Welcome to the next installment of the OHBMonthly newsletter!

We’re barely a month past OHBM 2023, which easily lived up to its billing: fantastic science and great networking, all facilitated by the beautiful host city of Montréal. We hope everyone who attended the annual meeting traveled home safely and has had a restful month!

Yet as we celebrate the recent annual meeting, our community is already turning to the new term, culminating in OHBM 2024 in Seoul, Korea. Read on for how to get involved in the committees and special interest groups of OHBM, plus other updates from the community.

Sincerely,
Kevin Sitek
on behalf of the OHBM Communications Committee

Artwork from the BrainArt Exhibition at OHBM 2023 in Montréal.

**Requested: Feedback on clinical fMRI for language mapping**

The Best Practices Committee is requesting feedback on their recent COBIDAS Clinical fMRI for language mapping recommendations.

Take a look at the recommendations [here](#). You can leave comments at the bottom of each page— your feedback is critical!

Additionally, Dr. Natalie Voets and Dr. Andreas Bartsch, the authors of these recommendations, recently sat down with Dr. Peter Bandettini for the Neurosalience podcast to talk about this work, and the state of functional MRI as it is used in neurosurgery. You can watch the interview on OHBM’s YouTube channel or listen wherever you find your podcasts!
Committee and Special Interest Group (SIG) updates

All of our Committees and SIGs were extraordinarily busy at OHBM 2023! Here are just a few updates since then:

- Sustainability and Environmental Action SIG (SEA-SIG) members recently released a preprint providing ten actionable recommendations for neuroimaging researchers to reduce the carbon footprint of their research computing. This includes planning and preregistering your analysis, being conservative in your use of preprocessing steps, adjusting the time at which your computing runs, and tidying up ‘junk’ files. You can see this last recommendation summarized in this brief video.
- Read about the Student–Postdoc SIG’s Best Practices in Scientific Writing workshop featuring Dr. Bradley Voytek on the OHBM Blog.
- The Communications Committee talked to each of the OHBM2023 featured speakers in the lead-up to the annual meeting. You can find their interviews at the OHBM Blog, with many of the interviews also appearing on our YouTube channel!
- In case you missed it: The Neurosalience podcast featured conversations with Michel Thiebaut de Schotten about brain connectivity and OHBM, as well as with Mallar Chakravarty about the relaunch of the journal Aperture Neuro. Follow the links for video interviews, or take a listen to the podcasts!

Recruiting new members for committees and SIGs

The organization thrives because of contributions from community members like you. Learn how to get involved in one of our many committees and SIGs:

- The Student–Postdoc SIG works together to plan events targeted for early career researchers, including workshops, a mentorship program, and social events. To learn more about available positions and to nominate yourself, check out this form!
- The BrainArt SIG promotes the exchange between Art & Science by fostering the dialogue between artists and the OHBM community. Learn more and nominate yourself here.
- SEA-SIG is looking for people to take key roles on the future organizing committee. Getting involved is a great way to make a major difference within the OHBM community and to the world we share. Find out more here.
- The Diversity & Inclusivity Committee is looking for people who can fill the following roles within the Committee: social media officer, event communication officer, graphic design officer, and Frontiers for Young Minds communication officer.
- The Communications Committee (ComCom) is seeking help producing the Neurosalience podcast. If you would like to help out, please fill out this form—no particular experience required! We are particularly keen to hear from volunteers from the Asia-Pacific region.

Potential volunteers for the DIC and other committees and SIGs may submit your interest by completing the Get Involved with OHBM Form no later than Friday, September 8th.
Job opportunities

Over 50 new neuroimaging jobs were added to the OHBM job board in the last month alone! Here are three recent spotlight positions:

- The Departments of Neurobiology and Radiology at the University of Alabama at Birmingham (UAB) are seeking highly qualified candidates for a joint, full-time, open-rank and open-tenure, research-focused faculty position.
- Massachusetts General Hospital's Martinos Center for Biomedical Imaging is seeking post-doctoral applicants who are interested in neurology and clinical neuroscience research, and have expertise in fMRI-related techniques.
- The Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences at Stanford University is seeking two full-time faculty members at the rank of Assistant or Associate Professor in the Non-Tenure Line (Research). These are positions for bench scientists who are specializing in translational scholarly research that significantly advances understanding of the neurophysiological and/or genetic underpinnings of psychiatric illness, as well as psychological resilience and capacity for stress.

The Neuro – Irv and Helga Cooper Foundation Open Science Prizes

The Neuro-Irv and Helga Cooper Foundation Open Science Prizes, sponsored by the Irv and Helga Cooper Foundation, is an initiative in its third year from The Neuro's Tanenbaum Open Science Institute. The Prizes Recognize projects, services, tools, and platforms that unlock the power of Open Science in neuroscience to advance research, innovation, and collaboration for the benefit of health and society.

Read about the prizes and apply [here](#)—applications and reference letters due **September 10**!

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