



XVII Annual Meeting of the Chilean Society for Neuroscience

NOVEMBER 2-4, 2021

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Tuesday, November 2th

09:45 Opening Ceremony

Christian Gonzalez-Billault, President Chilean Society for Neuroscience

10:00-12:00 **SYMPOSIUM 1: Rare genetic diseases and their impact on neurodevelopment and CNS function.**

Chair: Maria Paz Marzolo

10:00-10:30 **Systems Biology of Rare Neurological Disorder**

Victor Faundez¹

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10:30-11:00 **Environmental enrichment as a bypass to attenuate the progression of Rett syndrome-like phenotype in a mouse model of the disease.**

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11:00-11:30 **The AP-4 adaptor complex, mutated in Hereditary Spastic Paraplegia, has ApoER2 as a new cargo with relevant neuronal functions**

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11:30-12:00 **Shingolipids and Ceramides in the pathogenesis of Lysosomal Storage Diseases and Parkinson's disease**

Hugo Bellen¹, Liping Wang¹, Guang Lin¹

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10:00-12:00 **SYMPOSIUM 2: Ecological Cognitive Neuroscience: moving towards real-life Science.**

Chairs: Rodrigo Montefusco/ María de los Ángeles Juricic

10:00-10:30 **Ecological Cognitive Neuroscience Group an invitation towards real-life neuroscience.**

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(3) Ecological Cognitive Neuroscience Group, Chile

10:30-11:00 **Bridging past and future in education: Integrating multisensory models of brain and cognition with naturalistic laboratory research**

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(3) Vanderbilt University, Hearing & Speech, Nashville, TN, USA

11:00-11:30 **Studying how realism influences brain and behavior: a brief history, current challenges, and new horizons**

Jacqueline Snow¹

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11:30-12:00 **MoBI meets 4E cognition: getting ready for real-world neuroscience**

Francisco J. Parada Flores¹

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12:00-13:30 Break

13:30-14:30 Sponsor exhibition

14:30-16:30 **Poster Session 1**

1. Association between pupillary reactivity and the perception of eye movements

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2. Vocal behavior of two Chilean suboscine birds in relation to the innervation of their syrinx

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3. Senescent astrocytes get cytoskeleton changes likely directed to the establishment of the Senescence-Associated Secretory Phenotype (SASP)

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4. Transcriptional regulation of Lonp-1 by Mecp2 and their contribution to the hippocampal accumulation of tau PHF-1 inside mitochondria in aging

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5. Early exposure to a hypercaloric diet alters mitochondrial function by a mechanism associated with Mecp2-related epigenetic changes.

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6. The KDEL receptor-dependent signaling at de Golgi complex promotes the mitochondrial function in a hippocampal derived cell line HT-22

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7. The uncoupling protein UCP5 regulates mitochondrial function and proteasome activity in neuronal cells: Impact on the synapses and aging

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8. Effects of mitophagy stimulation with Urolithin A on the age-related mitochondrial function and cognitive impairment in aged SAMP8 and C57 mice

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9. Multi-Scale Entropy Analysis of Retinal Signals in an Animal Model of Alzheimer's Disease.

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10. Optimization of the neuroprotective effect of eudesmin on amyloid beta peptide in different states of aggregation using in silico simulations

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11. Subcortical gates to auditory phantom perception? A volumetric subcortical study of Tinnitus in a Chilean MRI cohort

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12. Exploring data bases for the study of aminergic systems in Drosophila gut

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13. Role of the somatostatin-expressing inhibitory interneurons on cognitive decline during aging.

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14. A centronuclear myopathy-causing mutation in dynamin-2 reduces dendritic spine density and perturbs AMPAR trafficking in hippocampal neurons of a murine model of the disease

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15.a. Characterizing white matter hyperintensities with manual segmentation and automatic tools in a Chilean MRI cohort: A comparative study

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16:30-17:00 Break

17:00-18:00 **Conference 1**

Stress hormone effects on different aspects of memory quality.

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Chair: Jimmy Stehberg

Wednesday, November 3th

09:00-11:00 **SYMPOSIUM 3: Microexons and Central Nervous System Development.**

Chairs: María Estela Andres / Paola Haeger

09:00-09:30 **Parallel evolution of neural microexons in insects and vertebrates**

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9:30-10:00 **Cognitive impairment induced by prenatal ethanol exposition: New insights into gene expression dysregulation.**

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10:00-10:30 **Microexon contribution to environmental-stress adaptation: the interesting case of LSD1.**

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09:00-11:00 **SYMPOSIUM 4: Mind, Brain and Education.**

Chair: Paulo Barraza

09:00-9:30 **Use of interactive technologies to promote language and communication**

Marcela Peña¹

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09:30-10:00 **Brain networks after simple arithmetic: evidence from magnetoencephalography**

