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Laboratory of Molecular Biology and University of Cambridge Symposium
BRAIN CONNECTOMICS THROUGHOUT THE LIFE OUTCOME

Tuesday 25th January 2022

10.00am – 5.00 pm.

MRC Laboratory of Molecular Biology
Francis Crick Avenue, Cambridge Biomedical Campus

- 9.15-9.45** Registration, tea and coffee
- 10.00-10.20** Welcome introduction: Professor Patrick Chinnery and Professor Jan Löwe.
Chair: Professor Patrick Chinnery
Developing Brain
- 10.20-10.40 Dr Jelle van den Ameele – Connecting neural stem cells with their niche: a role for mitochondrial metabolism?
- 10.40-11.00 Dr Duncan Astle -Simulating connectome growth in childhood.
- 11.00-11.20 Dr Radu Aricescu – Molecular bridges across the synaptic cleft.
- 11.20-11.40 Dr Marta Zlatic - Circuits for learning, predicting, and deciding.
- 11.40-12.00 Professor Ole Paulsen – Development of neuronal network topology *in vitro*.
- 12.00-12.45** LUNCH
Chair: Professor Ed Bullmore
Maturing Brain
- 12.45-1.05 Dr William Schafer - Extrasynaptic neuronal connectomes.
- 1.05-1.25 Dr Petra Vertes – Common organisational principles in the brain – from *C. elegans* to human connectomes.
- 1.25-1.45 Dr Greg Jefferis - Comparing cellular connectomes.
- 1.45-2.05 Dr Luca Peruzotti-Jametti – Characterisation and manipulation of succinate-dependent injury in chronic neuroinflammation.
- 2.05- 2.25 Dr Edward Avezov - Neurite outgrowth control by innate machinery for modulation of transport through the Endoplasmic Reticulum network.
- 2.25-2.45 Dr Tim Rittman – Connectivity in neurodegenerative tauopathies – understanding disease across the whole brain.
- 2.45-3.20** BREAK
Chair: Dr Michael Hastings
Ageing Brain
- 3.20-3.40 Dr Andras Lakatos - What did organoids do for us? - discoveries at single cell resolution in neurodegeneration.
- 3.40-4.00 Professor James Rowe - Lifespan brain connectivity from fMRI and MEG: lessons from CamCAN.
- 4.00-4.20 Dr Will McEwan - Immunotherapy against tau in neurodegenerative disease.
- 4.20-4.40 Dr Michel Goedert – Cryo-EM structures of amyloid filaments from brain.
- 4.45** Closing Remarks: Professor Jan Löwe



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