# BLACK SEA NEUROGENESIS 2022



**PROGRAMME** 

### **MAY 26-28 BLACK SEA NEUROGENESIS**

THURSDAY	MAY 26 – GRAND HALL, FLAMINGO GRAND HOTEL (2ND FLOOR)
15:00	Registration, poster placement
18:00	Welcome address and opening -Organizers -Officials from MU-Varna
18:30	Keynote lecture: Wieland B. Huttner – Neural stem cells, human-specific genes, and neocortex expansion in development and human evolution
19:30	Bulgarian folk dance
19:45	Art Exhibition "Memory and the Black Sea" by Demetrius
20:15	Conference photograph
20:30	Evening reception: drinks and hors d'oeuvres (Flamingo Grand Hotel, Piano Bar Bailando)

### FRIDAY MAY 27 – GRAND HALL, FLAMINGO GRAND HOTEL

Session "Neocortical neurogenesis in development and evolution" (9:00-11:00)

<b>Chair: Anton B</b>	. Tonchev
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9:00- 9:30	Victor Borrell Evolution of cortical progenitor cells: much to gain, much to lose
9:30- 10:00	<b>Boyan Bonev</b> 3D epigenome evolution and the expansion of the neocortex in primates
10:00- 10:30	<b>Tran Tuoc</b> Epigenome regulation in neocortex expansion and generation of neuronal subtypes
10:30- 11:30	Coffee break and posters

**Session** "Mechanisms of lineage development in developing cortex" (11:30-13:30)

Chair: Victor Borrell

11:30-	Simon Hippenmeyer
12:00	Mechanisms of neural stem cell lineage progression
	in developing cerebral cortex

12:00- 12:30	Olivier Raineteau  Transcriptional programs controlling closure of pallial germinal activity
12:30- 13:00	Stavros Taraviras  Determining the ependymal lineage
13:00- 13:30	Irina Stoyanova  Does ghrelin stimulate neurogenesis in the cerebral cortex?
13:30- 14:30	Lunch

# Session "Adult hippocampal neurogenesis" (15:00 – 16:30) Chair: Hagen B. Huttner

14:30- 15:00	Federico Calegari  Making brains with more neurons, from the womb to the grave
15:00- 15:30	<b>Ionut Dumitru</b> Neurogenesis in the human hippocampus

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17:30-

18:00

16:00	Neuronal Hyperexcitation Unveils the Proinflamatory Action of Hippocampal Neural Stem Cells
16:00- 16:30	<b>Manlio Vinciguerra</b> Histone variants, hippocampal plasticity and social behavior
16:30- 17:00	Coffee break and posters
<b>Session</b> "Brain	plasticity and neurogenesis in a clinical context" (17:00 – 19:30)  Chair: Federico Calegari
17:00- 17:30	Hannelore Ehrenreich Introducing the brain erythropoietin circle to explain adaptive brain hardware upgrade and improved performance

18:00-	Pavle Andjus
18.30	Studies on neurogenesis in rodent models of pathophysiology

Therapeutic implications of extracellular vesicles in preclinical

and plasticity of the CNS

**Thorsten Döppner** 

stroke models

20:30

18:30- 19:00	<b>David Lutz</b> Ghrelin-mediated neuroplasticity and neurogenesis
19:00- 19:30	Janine Gronewold Imaging markers for neuroplasticity in clinical stroke studies

Dinner (Maritim Paradise Blue Hotel, Sea Hall)



### SATURDAY MAY 28 – GRAND HALL, FLAMINGO GRAND HOTEL

# **Session** "Progenitors and neurogenesis in adult primates" (9:00 – 11:30)

## **Chair: Hannelore Ehrenreich**

00- 30	<b>Elly M. Hol</b> Single-cell analysis of progenitors in the human subventricular zone
30- ):00	Hagen B. Huttner Studying adult neurogenesis in humans: insights from C14-birthdating and 15N-thymidine methodology
):00- ):30	Anton B. Tonchev  Transcriptional landscape of postischemic primate subventricular zone
):30- I:00	<b>Loïc Chareyron</b> Life and death of immature neurons in the primate amygdala
1:00- 1:30	Coffee break and posters

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## **Session** "Neurogenesis – further aspects" (11:30 – 13:00)

### **Chair: Thorsten Döppner**

11:30- 12:00	Fadel Tissir  The delicate balance between proliferation of neural stem cells and neoplasia:  Implication of DIAPH3 in neurogenesis and glioblastoma
12:00- 12:30	<b>Bogdan Draganski</b> Adult hippocampal neurogenesis - how close are we to find in vivo correlates in humans?
12:30- 13:00	<b>Dimitre Staykov</b> Neurological consequences of COVID-19

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