course of visual perception in humans using MEG: beyond evidence accumulation?

Jean-Rémi King, *CEA, Paris, France*

11:00 – 11:15

### 4300: Retinotopy not hierarchy underlies the large-scale organization of human occipitotemporal cortex

Edward Silson, *NIMH, Bethesda, MD, United States*

11:15 – 11:30

### 4150: How bottom-up and top-down factors shape representation in word- and face-selective cortex

Kendrick Kay, *Washington University in St. Louis, Saint Louis, MO, United States*

11:30 – 11:45

### 3676: Computer-Vision Neural Networks Map the Architecture of the Human Visual System

Michael Eickenberg, *Inria, Gif-sur-Yvette, France*

## O-W4: Genetics

Room 316 AB

Chair: Neda Jahanshad, *University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA, United States*

10:30 – 10:45

### 3748: Genetic bases of functional brain networks

Jonas Richiardi, *University of Geneva, Geneva, Switzerland*

10:45 – 11:00

### 3398: Identification of common and low-frequency genetic variants associated with gyrfication in humans

Thomas Mühleisen, *Institute of Neuroscience and Medicine (INM-1), Jülich, Germany*

11:00 – 11:15

### 3440: Differential expression of SLC6A4 and SLC6A2 in cytoarchitectonic areas of the human frontal pole

Sebastian Bludau, Thomas Mühleisen, *Institute of Neuroscience and Medicine (INM-1), Jülich, Germany*

11:15 – 11:30

### 3609: ERBB4 Polymorphism and Family History of Psychiatric Disorders on Typical Brain Development.

Vanessa Douet, *University of Hawaii, Honolulu, HI, United States*

11:30 – 11:45

### 1741: Reciprocal alterations of white matter microstructure in 16p11.2 deletion vs duplication carriers

Yi-Shin Chang, *University of California in San Francisco, San Francisco, CA, United States*



## WEDNESDAY, JUNE 17, 2015 | SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM

### O-W5: MRI Acquisition

Room 315

Chair: Junqian Xu, *Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai, New York, NY, United States*

**10:30-10:45**

#### **3728: De-Noising of fMRI Time Series using NMR Field Probes for Physiology Recording**

Lars Kasper, *University of Zurich & ETH Zurich, Zurich, Switzerland*

**10:45 – 11:00**

#### **1598: Improved Stability in 3D Multi-Shot EPI fMRI by Navigator Echo Based Physiological Noise Reduction**

Oliver Josephs, *UCL, London, United Kingdom*

**11:00 – 11:15**

#### **1857: ASL Contrast Optimization in Multiphase STAR Labeling using Variable Flip Angle**

Fernando Paiva, *University of Sao Paulo, Sao Carlos, Brazil*

**11:15 – 11:30**

#### **1597: Single-Echo vs Multi-Echo Acquisition for Simultaneous Multiband fMRI at 7T in the Basal Ganglia**

Saskia Bollmann, *The University of Queensland, Brisbane, Australia*

**11:30 – 11:45**

#### **2197: Measuring the pulsation of the brain using a phase sensitive reconstruction of DWIs**

Tim Sprenger, *Technical University, Munich, Germany*

### MEET THE EDITORS ROUNDTABLE

**11:45 – 12:45**

Room 316 C

Here, a panel of editors from journals that publish neuroimaging papers will be discussing pertinent issues, what kind of papers they are looking for, and answering audience questions. It should be a lively one-hour session!

### LUNCH

**11:45 – 12:45**

### POSTER SESSION

**12:45 – 14:45**

*Exhibit Hall 2 and 3*

**Poster Numbers #3000 – 4463**

**Authors with even numbered posters will present their posters today.**

**Brain Stimulation Methods:** Deep Brain Stimulation, Direct Electrical/Optogenetic Stimulation, Invasive Stimulation Methods Other, Non-invasive Electrical/tDCS/tACS/tRNS, Non-invasive Magnetic/TMS, Non-Invasive Stimulation Methods Other, Sonic/Ultrasound, TDCS and TMS

**Disorders of the Nervous System:** Addictions, Alzheimer's Disease and Other Dementias, Autism, Disorders of the Nervous System Other, Eating Disorders, Epilepsy, Medical illness with CNS impact (e.g. chemotherapy, diabetes, hypertension), Obsessive-Compulsive Disorder and Tourette Syndrome

**Genetics:** Genetic Association Studies, Genetic Modeling and Analysis Methods, Genetics Other, Neurogenetic Syndromes and Transcriptomics

