# **Program NEUROday 2023**

May 12th, UAntwerp Campus Drie Eiken

# **Poster presentations**

12:40 – 13:10: Poster walk 1 (odd numbers) 13:10 – 13:40: Poster walk 2 (even numbers)

#### **Fundamental Neuro-research**

- Jonas Govaerts Laboratory of Experimental Hematology, Neuroinflammation group
  Immune reactivity of mature hiPSC-derived neurospheroids to Varicella-Zoster Virus
- 2 Charissa Millevert Applied and Translational Neurogenomics group Longitudinal, in-vivo functional and molecular imaging to characterize neurodevelopment from infantile to adult age in wild-type mice
- 3 Hosna Ghaderi Ophtalmology Department
  The potential influence of the ligament of Wieger on the crystalline lens shape
- 4 Leonardo Ricciardi Bio-Imaging Lab Longitudinal evaluation of the therapeutic effect of APRIL in the Cuprizone mouse model of Multiple Sclerosis
- 5 Laura Morant Molecular Neurogenomics Group
  Uniform Drosophila models for four CMT-related aminoacyl-tRNA synthetases reveal common signs of toxicity
- 6 Camila Armirola Ricaurte Molecular Neurogenomics Group
  Homozygous NDUFS6 splice variant highlights the importance of peripheral neuropathy in the clinical spectrum of primary mitochondrial disorders
- 7 Steven Jillings Lab for Equilibrium Investigations and Aerospace (LEIA) Brain structural and functional changes after long-duration spaceflight
- 8 Arezoo Farzanfar Ophtalmology Department
  Estimating the biometric contributions to variations in refractive error by means of error propagation
- 9 Ana Richart Experimental Neurobiology Unit Probing the potential of the NMDA receptor allosteric modulator TCN 201 in controlling hippocampal seizures
- Johanna Van den Daele Laboratory of Cell Biology and Histology
  Towards integration of iPSC-derived microglia in cerebral organoids
- Nastasia Popowycz ASTARC, Lab of Humane Anatomy and Embryology
  The role of Ascl1a and Bmp2b in the development of the enteric nervous system in zebrafish (Danio rerio)
- 12 Harshil Vyas Neuroeconomics Social Decision-Making: How stereotypes and group membership interact to affect fairness, a fMRI study
- Jessica Rosenblum Centre of Medical Genetics
   A transcriptome-directed approach to brain malformations

## **Translational Neuro-research**

#### 14 Judith van Rooij – Bio-Imaging Lab

Short term effect of caloric restriction or resveratrol on functional connectivity in female TgF344-AD rats using rsfMRI

#### 15 Nina Dirckx – Applied & Translational Neurogenomics Group

Identification of KCNQ2 mutation specific electrophysiological fingerprints on a network level

#### 16 Sarah De Beuckeleer – Laboratory of Cell Biology and Histology

Unbiased cell profiling enables staging the maturity of human iPSC-derived neural cultures

#### 17 Tamara Vasilkovska – Bio-Imaging Lab

Resting-state quasi-periodic patterns reveal functional rescue in an mHtt lowering mouse model of Huntington's disease

#### 18 William Keustermans – Laboratory of Biophysics and BioMedical Physics

Towards efficient nose to brain drug delivery: A personalized approach

#### 19 Liene Thys – Centre of Medical Genetics, Pediatric Neurology

Autophagy dysregulation in cerebral palsy: a common mechanism?

#### 20 Claudia Schrauwen – Bio-Imaging Lab

Preclinical in vivo imaging of synaptic density and white matter integrity as non-invasive biomarkers for spinal cord injury

#### 21 Noortje Zonnekein – Applied & Translational Neurogenomics Group

Untangling the role and contribution of neurons and microglia to KCNQ3 Gain-of-Function Encephalopathy in immunocompetent forebrain organoids

#### 22 Laura Garcia Pupo – Proteinchemistry, Proteomics and Epigenetic Signalling

Amylovis-201, a novel and potent sigma-1 agonist with anti-amyloidogenic activity, is a potential compound for the treatment of Alzheimer's disease

#### 23 Joëlle van Rijswijk – Bio-Imaging Lab

Early mHtt lowering partially rescues structural brain alterations in the LacQ140 mouse model of HD

#### 24 Tim Van De Looverbosch – Laboratory of Cell Biology and Histology

Automatic localization of glioblastoma cell invasion in cerebral organoids

#### 25 Liesbeth Everix – Molecular Imaging Center Antwerp

Exploring mHTT aggregate and PDE10a fluctuations in relation to CAG expansion in the somatically unstable Q111 and zQ175DN mouse model of Huntington's disease

#### 26 Mohit Adhikari – Bio-Imaging Lab

Altered Directed Information Flow in the TgF344-AD rat model of Alzheimer's disease at Pre- and Early-plaque Stages.

### **Clinical Neuro-research**

#### 27 Lien Van Laer – MOVANT

Risk factors for developing chronic dizziness after an acute unilateral vestibulopathy

#### 28 Diana Giraldo – imec-Vision Lab

Comparison of diffusion kurtosis imaging and multi-tissue CSD for the investigation of group differences in Alzheimer's disease

#### 29 Céline Wessa & Jonas Janssens – CAPRI

Inflammation in depression, should we treat it?

#### 30 Elissa Embrechts – MOVANT

Does visuospatial neglect contribute to standing balance in the first 12 weeks post-stroke? A prospective longitudinal study

#### 31 Jens Renders – imec-Vision Lab

DELTA-MRI: Direct deformation Estimation from LongiTudinally Acquired k-space data

#### 32 Amber van Hinsberg – MOVANT

How is the integrity of the CST and non-CST tracts related to independent walking after stroke? A systematic review.

# 33 Tibo Schoofs, Anton Adams & Maarten De Beukelaer – Translational Neurosciences

Care management of multiple system atrophy

#### 34 Annelies Heylen – Experimental Neurobiology Unit, Neurochemistry & Behaviour

Discrimination between dementia with Lewy bodies and Alzheimer's disease based in biofluid monoamines, biomarker values and cognitive parameters

#### 35 Charlotte van der Waal – MOVANT

Clinical assessment of Subjective Visual and Haptic Vertical norms in healthy adults

#### 36 Catho Schoenmaekers – Lab for Equilibrium Investigations and Aerospace (LEIA)

Mal de débarquement syndrome, an unknown neurovestibular disorder

#### 37 Charlotte Johnson – MOVANT

Balance control in children with developmental coordination disorder

#### 38 Eugénie Lambrecht – MOVANT

Gait and postural balance analysis during head-motion perturbed standing and walking in (frail) older adults – a multisensory approach by use of mixed-reality