Advances in Memory Systems

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Rosenthal Pavilion Room, 60 Washington Square South (10th Floor).

Thursday, May 28, 2015

09:30 - 09:35 Introductory remarks

Session I: Chair and commentator, Marjorie Rhodes

09:35 - 09:55 Rony Paz: From normal generalization to anxiety in primate networks

09:55 - 10:15 Nim Tottenham: Human Amygdala-Prefrontal Circuit Development

- 10:15 10:35 Elizabeth Phelps: Novel techniques to control fear in humans
- 10:35 10:55 Joe LeDoux: Reacting and Acting When in Harm's Way
- 10:55 11:10 Comments: Marjorie Rhodes

11:10-11:40 Coffee Break

Session II: Chair and Commentator, Eero Simoncelli

- 11:40 12:00 Michael Kahana: Theta and HFA correlates of human memory
- 12:00 12:20 Loren Frank: Activation and reactivation of hippocampal-cortical circuits: A potential substrate for memory
- 12:20 12:40 Brice Kuhl: *Resolving interference during the encoding of overlapping memories*
- 12:40 12:55 Comments: Eero Simoncelli
- 1:00 2:00 Lunch break

Session III: Chair and commentator, David Poeppel

- 2:00 2:20 Carol Barnes: Impact of aging on brain circuits and behavior
- 2:20 2:40 Andre Fenton Neural dynamics and the structure of cognition
- 2:40 3:00 Cristina Alberini: Mechanisms of memory consolidation and enhancement
- 3:00 3:20 Wendy Suzuki: Pattern Separation in the Monkey Medial Temporal Lobe
- 3:20 3:35 Comments: David Poeppel
- 3:40 4:10 *Coffee Break*

Session IV: Chair and commentator, Eric Klann

- 4:10 4:30 Alison Adcock: Neural Contexts for Adaptive Memory Formation
- 4:30 4:50 Richard Tsien *Molecular detective work: how synaptic tagging and resource recruitment might be joined at the hip*
- 4:50 5:10 Nathaniel Daw: *Episodic memory and nonparametric value estimation for decision making*
- 5:10 5:30 Donald Goff: New models for treatment development in schizophrenia
- 5:30 5:45 *Comments*: Eric Klann
- 6:00 7:00 *Reception*

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Session V: Chair and Commentator, Jonathan Winawer

- 09:30 09:50 Richard Morris: Optogenetic analysis of synaptic and behavioral tagging
- 09:50 10:10 Tom Carew: Using a simple system to explore a complex question: The role of pattern formation and growth factor signaling in memory formation in Aplysia
- 10:10 10:30 Yadin Dudai: The first seconds of an item in human episodic memory
- 10:30 10:50 Lila Davachi: *Distributed learning, pattern separation and episodic memory*
- 10:50 11:05 Comments: Jonathan Winawer
- 11:10 11:40 Coffee Break

Session V: Chair and commentator, Roozbeh Kiani

- 11:40 12:00 Weiji Ma: Do item limits exist in visual working memory?
- 12:00 12:20 Clay Curtis Is the human PFC necessary for working memory?
- 12:20 12:40 Bijan Pesaran Sensory-motor mechanisms that maintain and manipulate verbal and spatial memories
- 12:40 12:55 Comments: Roozbeh Kiani

13:00 Adjourn