**Higher Cognitive Functions:** Executive Function, Reasoning and Problem Solving

**Informatics:** Brain Atlases, Databasing and Data Sharing, Informatics Other and Workflows

**Lifespan Development:** Aging, Lifespan Development Other and Normal Brain Development: Fetus to Adolescence





**Modeling and Analysis Methods:** Classification and Predictive Modeling, Exploratory Modeling and Artifact Removal, fMRI Connectivity and Network Modeling, Image Registration and Computational Anatomy, Methods Development, Motion Correction and Preprocessing, Multivariate Modeling, Segmentation and Parcellation and Univariate Modeling

**Neuroanatomy:** Anatomy and Functional Systems, Cortical Anatomy and Brain Mapping, Cortical Cyto- and Myeloarchitecture, Neuroanatomy Other, Normal Development, Subcortical Structures, Transmitter Systems and White Matter Anatomy, Fiber Pathways and Connectivity

**Perception and Attention: Attention:** Visual, Chemical Senses: Olfaction, Taste, Consciousness and Awareness,

**Perception and Attention Other, Perception:** Auditory/ Vestibular, Perception: Multisensory and Crossmodal, Perception: Pain and Visceral, Perception: Tactile/ Somatosensory and Perception: Visual, Sleep and Wakefulness

**Social Neuroscience:** Self Processes, Social Cognition, Social Interaction and Social Neuroscience Other

## SYMPOSIUM

### Understanding the Emerging Complexity of the Developing brain

14:45 – 16:00

Ballroom ABC

#### Organizer:

Veronika Schöpf, *Institute of Psychology, Section Neuropsychology, University of Graz* | Department of Biomedical Imaging and Image-guided Therapy, *Medical University of Vienna, Viennaz, Austria*

Observing the fetal and infant brain offers unique insights into early development of cerebral structures. Furthermore, research progress in this area will pave the way for defining imaging biomarkers as reference points for disease progression or therapeutic success. Recently, we begin to be able to integrate functional and structural information from imaging modalities such as magnetic resonance imaging and magnetoencephalography data of fetuses and infants. In addition to image acquisition and multiple layers of physiological artifacts, we face a number of challenges specific to studying the developing brain such as

rapid development over time and corresponding variability not only in space but also with regard to tissue properties and individual timing. Due to those reasons preprocessing strategies, computational models and paradigm designs cannot be transferred directly from adult studies. This symposium will explore methodologies that contribute to capturing and understanding the fetal and infant brain, the emerging connectome, pre-processing strategies and modeling approaches.

#### Learning Objectives:

This symposium is designed to develop participants' understanding of:

1. State of the art structural and functional neuroimaging of the fetal and infant brain.
2. Understanding the approaches applicable to research questions that tackle fetal and infant brain development.
3. Expand the discussion on how knowledge of normal brain development can help to provide information on pathologies or malformations to offer therapeutic options at the earliest point possible.

#### Target Audience:

Neuroscientists and clinicians interested in computational methods for fetal MRI/MEG and infant MRI and acquisition of such images. Computer scientists working on methods for analyzing neuroimaging data.

### An overview of the Developing Human Connectome Project

Daniel Rückert, *Department of Computing, Imperial College London, United Kingdom*

### Image processing tools for infant brain MRI

Lilla Zöllei, *Martinos Center, Harvard Medical School, Boston, MA, United States*

### Perturbations as a tool to investigate the fetal brain

Hubert Preissl, *MEG Center, Tuebingen, Germany*

### Linking the development of fetal brain morphology and function

Georg Langs, *Medical University of Vienna, Vienna, Austria*

## BREAK

16:00 – 16:15



**KEYNOTE LECTURE**

**16:15 – 17:00**

*Ballroom ABC*



**Pain and Pain Regulation: from spinal to cortical processing**

*Christian Büchel, Systems Neuroscience and Head of the Department of Systems Neuroscience, University Medical Center Hamburg- Eppendorf, Hamburg, Germany*

This presentation will focus on the neurobiological mechanisms of pain perception and pain modulation investigated in humans using functional magnetic resonance imaging (fMRI). The presentation will cover the neuronal mechanisms of placebo analgesia, a prominent example of how cognition can modulate pain perception, but also show the opposite namely nocebo hyperalgesia. As placebo analgesia has been shown to be mediated by endogenous opioids, a study using the opioid antagonist (naloxone) will also be presented. Using high resolution fMRI of the human spinal cord we could further show that decreased pain responses under placebo were paralleled by strongly reduced pain-related activity in the spinal cord under placebo, providing direct evidence for spinal inhibition as one mechanism of placebo analgesia. Finally, studies will be presented in which other expectations are used to alter pain perception. In this particular example we have used stereotypic gender roles to create expectations regarding pain tolerance.

