## **2011-2012 Seminars**

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Date	Speaker	Institution	Host	Title
9/29/2011	Matthew Rasband, PH.D. Assiocate Professor  NBL 703 Credit	Baylor College of Medicine Department of Neuroscience	Harald Sontheimer, Ph.D.  Co-sponsored with the Center for Glial Biology in Medicine	"The Functional Organization of Axons in Health and Disease"
10/13/2011	Henrique von Gersdorff, Ph.D. Senior Scientist NBL 703 Credit	Oregon Health & Science University Ph.D. in Physics Ph.D. in Neurobiology	Jacques Wadiche, Ph.D.	"Multivesicular release at sensory synapses of the eye and ear"

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10/20/2011	Paul E. M. Phillips, Ph.D. Associate Professor NBL 703 Credit	University of Washington	Jeremy Day, Ph.D. Postdoctoral Fellow	"Coupling value to actions: Dopamine and decision making"
10/27/2011	Andre H. Lagrange, M.D., Ph.D. Assistant Professor  NBL 703 Credit	Vanderbilt University	John Hablitz, Ph.D.  David Standaert, M.D., Ph.D.  Co-sponsored by the Department of Neurology	"GABA: the brain's swiss-army knife"
11/10/2011	Mini Symposium Frank Kirchhoff, Ph.D. Saarland University,	Thomas van Groen, Ph.D. UAB	Vlad Parpura, MD, PhD co sponsored by: Comprehensive Neuroscience Center and with the Center for Glial Biology in Medicine NBL 703 Credit  CLICK HERE to download the flyer	"Physiology & pathophysiology of Astroglia"

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	Germany	Catherine	Talks:	
	Caus	Fuller, Ph.D.	Thomas Van	
	(Tel	UAB	Groen "The role of	
			astrocytes in Alzhemier's	
			disease"	
	Swen		Cathy	
	Hülsmann,		Fuller "Deg/ENaC	
	Ph.D.		cation channels in	
	University of		glioblastoma"	
	Göttingen,	Sergey	Frank	
	Germany	Kasparov, M.D.,	Kirchhoff "Genetic	
	1	Ph.D.	manipulations in studying	
		University of	of astrocyte-neuron	
		Bristol, UK	signaling"	
		1	Swen Hülsmann	
		<b>436</b>	"Determinants of	
			functional coupling	
			between astrocytes and	
			respiratory neurons in the	
			pre-Botzinger complex"	
			Sergey Kasparov	
			"Optogenetic analysis of	
			astrocyte-to neurone	
			communication in the	
			brainstem?"	
12/1/2011	Andrew West,		Vlad Parpura, M.D., Ph.D.	"Pieces of the
	Ph.D.	<b>UÆ</b>		Parkinson's Disease
	Assistant			Puzzle"
		Department of		
		Neurology		
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	Professor  NBL 703 Credit			
1/19/2012	Candace Floyd, Ph.D. Assistant Professor  NBL 703 Credit	Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation	Vlad Parpura, M.D., Ph.D.	"Spinal cord injury and NF-kB: Of pains and gains"
1/23/2012	Jeffrey L. Neul, M.D., Ph.D. Asspcoate Professor Faculty Applicate	Baylor College of Medicine  Department of Molecular & Human Genetics  DIFFERENT DAY & TIME 1:00	Leon Dure, M.D. Lucas Pozzo-Miller, Ph.D. Jointly sonsored with the Department of Pediatrics, Civitan, and Neurobiology	"Pathophysiology of cardiac arrhythmias in Rett syndrome"
1/26/2012	Andrew Pieper, M.D., Ph.D. Assistant Professor	UT Southwestern Medical Center	Vlad Parpura, M.D., Ph.D.	"'Discovery of a Neuroprotective Chemical"

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2/2/2012	Rajesh Kana, Ph.D. Assistant Professor  NBL 703 Credit	Social and Behavioral Science	John Hablitz, Ph.D. Vlad Parpura, M.D., Ph.D.	"Neural Signatures of Autism"
2/9/2012	David Knight, Ph.D. Assistant Professor  NBL 703 Credit	Psychology	Vlad Parpura, M.D., Ph.D.	"Neural Mechanisms of the Threat-related Emotional Response"
2/16/2012	Mel Feany, M.D., Ph.D. Associate Professor	Harvard Medical School, Brigham and Women's Hospital Department of Pathology	Michael Brenner, Ph.D.	"Genetic analysis of neurodegeneration"

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3/1/2012	Lawrence Sincich, Ph.D. Assistant Professor  NLB 703 Credit	Vision Sciences	Kristina Visscher, Ph.D.	"Orientation Selectivity and Cytochrome Oxidase Architecture in Macaque V1"
3/8/2012	Peter W. Kalivas, Ph.D. Porfessor / Co- Chair  NBL 703 Credit	Medical University of South Carolina	Robin Lester, Ph.D.	"Using neuroplasticity to cure addiction"
3/15/2012	Marcelo A. Wood, Ph.D. Associate Professor	University of California, Irvine	David Sweatt, Ph.D.	"The role of chromatin modifying enzymes in long-term memory processes."

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3/22/2012	David Katz, Ph.D. Professor  NBL 703 Credit	Case Western Reserve University	Lucas Pozzo-Miller, Ph.D. co-sponsored with IDDRC	"Circuit dysfunction and repair in Rett syndrome: What mice are teaching us about the reversibility of autism spectrum disorders"
3/29/2012	Maria Castro, Ph.D. Professor  NBL 703 Credit	University of Michigan	Gwen King, Ph.D.	"Immune-Mediated Therapeutic Strategies for Brain Cancer: Signaling via Toll Receptors on Tumor Infiltrating Dendritic Cells"
4/6/2012	Luis Puelles, M.D., Ph.D. Professor NBL 703 Credit	University of Murcia in Spain  DIFFERENT DAY	Vlad Parpura, M.D., Ph.D. Co-host: Emma Perez-Costas, Ph.D.	"New concepts on the morphological organization of the forebrain and midbrain"

4/19/2012	Talene		Vlad Parpura, M.D., Ph.D.	"Role of 14-3-3s in
	Yacoubian,	LKB		Parkinson's Disease"
	M.D., Ph.D.			
	Assistant			
	Professor	Department of		
	Transfer and	Neurology		
	NBL 703 Credit			