Mechanisms and Disturbances in Memory Consolidation: From Synapses to Systems

Project Scope and Aim

The CRC1315 is based at the Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin and encompasses fifteen projects led by researchers affiliated with the Charité, FU Berlin, Goethe Universität Frankfurt am Main, Max Planck Institute for Ornithology Seewiesen, Max Delbrück Center for Molecular Medicine, TU Berlin,Universitätsmedizin Greifswald and Otto-von-Guericke-Universität Magdeburg. The CRC aims to bring together disparate research on memory consolidation, applying theoretical and experimental research methods at multiple levels: from synaptic events to changes at the systems level, across species from flies to birds, rodents, and humans.

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In line with aims of the CRC’s funding agency, the German Research Foundation (DFG), the CRC strives to identify and implement measures that foster family-friendly work environments and promote gender equality. Thus, the CRC aims to increase the participation of women in science not only by promoting strategies in place among its affiliated institutions but also by successfully implementing novel CRC-specific measures. This is the first in a series of posters, that documents our ongoing efforts.

Please visit our CRC website to explore the many resources offered by our member institutions.

Gender Equality and Equal Opportunity in Collaborative Research Centre 1315

Brenda Milner Award

Named after the British-Canadian neuropsychologist Brenda Milner (15 July 1918–), the CRC will award to an outstanding female scientist in the CRC with up to 15000 Euros toward project consumables and travel for the recipient’s project collaboration(s). A call for nominations will be made mid-2020 for award in 2021.

Invited Lectures

The new CRC colloquium features invited guests who will give a science-, gender-, and career-related talks at our annual retreat or within our dedicated lecture series. To find out more about upcoming talks, please check out our website, or contact the CRC Office.

Harmonizing Work and Family

In close cooperation with KidsMobil, the CRC supports its parent members with flexible childcare through KidsMobil for children aged from 4 months to 14 years. Contact the CRC Office for further information.

Networking with the Alliances

In an alliance with HU DFG projects, the CRC joined METIS to benefit from a wide variety of equal opportunity measures, and to support the coordination of ongoing offers. Services for CRC members include promotion of best practices and access to numerous offers across disciplines.

Mentoring

In cooperation with the HU’s Club Lise, all CRC members are encouraged to mentor young female high school students. To become a Club Lise mentor, please contact CRC1315 Team Assistant Serenella Brinati.