**BREAK**

**17:00 – 17:15**

**TOWN HALL MEETING**

**17:15 – 18:15**

*Ballroom ABC*

All OHBM meeting attendees are encouraged to participate in this open forum; where you will have an opportunity to ask questions and give the OHBM leadership feedback. Updates on future meeting sites and Council elections will be presented.

**CLUB NIGHT @ HILTON HAWAIIAN VILLAGE**

**19:30 – 1:00**

Conveniently located at the Hilton Hawaiian Village, over 50,000 square feet of space will be transformed into OHBM's Annual Club Night. The Hilton Hawaiian Village is located at 2005 Kalia Road, Honolulu, Hawaii 96815. Club night will be in in the Coral Ballroom and lounge which is in the Pacific Conference Center

There will be a DJ that will play dance music throughout the evening. The party is complimentary to registrants. Please make sure to bring your ticket to Club Night. Additional guest tickets are \$50.00 and must be purchased at the conference registration desk.





## MORNING WORKSHOP

### Statistics for Comparing Brain Networks with Applications in Brain Disease

8:00 – 9:15

Ballroom ABC

#### Organizers:

Andrew Zalesky, Melbourne Neuropsychiatry Centre,  
The University of Melbourne, Victoria, Australia

Alex Fornito, Monash Clinical and Imaging Neuroscience, School of Psychological Sciences and Monash Biomedical Imaging, Monash University, Melbourne, Australia

Alterations in brain connectivity have been associated with many disorders. Identifying which of the thousands of connections typically mapped are associated with a between-group difference is a statistical challenge that has received little treatment. This symposium brings together four internationally recognized experts in statistical connectomics and its application to the understanding of altered brain connectivity in disease. Our speakers will discuss key issues that arise when comparing brain networks between groups. These issues include the multiple testing problem of many connections to test with possibly only a few associated with an effect; the violation of independence among connections mapped with the correlation coefficient and most other measures of functional brain connectivity; and, the highly non-normal distribution of structural connectivity measures such as the streamline count. Cutting-edge approaches for dealing with these issues will be discussed and examples of their use in clinical brain connectivity mapping studies will be presented. Focus will also be given to the formulation of appropriate null network models.

Why this topic is timely: Neuroimaging data is increasingly used to test for differences in brain connectivity. Informing the neuroimaging community about the key statistical issues in comparing brain networks in health and disease is therefore timely and pertinent to the growing number of researchers testing hypotheses about the human connectome.

Desired learning outcomes: To provide attendees with a critical understanding of the key statistical issues that arise when performing between-group comparisons of functional and/or structural brain connectivity mapped across the whole brain using neuroimaging data, and to inform attendees about cutting-edge methods developed to deal with these issues.

#### Learning Objectives:

This morning workshop is designed to develop participants' understanding of:

1. Understand the key statistical issues and assumptions associated with performing between-group comparisons of functional and/or structural brain connectivity, including the multiple testing problem, violation of independence in functional (i.e. correlational) brain networks and non-normality of structural connectivity measures.
2. Understand how to generate appropriate network null models and appreciate the pros and cons of competing methods for performing statistical inference on brain networks mapped using neuroimaging data.
3. Give examples from clinical neuroscience demonstrating the value of identifying differences in brain connectivity in disease.

#### Target Audience:

Our target audience is researchers using neuroimaging data to map differences in whole-brain functional and/or structural networks associated with disease, pharmacological intervention, etc. The breadth of talks will ensure the symposium has appeal to those without experience in statistics and network modelling as well as advanced network modellers.

