

Tulane Brain Institute – Fall 2018 - Seminar Series

Date	Title	Speaker	Room	Host
Wednesday, Aug 29, 2018 - 4pm	Insights into Neuronal Kinesin Function from Mutations that Cause Hereditary Spastic Paraplegia	Thomas Huckaba, PhD Associate Professor, Department of Biology Xavier University	Jones 108	Earls
Wednesday, Sept 5, 2018 – 4pm	The effects of androgens and sleep on neurodegeneration: brain and behavior	Rebecca Cunningham, PhD Associate Professor of Physiology & Anatomy University of North Texas Health Science Center	Downtown SOM-6001	Derbenev
Wednesday, Sept 12, 2018 – 4pm	Tau and Neurodegeneration: How a single molecule changes shape to initiate disease	Marc Diamond, MD Director, Center for Alzheimer's and Neurodegenerative Diseases Professor, Neurology & Neurotherapeutics University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center	Jones 102	Robinson
Wednesday, Sept 19, 2018 – 4pm	<i>NO SEMINAR – Yom Kippur</i>			
Wednesday, Sept 26, 2018 – 4pm	<i>NO SEMINAR</i>			
Wednesday, Oct 3, 2018 – 4pm	Neuromodulatory signaling in space and time	Haining Zhong, PhD Scientist, Vollum Institute Oregon Health & Science University	Jones 102	Huang
Wednesday, Oct 10, 2018 – 4pm	Elucidating the neuronal mechanisms that modulate fear intensity	Jonathan Fadok, PhD Assistant Professor, Department of Psychology Tulane University	Jones 108	TBI
Wednesday, Oct 17, 2018 – 4pm	Developmental programming of hypothalamic circuits regulating energy balance	Sebastian Bouret, PhD Associate Professor of Pediatrics Children's Hospital Los Angeles, Univ. of Southern California	Jones 102	Mauvais-Jarvis
Wednesday, Oct 24, 2018 – 4pm	The Dopamine Synapse	David Sulzer, PhD Professor, Departments of Neurology & Psychiatry Columbia University Medical Center	Downtown SOM-6001	Students Hosted Seminar (Rachel Wise)
Wednesday, Oct 31, 2018 – 4pm	A dephosphorylation pathway in regulating active zone stability	Chunlai Wu, PhD Associate Professor, Neuroscience, Cell Biology & Anatomy LSU Health Sciences Center School of Medicine	Downtown SOM-6001	TBI/Mostany
Wednesday, Nov 7, 2018	<i>NO SEMINAR – SYN Nov. 3 - 7</i>			
Wednesday, Nov 14, 2018 – 4pm	Making and breaking fear memories	Steve Maren, PhD University Distinguished Professor and Claude H. Everett, Jr. '47 Chair of Liberal Arts, Institute for Neuroscience, Departments of Psychological & Brain Sciences Texas A&M University	Jones 102	Fadok*
Wednesday, Nov 21, 2018	<i>NO SEMINAR – Thanksgiving</i>			
Wednesday, Nov 28, 2018 – 4pm	Anxiety and brain morphology are related to poorer visuospatial working memory in a group of children and adolescents at ultra-high risk for developing schizophrenia	Elliot A. Beaton, PhD Assistant Professor and Graduate Coordinator Director of the Stress, Cognition, and affective Neuro Lab Department of Psychology University of New Orleans	Downtown SOM-6001	TBI/Mostany
Wednesday, Dec 5, 2018 – 4pm	Molecular, cellular and circuit mechanisms of memory linking	Alcino J. Silva, PhD UCLA Distinguished Professor Depts. of Neurobiology, Psychiatry & Biobehavioral Sciences, and Psychology, Director, Integrative Center for Learning and Memory Brain Research Institute	LBC – 213 Kendall Cram	Daniel

The Fall 2018 Brain Institute Seminar Series will take place on Wednesdays at 4pm on the Uptown Campus unless otherwise noted (updated 10/03/18)