Elena Salillas¹

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10:00-10:30 **Teach ... How and for what?**

Cecilia Calero¹

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10:30-11:00 **The Teacher's Brain: neurocognitive bases of expert teaching**

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11:00-11:15 Break

11:15-13:30 SYMPOSIUM 5: Young Neuroscientists

Chair: Alexies Dagnino

11:15-11:40 Identification of neurotransmission and brain aging energy metabolism hub genes using a novel approach that combines network analyses and multi-omics data

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11:40-12:05 Using *Drosophila melanogaster* to understand complex disorders: insights on the pathophysiology of schizophrenia

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12:05-12:30 Uncovering alternative splicing patterns of microexons across mouse development and neuronal cell types

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12:30-12:55 Whole-brain modelling suggests mechanisms behind the pro-segregation effect of cholinergic system

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12:55-13:20 Turbulence impact on EEG, EOG and touchscreen vigilance.

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13:30-14:30 Sponsor exhibition

15:00-17:00 Poster Session 2

15. Detecting changes in locomotion and social interactions in *Drosophila melanogaster* mated females.

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16. Vestibular Evoked Myogenic Potentials in Children with Attention Deficit and Hyperactivity Disorder

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17. Glucagon as a neuromodulator of retinal inhibitory activity, possible implications in myopia pathogenesis

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18. Directly induced neurons starting from dermal fibroblasts to study neuronal aging

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19. Phosphorylated tau PHF-1 (Ser396 and Ser404) inside of mitochondria: mechanism of a possible proteostasis response in the aged hippocampus.

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20. Characterization of the senescent-like phenotype in culture-aged neurons and its impact on the establishment of synaptic contacts

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21. Red630-Light-Transcranial LED Therapy improves mitochondrial function in the hippocampus, reducing the age-related hippocampal memory loss in SAMP8 mice.

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22. Functional Connectivity Alterations in the Neural Network of Retinal Ganglion Cells in an Alzheimer's Disease Model.

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23. Analysis of transcriptional changes associated with CRE elements in a murine model of Huntington's disease due to the interaction of CBP with the mutant Huntingtin protein

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24. A Hippocampal network model to estimate Excitation/Inhibition balance from empirical data of Octodon degus

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25. Mice null for the neuronal variant of LSD1 release less dopamine in the nucleus accumbens in response to amphetamine

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26. Altered excitability in the olfactory cortex of Fmr1 KO mice

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27. Canonical Wnt signaling regulates the expression of proteins of the mitochondrial unfolded protein response (mtUPR) in neuronal cells.

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28. Impact of pharmacological inhibition of PANX1 with probenecid on the synaptic and spatial memory defects in a mouse model of Alzheimer's disease

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29. A centronuclear myopathy-causing mutation in dynamin-2 impairs excitatory synaptic transmission leading to cognitive dysfunction in a murine model of the disease

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30. Evaluation of type-1 corticotropin releasing factor receptor (CRF-R1) expression in nucleus accumbens nerve terminals of juvenile rats exposed to social isolation stress.

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17:00-18:00 Break

18:00-19:00 Roundtable

Chair: Christian González-Billault

“Humberto Maturana (1928-2021): Una visión sistémica de los seres vivos”

Jorge Mpodozis, “Evolución a través de la deriva del Nicho Ontológico”.
Departamento de Biología, Facultad de Ciencias, Universidad de Chile.

Juan-Carlos Letelier¹, “Algo Necesario para entender la génesis del concepto de Autopoiesis: Las interacciones entre Humberto Maturana y Heinz von-Foerster (1963-2002)”.
Departamento de Biología, Facultad de Ciencias, Universidad de Chile.

Maria de la Luz Cardenas: “Autopoiesis y Metabolismo”.
Bioénergétique et Ingénierie des Protéines, Centre National de la Recherche Scientifique (CNRS),
Marseilles, France.

Thursday, November 4th

09:00-11:00 **SYMPOSIUM 6: Molecular basis of memory and depression**

Chair: Jimmy Stehberg

9:00-9:30 **Role of astrocytes in memory and depression**

Jimmy Stehberg, Instituto de Ciencias Biomédicas, Universidad Andrés Bello, Santiago. Chile.

09:30-10:00 **A hippocampal molecular switch in the transition from normal to PTSD-like fear memory**

Aline Desmedt¹

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10:00-10:30 **Targeting the endocannabinoid system in stress-related disorders**

Irit Akirav¹

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10:30-11:00 **New inhibitors for QR2 to fight neurodegeneration and AD**

Kobi Rosemblum¹

(1) Sagol Dept Neurobiology, University of Haifa. Israel.