#### Statistics for Brain Networks

Andrew Zalesky, Melbourne Neuropsychiatry Centre,  
The University of Melbourne, Victoria, Australia

#### Genetic influences on hub connectivity of the brain

Alex Fornito, Monash Clinical and Imaging Neuroscience, School of Psychological Sciences and Monash Biomedical Imaging, Monash University, Melbourne, Australia

#### Connectomics in health and disease - Brain networks as tools to analyse and predict

Martijn van den Heuvel, Rudolf Magnus Institute of Neuroscience, University Medical Center Utrecht, Utrecht, The Netherlands

#### Learning connectome-based predictive biomarkers

Gaël Varoquaux, INRIA, Saclay, France



## MORNING WORKSHOP

### New Developments and Horizons for Spinal Cord fMRI

8:00 – 9:15

Room 323 ABC

#### Organizers:

Christine Law, *Department of Anesthesiology, Pain and Perioperative Medicine, Stanford University, Stanford, CA, United States*

Gary Glover, *Radiology, Stanford University, Stanford, CA, United States*

Sean Mackey, *Stanford University, Stanford, CA, United States*

Functional magnetic resonance imaging, using blood oxygenation level dependent (BOLD) contrast, has been well established as one of the most powerful methods for mapping human brain function over the past twenty years. But most studies have left out an important part of the central nervous system: the spinal cord. Due to challenges in data acquisition and post-processing, spinal cord imaging has been limited by poor signal to noise and distortion. Recent technological advances have conferred significant momentum to the science of spinal cord imaging.

Our lecture series will impart state-of-the-art advances in spinal cord imaging and analysis regarding:

- (1) challenges of spinal cord imaging, and superior analysis techniques using the Spinal Cord Toolbox,
- (2) simultaneous brain and spinal cord acquisition – the holy grail of central nervous system analysis,
- (3) brain and spinal cord resting-state connectivity and its relevance to neuroscientists and clinicians,
- (4) cutting edge technology for spinal cord imaging at 7T; challenges and advantages over lower fields.

#### Learning Objectives:

This morning workshop is designed to develop participants' understanding of:

1. Understand the challenges of spinal cord fMRI and obtain knowledge of the tools and techniques available for spinal cord fMRI data analysis.
2. Gain knowledge of the current status of simultaneous brain and spinal cord fMRI imaging and how to acquire and analyze combined brain and spinal cord fMRI data.
3. Acquire the ability for potential and integration of spinal cord imaging into current protocols.

#### Target Audience:

Neuroscientists interested in spinal cord fMRI. Clinical researchers imaging the entire central nervous system. Biomedical engineers challenged by simultaneous brain/spine imaging.

#### Template-based analysis using the Spinal Cord Toolbox

Julien Cohen-Adad, *Polytechnique Montreal, Genie Electrique, Montreal, Quebec, Canada*

#### Combined fMRI of the brain and the spinal cord

Christian Sprenger, *Department of Systems Neuroscience, University Medical Center Hamburg-Eppendorf, Hamburg, Germany*

#### What can we learn about resting-state connectivity from simultaneous brain/spine imaging?

Katherine Martucci, PhD., *Anesthesia, Stanford University, Stanford, CA, United States*

#### Spinal cord imaging at 7T: challenges, solutions, and future directions

Robert Barry, *Vanderbilt University, Nashville, TN, United States*

## MORNING WORKSHOP

### Estimating Time Varying Connectivity

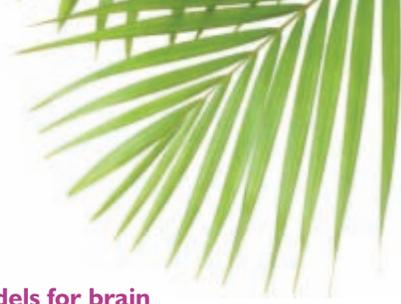
8:00 – 9:15

Room 316 AB

#### Organizer:

Ivor Cribben, *Alberta School of Business, University of Alberta, Department of Finance and Statistical Analysis, Edmonton, Alberta, Canada*

Many methods for estimating connectivity (directed and undirected) assume that the data is stationary over time, that is, the interactions between brain regions or voxels remains constant over the experimental time course. However, while this assumption is convenient for estimation and computation purposes, it presents a simplified version of a highly integrated and dynamic phenomenon. Recently, evidence of a time-varying behavior has been observed in high temporal resolution EEG data, task based fMRI experiments, and even prominently in resting state data. This has led to a surge in activity in developing new statistical methods for estimating the time-varying nature of connectivity. To date, many techniques investigate the non-stationary behavior of connectivity using a sliding window



approach. However, there are limitations to the approach. In these talks, we make a timely intervention in the field by introducing state-of-the-art statistical models that consider alternatives to the sliding window approach.

