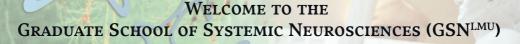
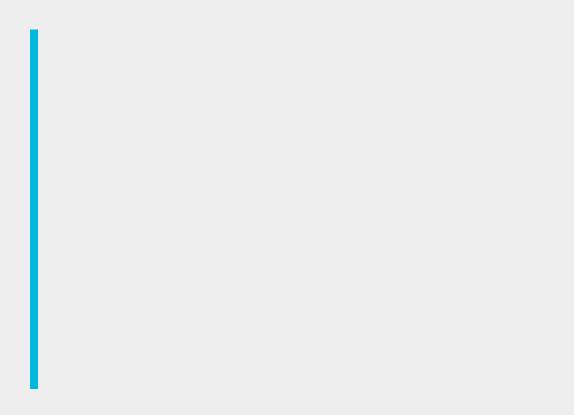


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GSN ORIENTATION WEEK OCTOBER 5TH - 11TH, 2015



Dear 2015 GSN and ENB Master of Neurosciences Students,

On behalf of the GSN team I wish you a warm welcome to Munich, the LMU and the GSN.

We are happy that you applied to our programs and we are confident that we have selected the best from approximately 750 applicants. With that in mind, we are convinced that you will succeed within the program and in this important phase of your professional development. It is our aim to prepare you for an optimal start in your career and we will do our best to make this possible.

But we also need your input and your constant feed-back to help us continue to build and maintain a high-quality framework and an enthusiastic environment. Such a framework not only involves courses, lab-work, etc., but also the social interactions that give you the feeling of being in the right place and at home. Never hesitate to contact us if you need help or advice.

In this sense I wish you a good start in the next stage of your life.

Yours, Benedikt Grothe





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Orientation Week Schedule

Monday, 05 Oct. 2015

Location: Room D00.003, Biocenter, Großhaderner Str. 2, 82152 Martinsried

15:00 - 15:30	Welcome from GSN Director Prof. Dr. Benedikt Grothe
15:30 - 15:45	Welcome by the GSN Student Representatives Ksenia Yashina and Pauline Popp
15:45 - 16:30	Coffee & Cake
16:30 - 17:30	Administrative & academic matters: Room D00.003 for Phd & Senior Fast-track students only, by Dr. Julia Brenndörfer Room D00.013 for Master & new Fast-track students only, by Dr. Alexander Kaiser
17:30 - 18:00	Time for questions and group pictures
18:00 - 19:00	Meeting for senior Master students with Dr. Alexander Kaiser
18:00 - 19:00	Lab Tour in small groups of labs Prof. Benedikt Grothe / Prof. Lutz Wiegrebe / Prof. Hans Straka / Prof. Conny Kopp-Scheinpflug / Prof. Christian Leibold, Prof. Andreas Herz / Prof. Anton Sirota
19:00 - 21:00	Get-together with current students (speed dating), followed by pizza soft drinks

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TUESDAY, 06 OCT. 2015

1	Meeting point: Sauerbruchstraße 10 (Subway U6, stop "Großhadern"), in front of the bookshop, at 09:30
10:00 - 11:00	Visit Klinikum Großhadern & Forschungshaus Meeting Prof. Marianne Dieterich / Dr. Thomas Eggert (Neurological Clinic)
11:00 - 12:00	Meeting Prof. Martin Dichgans (German Center for Vertigo and Balance Disorders & Institute for Stroke and Dementia Research, Klinikum Grosshadern, LMU Munich) / Prof. Paul Taylor / Dr. Paul MacNeilage, Dr. Virginia L. Flanagin / Dr. Thomas Stephan (Neurologisches Forschungshaus)
12:00 - 14:15	Lunch and trip to LMU main building
14:15 - 15:00	Tour of LMU main building, visiting the exhibition "Weiße Rose"
15:00 - 15:30	Meeting Prof. Heiner Deubel / Prof. Hermann Müller, Chair of General and Experimental Psychology, LMU Munich
15:45 - 16:15	Meeting Prof. Klaus Wunderlich, LMU Department of Psychology
16:30	Coffee & Cake at Wirtshaus zur Brez'n and meeting with NCP Students

Wednesday, 07 Oct. 2015 - GSN Fall Symposium 2015 (Part 1)

Location: Room D00.003, Biocenter, Großhaderner Str. 2, 82152 Martinsried

10:00 - 10:15	Welcome by Prof. Oliver Behrend
10:15 - 10:45	Teaching Section: Theoretical Neuroscience & Technical Applications. Talk by Prof. Andreas Herz: "Neural representations of physical space: the benefits of multi-scale codes and phase precession"
10:45 - 11:00	Short coffee break
11:00 - 11:30	Teaching Section: Behavioral & Cognitive Neuroscience. Talk by Prof. Hermann Müller: "What experimental psychology can reveal about (the neural substrates of) cognition"
11:30 - 12:00	Teaching Section: Neurophilosophy. Talk by Prof. Stephan Sellmaier: "Understanding human acting"
12:00 - 13:00	Lunch
13:00 - 14:30	Coffee and Poster Session I

Wednesday, 07 Oct. 2015 - GSN Fall Symposium 2015 (Part 2)

Location: Room D00.003, Biocenter, Großhaderner Str. 2, 82152 Martinsried

- 14:30 15:00
 Teaching Section: Cellular & Systems Neuroscience. Talk by Dr. Conny Kopp-Scheinpflug: "The sound of silence: Ionic mechanisms encoding sound termination"
- 15:00 15:30 Teaching Section: Biomedical Neuroscience. Talk by Prof. Stefan Glasauer: "From clinical research to health care"
- 15:30 17:00 Coffee and Poster Session II
- 17:00 17:30 Teaching Section: Molecular & Developmental Neuroscience. Talk by Dr. Mario Wullimann: "Zebrafish Brain Development: Neurogenetic networks and transmitter phenotypes"
- 17:30 18:00 Poster Award and Aperitif
- 18:00 18:30 Time for discussions
- 18:30 Joint dinner

Thursday, 08 Oct. 2015

Meeting point: Fishfountain on Marienplatz, at 15:45

16:00 -18:00 Town quiz rally meeting

Friday, 09 Oct. 2015

Free time for personal and administrative matters

Saturday to Sunday, 10-11 Oct. 2015

Meeting point: Saturday at 08:45 - Munich Main Train Station, Platform 30

Saturday

8:45	Meet with current students - Munich Main Train Station, Platform 30
10:42	Arrival in Bayrischzell
All day	Tour & bridge building seminar
Evening	Barbecue & time for social activities

Sunday

9:00 - 10:30	Breakfast
From 11:00 onwards	Guided hiking tour
18:00	Estimated arrival in Munich

If you would like to join, please make sure that you can bring the following: Good hiking shoes Rainwear and, if possible, a sleeping bag.

Please make sure you have registered for this event with Maj-Catherine by Monday, 5 Oct. at botheroyd@bio.lmu.de

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