



Patricia Levy Zusman International Workshop on Neuroregeneration

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March 3, 2021 (Day 1)

All sessions will take place on a virtual platform.

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9:00am-9:30am Log-in

9:30am-9:45am Welcome Comments

Philip Horner, **PhD**, Director, Center for Neuroregeneration, Houston Methodist **Karim Fouad**, **PhD**, Professor, Rehabilitative Medicine, University of Alberta

9:45am-10:00am Introduction to Miro and facilitation techniques

10:00am-11:00am Keynote Vision:

A visualization and debate of what regeneration will look like in 2071

Keynote Discussants:

Vance Lemmon, PhD, University of Miami

Wolfram Tetzlaff, MD, PhD, University of British Columbia

11:00am-11:10am Horner Lab, Philip Horner, PhD

11:10am-11:20am Open Data Commons, Karim Fouad, PhD

11:20am-11:40am Mini-Grant Development of 2019 Workshop Winners (10 min per team)

-Collaborative Projects of Ariel Levine, PhD, NINDS and Steve Perlmutter, PhD, UW

-Mechanisms of Glial-Regulated Synaptic Plasticity After Injury, Joshua Burda, PhD, Cedars-Sinai

Medical Center and Robert Krencik, PhD, Houston Methodist

Session 1: Axon and Dendrite Growth Mechanisms Moderator: Philip Horner, PhD, Houston Methodist

11:40am-12:00pm Dendritic Growth Mechanisms in Head Injury, Kimberly Tolias, PhD, Baylor College of

Medicine

12:00pm-12:20pm Axon Regeneration and CNS Repair, **Binhai Zheng**, **PhD**, University of California San Diego

12:20pm-12:40pm Extracellular Mechanisms of Axon Growth, Philippe Monnier, PhD, University of Toronto

12:40pm-1:00pm Session 1 Discussion

1:00pm-1:15pm 1-minute Poster Blitz for all posters

1:15pm-2:00pm Lunch





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Session 2: Plasticity in the Injury Environment

Moderator: Ariel Levine, MD, PhD, NINDS (National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke)

2:00pm-2:20pm Extracellular Mechanisms of Spinal Plasticity, Elizabeth Bradbury, PhD,

Kings College London

2:20pm-2:40pm Intrinsic and Extrinsic Mechanisms of Plasticity, Veronica Tom, PhD, Drexel University

of Medicine

2:40pm-2:50pm Coffee Break

2:50pm-3:00pm Miro time!

3:00pm-3:20pm Motor Cortex Neuromodulation and Spinal Cord Plasticity, John Martin, PhD, City

University of New York School of Medicine

3:20pm-3:40pm Spinal Stimulation and Neuromodulation of the Respiratory System, Erica Dale, PhD,

University of Florida

3:40pm-4:10pm Session 2 Discussion

March 4, 2021 (Day 2)

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9:00am-9:30am Log-in and Miro Set-up

Session 3: Neuromodulation Session I

Moderator: Karim Fouad, PhD, University of Alberta

9:30am-9:50am Brain Stem Neuromodulation, Patrick Whelan, PhD, University of Calgary

9:50am-10:10am Adenosine and Excitability of Spinal Circuitry, Giuliano Taccola, PhD, International School

for Advanced Studies (SISSA)

10:10am-10:30am Primate Optogenetics and Motor Systems, Adriana Galvan, PhD, Emory University School

of Medicine

10:30am-10:50am Session 3 Discussion

10:50am-11:05am Coffee Break

11:05am-11:15pm Miro time!





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Session 4: Neuromodulation Session II

Moderator: Karim Fouad, PhD, University of Alberta

11:15am-11:35am Neural Activity and Autonomic Function, **Aaron Phillips, PhD**, ICORD (International

Collaboration on Repair Discoveries)

11:35am-11:55am Hypoxia and Neuromodulation, Randy Trumbower, PhD, Harvard Medical School

11:55am-12:15pm Optogenetic Modulation of Upper Limb Circuitry, **Sarah Mondello**, **PhD**, University of

Washington

12:15pm-12:35pm Session 4 Discussion

12:35pm-1:30pm Lunch Break

1:30pm-2:30pm Miro Time/Networking for Mini-Grant Teams and Proposals

(Mini-Grant teams formed must post their Team Name on Miro by 4:00pm in order to be considered for

presentation and awards on Day 3.)

Session 5: Brain Computer Interfaces

Moderator: Amir Faraji, MD, PhD, Houston Methodist

2:30pm-2:50pm Sensory BCl, **Douglas Weber**, **PhD**, Carnegie Mellon University

2:50pm-3:10pm Closed Loop Stimulation and Locomotion, Marina Martinez, PhD, University of Montreal

3:10pm-3:30pm High-Performance Biocompatible Electronics for Neural Networks, Dion Khodagholy, PhD,

Columbia University

3:30pm-3:50pm Session 5 Discussion

3:50pm-4:15pm Mini-grant Development Team Name Announcement on Miro





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9:00am-9:30am Log-in and Miro Set-up

Session 6: Emerging Topics

Moderator: Robert Krencik PhD, Houston Methodist

9:30am-9:50am Neurogenic Bladder and Urinary Reconstruction, Rose Khavari, MD, Houston Methodist

9:50am-10:10am Tissue Engineering, Cindy Farach-Carson, PhD, The University of Texas Health Science

Center

10:10am-10:30am Combining Invasive with Non-Invasive Stim, Double the Potential, Dimitry Sayenko, PhD,

Houston Methodist

10:30am-10:50am Session 6 Discussion

10:50am-11:00am Coffee Break

11:00am-11:10am Miro time!

Session 7: Early Stage Concepts and Team Building

Moderators: Marina Martinez, PhD, University of Montreal and Philip Horner, PhD, Houston Methodist

11:10am-12:20pm	Top /	Trainee Poster	Presentations	(10 minutes each)
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12:20pm-1:00pm Lunch break with Trainee Poster Competition- *voting on Survey Monkey*

1:00pm-2:00pm Mini-grant Development 2021 Presentations by Teams

2:00pm-2:30pm Clinical Trials Summary, Linda Jones, PT, PhD, Thomas Jefferson University

2:30pm-3:30pm Keynote Presentation, Jerry Silver, PhD, Case Western University

3:30pm-3:40pm Coffee Break

3:40pm-3:50pm Miro wrap-up

3:50pm-4:00pm Awards

4:00pm-4:15pm Closing comments by Philip Horner, PhD and Karim Fouad, PhD