In particular, our four confirmed speakers will present their latest results on (a) how to model the dynamic behavior of pair-wise correlations between two ROI time courses for a test-retest resting state fMRI data and the limitations of the sliding window technique; (b) how to estimate time-varying connectivity that smoothly changes over time and how to estimate dynamic clusters of brain regions by their connectivity for a resting state fMRI data set; (c) how to estimate neuronal responses (from local field potentials and electroencephalograms) that are evolving over the course of a learning associative experiment and on a motor skill acquisition experiment; and (d) how to estimate Bayesian time series models for measuring time-varying effective connectivity in a resting-state fMRI experiment. The talks highlight the limitations of past techniques and the advantages of the new models, and also discuss the many unsolved open methodological problems in estimation of functional brain dynamics.

#### **Learning Objectives:**

This morning workshop is designed to develop participants' understanding of:

1. Show the limitations of the sliding window technique for estimating time-varying connectivity for functional brain imaging data.
2. Introduce new time-varying connectivity estimation methods for several time-varying connectivity problems and different imaging modalities.
3. Discuss the limitations and computation challenges of modelling functional brain dynamics, as well as the current open problems in this area.

#### **Target Audience:**

Our target audience is all researchers working with functional brain imaging data who are interested in learning about estimating time-varying connectivity

#### **Evaluating Dynamic Bivariate Correlations in Resting-state fMRI**

Martin Lindquist, *Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, MD, United States*

#### **Time varying connectivity models for brain imaging data**

Ivor Cribben, *Alberta School of Business, University of Alberta, Edmonton, Alberta, Canada*

#### **Statistical Models for the Evolution of Brain Responses**

Hernando Ombao, *University of Irvine, Irvine, CA, United States*

#### **Modelling Time-varying effective Brain Connectivity using Multiregression Dynamic Models**

Thomas Nichols, *University of Warwick, Coventry, United Kingdom*

### **MORNING WORKSHOP**

#### **Neuroimaging Applications of Simultaneous Multi-Slice Imaging**

**8:00 – 9:15**

*Room 311*

#### **Organizers:**

Sheeba Arnold Anteraper, *Athinoula A. Martinos Imaging Center at the McGovern Institute for Brain Research, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge, MA, United States*

V Andrew Stenger, *University of Hawaii, Honolulu, Hawaii, United States*

Simultaneous Multi-Slice (SMS) acquisition with parallel imaging was proposed over a decade ago and has recently gained much interest due to a series of innovations that combine to provide dramatic improvement to the method. More recently, the blipped-CAIPI (Controlled Aliasing In Parallel Imaging) method, along with the Slice-GRAPPA reconstruction, has enabled reliable MB8 (MB=Multi-band) acquisition at 3T using 32-channel receiver coil, as was used for the protocol to acquire fMRI data in the Human Connectome Project. Further, the combined use of blipped-CAIPI acquisition and 64-channel receiver coil has enabled reliable MB12 acquisition at 3T. At such a high MB factor, a temporal sampling rate of 350ms can be achieved for 2.5 mm whole-brain fMRI acquisition. SMS imaging with blipped-CAIPI has also been successfully applied to diffusion acquisition. When synergistically combined with dictionary-based compressed sensing (CS) techniques, beyond 10-fold acceleration in diffusion acquisition becomes possible. Further refinement of SMS technique using PINS (Power Independent of Number of Slices) pulses permits highly accelerated Turbo Spin Echo (TSE) imaging at MB factor 15,



with whole-brain T2-weighted data (1 mm isotropic resolution) under 90 seconds. Combined with the novel Wave-CAIPI trajectory that spreads the SMS aliasing evenly over three dimensions, the maximum g-factor penalty at such high MB factor remains below 30%. The application of MultiPINS refocusing and Wave-CAIPI acquisition thus promises to speed up clinical imaging by 15-fold at substantially reduced SNR and SAR specifications. In this morning workshop we aim to provide a thorough introduction to the perks and issues arising from using SMS acquisition. In addition, comparison will be provided regarding the stages at which SMS imaging and ultra-high fields (>3T) go together and where specialized techniques will need to be employed. Finally, specific examples will be provided to educate the audience about the advantages of SMS imaging in neuroimaging applications.

### Desired learning outcomes:

1. To gain an enhanced understanding of the most recent developments in SMS acquisition.
2. To gather insights towards novel neuroimaging applications, both in clinical and research domain, by capitalizing on the benefits offered by SMS methods, including superior temporal sampling and fMRI statistical power enhancements.

### Learning Objectives:

This morning workshop is designed to develop participants' understanding of:

1. To understand the basic physics principles of simultaneous multi-slice imaging including the advantages and disadvantages of the methods. Details of pulse sequences and image reconstructions will be described as well as artifacts present in the images.
2. To learn about the neuroimaging applications that benefit from increased temporal and spatial resolution provided by simultaneous multi-slice methods. The specific applications to functional connectivity, diffusion, and ultra high fields will be presented.