11:00-11:15 Break

11:15-13:00 **Oral Communications I**

Chair: Patricio Orio

11:15-11:30 **Curiosity and Learning: from the laboratory to the classroom.**

Ricardo Illesca¹

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11:30-11:45 **Interpreting arousal-related neuromodulation of 1/f aperiodic activity through the switch of adaptation currents**

Vicente Medel^{1,2}, Martín Irani¹, Brandon Munn², Gonzalo Boncompte¹, Felipe González¹, Gabriel Wainstein², James Shine², Nicolás Crossley¹, Tomás Ossandón¹

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11:45-12:00 **Relationship between structural connectivity and multivariate statistics in neural network models.**

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12:00-12:15 Altered resting-state functional connectivity in hiPSC-derived neuronal networks from schizophrenia patients.

Kris Blanchard Tapia^{1,2}, Sofia Puvogel^{1,2,6}, Veronica Palma¹, Bárbara S. Casas¹, Delia Garrido¹, Robyn Miller^{3,4}, Stevens Rehen⁵, Magdalena Sanhueza²(1) Laboratory of Stem Cells and Developmental Biology, Department of Biology, Faculty of Sciences. Universidad de Chile. Santiago, Chile.

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(4) Tri-institutional Center for Translational Research in Neuroimaging and Data Science (TReNDS Center), Atlanta, GA, USA.

(5) D'Or Institute for Research and Education (IDOR), Rio de Janeiro, Brazil

(6) Department of Biomedical Sciences of Cells and Systems, University Medical Center Groningen, Groningen, The Netherlands.

12:15-12:30 Aging of the retinal ganglion cells: loss of PAX1 modulation?

Paloma Harcha Soazo¹, Joaquín Araya², David Neira¹, Cristóbal Ibaceta¹, Pablo Gabriel Reyes Robles³, Jean-Gabriel Minonzio^{4,5}, María José Escobar³, Adrián Palacios Vargas^{1,6}

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(6) Instituto de Sistemas Complejos de Valparaíso, Valparaíso, Chile

12:30- 12:45 Postnatal onset of hippocampal-dependent memory and its relationship with oscillatory patterns during sleep.

María Alexandra García Pérez^{1,2,5}, Irani M³, V Tiznado⁴, T Bustamante^{1,5}, P Maldonado^{2,5}, JL Valdés^{1,5}

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11:15-13:00 Oral Communications II

Chair: Patricio Rojas

11:15-11:30 Functional regeneration of the neuromuscular synapse relies on long-lasting morphological adaptations.

Francisca Bermedo García¹, Diego Zelada¹, María Esperanza Martínez¹, Lucía Tabares², Juan Pablo Henríquez¹

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11:30-11:45 From synapse-to-nucleus: c-Abl kinase signaling during early synaptic activation

Daniela A Gutierrez¹, Diego Guzmán¹, Adrián González-Martín¹, Pol Picón-Pagès², Francisco Muñoz², Alejandra Álvarez Rojas¹

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(2) Universidad Pompeu Fabra, Molecular Physiology and Channelopathies Laboratory, PRBB, Doctor Aiguader 88, Barcelona, España

11:45-12:00 Corticosterone blocks the response of astroglial connexin 43 (Cx43) hemichannels to norepinephrine (NE) and its reduction increases their response to NE.

Ivanka Jiménez¹, Jimmy Stehberg¹

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12:00-12:15 A possible role for Cdk5 in murine vagus nodose ganglion (NG)

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12:15-12:30 Pannexin 1 ablation promotes dendritic branching and spines formation in hippocampal neurons by modulating actin polymerization through Rac1 small-Rho GTPase.

Carolina Flores-Muñoz^{1,2}, Elena Mery^{1,2}, Paula Mujica^{1,2}, Javiera Illanes^{1,2}, Stefany Ordenes^{1,2}, Arlek González-Jamett^{2,3}, Agustín Martínez², Álvaro O. Ardiles^{1,2,4}

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12:30-12:45 Opposing effects of glucocorticoids and adrenaline in anxiety at the rat insular cortex

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12:45-13:30 Break

13:30 -14:30 Sponsor exhibition

14:30-15:00 Break

15:00-17:00 **SYMPOSIUM 7: Brain aging and glial cells – When neuroinflammation shapes brain function.**

Chairs: Maite A. Castro / Francisco J. Rivera

15:00-15:40 **Microglia in the context of aging and Alzheimer's disease**

Flavia E. Saravia¹,

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15:40-16:20 **Targeting Brain Rejuvenation for the Treatment of Dementia,**

Ludwig Aigner^{1,2}

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(2) Spinal Cord Injury and Tissue Regeneration Center Salzburg (SCI-TReCS), Austria.

16:20-17:00 **Systemic mechanisms of brain rejuvenation.**

Saul Villeda^{1,2}

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(2) Endowed Chair in Biomedical Sciences.

17:00-18:00 Break

18:00-19:00 **Conference 2**

Building a neuron: cytoskeleton organization and transport mechanisms

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Chair: Christian Gonzalez-Billault