

Sunday, September 30th

- 3:00 pm Check-in
- 6:00 pm Reception (*Lobby*)
- 7:00 pm Dinner
- 8:00 pm Poster Introduction Blitz!**
- 9:30 pm Refreshments available at Bob's Pub

NOTE:
Meals are in the **Dining Room**
Talks are in the **Seminar Room**
Posters are in the **Lobby**

Monday, October 1st

- 7:30 am Breakfast (*service ends at 8:45am*)
- 9:00 am Molecular/development**
Chair: Marta Zlatic
- 9:00 am Opening remarks
- 9:05 am **Yuh-Nung Jan**, HHMI/University of California, San Francisco
*Molecular mechanisms underlying mechanosensation in *Drosophila* larvae*
- 9:30 am **Hongyan Wang**, Duke-NUS Graduate Medical School Singapore
*Control of asymmetric division and self-renewal of *Drosophila* neural stem cells*
- 9:55 am **Fengwei Yu**, Temasek Life Sciences Laboratory
*Sculpting the nervous system: Molecular mechanisms of neuronal pruning in *Drosophila**
- 10:20 am Break
- 10:50 am Molecular/development (continued)**
- 10:50 am **Matthias Landgraf**, Cambridge University
Ecdysone receptor regulation of motoneuron dendritic growth
- 11:15 am Circuits**
Chairs: Michael Pankratz and Dan Tracey
- 11:15 am **James W. Truman**, Janelia Farm Research Campus/HHMI
Towards a light-level atlas of the larval CNS
- 11:40 pm **Albert Cardona**, Janelia Farm Research Campus/HHMI
*The wiring diagram for somatosensation in *Drosophila* larva*
- 12:05 pm Lunch (*service ends at 1:00 pm*)
- 1:00 pm Tour (*optional - meet at reception*)

- 2:00 pm** **Circuits (continued)**
- 2:00 pm **Chris Q. Doe**, HHMI/University of Oregon
Investigating the larval motor circuit
- 2:25 pm **Akinao Nose**, University of Tokyo
*Optogenetic dissection of motor circuits that regulate larval peristalsis in *Drosophila**
- 2:50 pm **Stefan Pulver**, Janelia Farm Research Campus/HHMI
*The core of crawling: Analysis of central pattern generator output in the *Drosophila* larval ventral nerve cord*
- 3:05 pm **Steve Stowers**, Montana State University
*Sensory neural circuit mapping in larval *Drosophila**
- 3:20 pm Break
- 4:00 pm** **Circuits (continued)**
- 4:00 pm **Marta Zlatic**, Janelia Farm Research Campus/HHMI
*Identification of escape circuits in *Drosophila* larva using high-throughput behavioral screens*
- 4:25 pm General Discussion
- 5:00 pm Poster Reception
- 6:30 pm Dinner
- 7:30 pm** **Science Speed Dating! (Lobby)**
- 8:45 pm Refreshments available at Bob's Pub

Tuesday, October 2nd

- 7:30 am Breakfast (*service ends at 8:45am*)
- 9:00 am Decision making and learning in larvae**
Chairs: Marla Sokolowski and Simon Sprecher
- 9:00 am **Marc Gershow**, Harvard University
*Solving navigational circuits in the *Drosophila* larva*
- 9:25 am **Matthieu Louis**, Center for Genomic Regulation
*Casting light on the interplay between perception and decision making in *Drosophila* chemotaxis*
- 9:50 am **Jimena Berni**, University of Cambridge
*Autonomous circuitry for substrate exploration in freely moving *Drosophila* larvae*
- 10:15 am **Bertram Gerber**, Leibniz Institute of Neurobiology (LIN)
*'Decision making' in larval *Drosophila**
- 10:40 am Break
- 11:10 am Decision making and learning in larvae (continued)**
- 11:10 am **Andreas S. Thum**, University of Konstanz
*Learning and memory in *Drosophila* larvae*
- 11:35 am **Mani Ramaswami**, Trinity College Dublin
Habituation to attractive and repulsive odorants
- 12:00 pm **Liria M. Masuda-Nakagawa**, University of Cambridge
*Circuitry for olfactory representation in the mushroom body calyx of larval *Drosophila**
- 12:25 pm Lunch (*service ends at 1:00 pm*)
- 2:00 pm Physiology-linked behaviors**
Chair: James Truman
- 2:00 pm **Ping Shen**, University of Georgia
Role of the NPF System in Reward-driven Behavior
- 2:25 pm **Michael J. Pankratz**, University of Bonn
Modulation of central feeding motor circuits

Behavioral Neurogenetics of *Drosophila* Larva

- 2:50 pm **Feng Li**, Janelia Farm
Identifying neuronal circuitry underlying food ingestion of Drosophila larvae
- 3:05 pm **David B. Morton**, Oregon Health & Science University
Identification of genes that interact with the atypical soluble guanylyl cyclases mediating larval behavioral responses to hypoxia
- 3:30 pm Break
- 4:00 pm Physiology-linked behaviors (continued)**
- 4:00 pm **Wayne A. Johnson**, University of Iowa
Drosophila H₂O₂-activated sensory neurons coordinate larval developmental behavioral transitions with external changes in atmospheric oxygen levels
- 4:15 pm **Lynn M. Riddiford**, Janelia Farm Research Campus/HHMI
Hormonal control of wandering behavior in Drosophila larvae
- 4:30 pm **Naoki Yamanaka**, University of Minnesota
PTTH coordinates physiological and behavioral transitions during Drosophila development
- 4:45 pm General Discussion
- 5:30 pm Poster Reception
- 7:00 pm Dinner
- 8:00 pm Refreshments available at Bob's Pub

Wednesday, October 3rd

- 7:30 am Breakfast (*service ends at 8:45am*)
- 9:00 am Visual system and visual behavior**
Chair: Bertram Gerber
- 9:00 am **Barry Condron**, University of Virginia
*Complex visual processing in *Drosophila* larvae*
- 9:25 am **Simon G. Sprecher**, University of Fribourg
*Visual system of *Drosophila* larvae*
- 9:50 am **Dan Tracey**, Duke University
Visual system gating of larval nociception behavior
- 10:15 am Break
- 10:45 am Environmental interactions with behavior**
Chair: Barry Condron
- 10:45 am **Marla B. Sokolowski**, University of Toronto
Gene-environment interplay and the foraging gene
- 11:10 am **Raul Godoy-Herrera**, Universidad de Chile
**Drosophila* larval cues affect behaviors of larvae and females*
- 11:35 am Closing discussion
- 12:00 pm Lunch and departure (*To-go boxes available in servery for those on first shuttle*)
- 12:30 pm First shuttle to Dulles
1:30 pm Second shuttle to Dulles
2:30 pm Last shuttle to Dulles