### Target Audience:

The target audience are students and researchers who are interested in fMRI and DTI methods and applications. In particular those that are interested in fast imaging pulse sequence design for improving temporal resolution in functional connectivity and diffusion applications will benefit.

### Simultaneous Multi-Slice acquisition for rapid neuroimaging

Berkin Bilgic, *Athinoula A. Martinos Center for Biomedical Imaging, Massachusetts General Hospital, Charlestown, MA, United States*

### Reducing Signal Loss in Simultaneous Multi-Slice fMRI

V Andrew Stenger, *University of Hawaii, Honolulu, Hawaii, United States*

### Simultaneous Multi-Slice Imaging at Ultra High Fields

Cornelius Eichner, *Athinoula A. Martinos. Center for Biomedical Imaging, Charlestown, MA, United States*

### Neuroimaging Applications of Simultaneous Multi-Slice Imaging

Sheeba Arnold Anteraper, *Athinoula A. Martinos Imaging Center at the McGovern Institute for Brain Research, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge, MA, United States*

## BREAK

9:15 – 9:30

## KEYNOTE LECTURE

9:30 – 10:15

Ballroom ABC



### Delay Differential Analysis of Human LFP, EEG and ECoG

Terrence J. Sejnowski, *Howard Hughes Medical Institute, Salk Institute for Biological Studies, University of California, San Diego, CA, United States*

A new time-domain model for brain recordings is introduced based on nonlinear delay-differential equations (DDEs). Rather than reduce the dimensionality of the data using PCA or ICA, DDEs fit local waveforms with high accuracy using only a few parameters that reflect cortical dynamics. Delay Differential Analysis (DDA) uses DDEs to discriminate different brain states with higher temporal resolution and increased frequency and phase coupling information compared with frequency-based



methods such as Fourier transforms and cross-spectral analysis. In addition, DDA is robust to noise and allows an easy and straightforward implementation of higher-order spectra across time.

DDA can be applied to many types of brain recordings to detect shifts in cortical states in normal and diseased brains: DDA accurately separates sleep states, detects sleep spindles, discriminates Parkinson's and schizophrenia patients from normal subjects and predicts seizures in epilepsy patients. In addition to serving as a new tool for analyzing human brain recordings, DDA can be used to validate cortical models by comparing the DDA of LFP simulations with LFP recordings from cortex.

## BREAK

10:15 – 10:30

## ORAL SESSIONS

10:30 – 11:45

Oral session presentations are chosen by the Program Committee from submitted abstracts using criteria of quality and timeliness; a wide spectrum of investigation is represented.

### O-TH1: Cognitive and Executive Function

Room 311

Chair: Dr. Jin Fan, *Queens College, New York, NY, United States*

10:30 – 10:45

#### 3485: Investigating Associations between IQ and Functional Connectivity with Sparse Multiresponse Models

Bernard Ng, *Stanford University, Palo Alto, CA, United States*

10:45 – 11:00

#### I 125: Altered connectivity and gray matter atrophy in the Multiple-Demand Network in Parkinson's disease

Christian Mathys, *Dusseldorf University, Medical Faculty, Institute for Diagnostic and Interventional Radiology, Dusseldorf, Germany*

11:00 – 11:15

#### 3433: Complementary roles of cortical oscillations in automatic and controlled processing

Silvia Isabella, *University of Toronto, The Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto, Ontario, Canada*

11:15 – 11:30

#### 3358: Integrity of DLPF connections and Association with Executive Function in Childhood ALL

Wilburn Reddick, *St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, Memphis, TN, United States*

11:30 – 11:45

#### 3444: Multi-voxel pattern analysis reveals translation of instruction knowledge into task sets

Paul Muhle-Karbe, *Ghent University, Ghent, Belgium*

### O-TH2: Social Functioning and Autism

Room 315

Chair: Dr. Aina Puce, *Indiana University, Bloomington, IN, United States*

10:30 – 10:45

#### 3208: Towards autism subtypes? Unsupervised machine learning using fMRI features

Colleen Chen, *San Diego State University, San Diego, CA, United States*

10:45 – 11:00

#### 4375: Deficits in the neural mechanisms underpinning social prediction errors in Autism Spectrum Disorder

Joshua Balsters, *ETH Zurich, Zurich, Switzerland*

11:00 – 11:15

#### 3209: Altered Cortical Trajectories in Autism Spectrum Disorders: Relation to Symptomatology

Budhachandra Khundrakpam, *Montreal Neurological Institute, Montreal, Canada*

11:15 – 11:30

#### 2232: Neural Basis of Cooperative Behavior by Simultaneous Multisubject EEG Recordings during Joint Action

Laura Astolfi, *University of Rome 'Sapienza', Rome, Italy*



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**3210: Neural substrates of emotional face processing in children with autism spectrum disorder**

Rachel Leung, *University of Toronto, The Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto, Canada*

**O-TH3: Aging and Dementia**

*Ballroom ABC*

Chair: Rik Henson, Deputy Director, *MRC Cognition & Brain Sciences Unit, Cambridge, United Kingdom*

**10:30 – 10:45**

**3547: Functional connectivity dynamics in the aging brain**

Linda Geerligs, *Cambridge Centre for Ageing and Neuroscience, Cambridge, United Kingdom*

**10:45 – 11:00**

**3548: Cognitive Training Modified Age-related Brain Changes in Elderly with Subjective Memory Complaints**

Juan Li, *Institute of Psychology, Chinese Academy of Sciences, Beijing, China*

**11:00 – 11:15**

**3136: CSF markers of neural injury predict longitudinal brain A<sub>β</sub> burden in preclinical Alzheimer's disease**

Annie Racine, *University of Wisconsin-Madison, Madison, WI, United States*

**11:15 – 11:30**

**3135: Brain Network Activity in Rest and Task Differentially Predicts Alzheimer's Risk and Cognition**

Yang Jiang, *University of Kentucky College of Medicine, Lexington, KY, United States*

**11:30 – 11:45**

**3546: Predicting progression outcomes in healthy aging and Alzheimer's disease based on BrainAGE**

Katja Franke, *Structural Brain Mapping Group, Jena University Hospital, Jena, Germany*

**O-TH4: Brain Stimulation Methods**

*Room 323 ABC*

Chair: Vince Clark, *University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, NM, United States*

**10:30 – 10:45**

**3000: Surgical Target Selection for Subcallosal Cingulate Region DBS Based on Structural Connectivity**

Ki Sueng Choi, *Emory University, Atlanta, GA, United States*

**10:45 – 11:00**

**3058: Boosting the sensitivity of concurrent TMS/fMRI in motor cortex using a dedicated MR coil array**

Lucia Navarro de Lara, *Medical University of Vienna, Vienna, Austria*

**11:00 – 11:15**

**3021: Effect of Rhythmic Electrical Stimulation on the BOLD Signal and Functional Connectivity**

Yuranny Cabral Calderin, *University Medical Center, Univ. of Goettingen; German Primate Center, Leibniz Inst for Primate Res., Göttingen, Germany*

**11:15 – 11:30**

**4186: Modulating Conscious Movement Intention with Noninvasive Brain Stimulation**

Brian Maniscalco, *National Institutes of Health, Bethesda, MD, United States*

**11:30 – 11:45**

**3258: Fatigue relief in multiple sclerosis by bilateral somatosensory cortex neuromodulation**

Franca Tecchio, *LET'S-ISTC-CNR, Roma, Italy*





## O-TH5: Classification, Prediction, Machine Learning & Informatics

Room 316AB

Chair: Chris Gorgolewski, *Department of Psychology, Stanford University, Stanford, CA, United States*

**10:30 – 10:45**

### **3983: Clustering cortical searchlights based on shared representational geometry**

Samuel Nastase, *Dartmouth College, Hanover, NH, United States*

**10:45 – 11:00**

### **3982: Finding associations between neuroimaging and clinical variables using orthogonal Sparse PLS**

Joao Monteiro, *University College London, London, United Kingdom*

**11:00 – 11:15**

### **3981: Inverse Probability Weighting for Confounding Adjustment**

Kristin Linn, *University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA, United States*

**11:15 – 11:30**

### **3980: SpaceNet: Multivariate brain decoding and segmentation**

Elvis Dohmatob, *Parietal, INRIA, Gif/Yvette, France*

**11:30 – 11:45**

### **3999: BigBrain: Automated Cortical Parcellation and Comparison with Brodmann Atlas**

Marc Fournier, *McConnell Brain Imaging Centre, Montreal Neurological Institute, McGill University, Montreal, Canada*

## OHBM RESEARCH FUNDING ROUNDTABLE

**Thursday, June 18, 11:45 – 12:45**

Room 316 C

### **Moderator:**

Dr. Gary Egan, *Monash University, Australia*

Bring your lunch and spend an hour with the representatives from leading international funding agencies getting answers to the questions about grant funding that you have always wanted answered! This Research Funders Roundtable will include program officers from the National Institutes of Health, the National Science Foundation, the Brain Mapping by Integrated Neurotechnologies for Disease Studies (Brain/MINDS) in Ministry of Education, Sports, Science and Technology in Japan program, and the European Union's Human Brain Project. What funding trends in brain research can be expected as government agency budgets get tighter? What major brain mapping initiatives are on the horizon? What scope is there for international partnerships in brain mapping? What are grant reviewers actually thinking, anyway? Find out at this unique event!

### **Speakers:**

Michelle Freund, *National Institute of Mental Health (USA)*

Patrick Bellgowan, *National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke (USA)*

Tetsuya Matsuda, *Tamagawa University Brain Science Institute (Japan)*

Sean Hill, *International Neuroinformatics Coordinating Facility (Switzerland)*

Alumit Ishai, *National Science Foundation (USA)*

## LUNCH

**11:45 – 12:45**





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### POSTER SESSION

**12:45 – 14:45**

*Exhibit Hall 2 and 3*

**Poster Numbers #3000 – 4463**

**Authors with odd numbered posters will present their posters today.**

**Brain Stimulation Methods:** Deep Brain Stimulation, Direct Electrical/Optogenetic Stimulation, Invasive Stimulation Methods Other, Non-invasive Electrical/tDCS/tACS/tRNS, Non-invasive Magnetic/TMS, Non-Invasive Stimulation Methods Other, Sonic/Ultrasound, TDCS and TMS

**Disorders of the Nervous System:** Addictions, Alzheimer's Disease and Other Dementias, Autism, Disorders of the Nervous System Other, Eating Disorders, Epilepsy, Medical illness with CNS impact (e.g. chemotherapy, diabetes, hypertension), Obsessive-Compulsive Disorder and Tourette Syndrome

**Genetics:** Genetic Association Studies, Genetic Modeling and Analysis Methods, Genetics Other, Neurogenetic Syndromes and Transcriptomics

**Higher Cognitive Functions:** Executive Function, Reasoning and Problem Solving

**Informatics:** Brain Atlases, Databasing and Data Sharing, Informatics Other and Workflows

**Lifespan Development:** Aging, Lifespan Development Other and Normal Brain Development: Fetus to Adolescence

**Modeling and Analysis Methods:** Classification and Predictive Modeling, Exploratory Modeling and Artifact Removal, fMRI Connectivity and Network Modeling, Image Registration and Computational Anatomy, Methods Development, Motion Correction and Preprocessing, Multivariate Modeling, Segmentation and Parcellation and Univariate Modeling

**Neuroanatomy:** Anatomy and Functional Systems, Cortical Anatomy and Brain Mapping, Cortical Cyto- and Myeloarchitecture, Neuroanatomy Other, Normal Development, Subcortical Structures, Transmitter Systems and White Matter Anatomy, Fiber Pathways and Connectivity

**Perception and Attention: Attention:** Visual, Chemical Senses: Olfaction, Taste, Consciousness and Awareness, Perception and Attention Other, Perception: Auditory/Vestibular, Perception: Multisensory and Crossmodal, Perception: Pain and Visceral, Perception: Tactile/Somatosensory and Perception: Visual, Sleep and Wakefulness

**Social Neuroscience:** Self Processes, Social Cognition, Social In

### CLOSING COMMENTS AND MEETING HIGHLIGHTS

**14:45 – 16:00**

*Ballroom ABC*

*Karl Zilles, Research Center Jülich, Jülich, Germany*

### FAREWELL POSTER RECEPTION

**16:00 – 17:30**

*Exhibit Hall 2 and 3*

**Poster Numbers #3000 – 4463**



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-  Business center
-  BOB Coffees Cafe
-  First aid
-  Escalator (2nd FL Parking)
-  Escalator (3rd & 4th FL)
-  Elevator
-  Restroom (Men)
-  Restroom (Women)
-  Pay phone
-  TDD / Pay phone
-  ATM
-  Vending area
-  Water fountain
-  Smoking area
-  LCD board
-  Parking
-  Entrance
-  Automatic entry door
-  Plants / grass area
-  Service corridor



ROOM / THEATERS







*Level*

**4**

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