





Neural stem cells in brain development and disease

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A one-day workshop to promote the international cooperation between Sapienza University of Rome and Kumamoto/Kyushu Universities (Japan), supported by MAECI and sponsored by the Japanese Embassy in Italy





13.45

Prof. Marco Oliverio, Head of Department

Department of Biology and Biotechnologies Charles Darwin, Sapienza University of Rome Opening address

14.00

Contribution by MAECI, Ufficio IX – Cooperazione scientifica bilaterale (to be confirmed)

14.15

Contribution by the Japanese Embassy in Rome (to be confirmed)

14.30

Prof. Kunimasa Ohta

Department of Stem Cell Biology, Kyushu University, Fukuoka, Japan *Role of the secreted proteoglycan Tsukushi in brain development* 15.00

Prof. Kinichi Nakashima

Department of Stem Cell Biology and Medicine, Kyushu University, Fukuoka, Japan

Artificial induction of neurogenesis through the regulation of epigenetics, stem cells, and cell fate reprogramming to restore the function of the central nervous system

Prof. Hirofumi Jono

Department of Clinical Pharmaceutical Sciences, Kumamoto University, Kumamoto, Japan Novel insights into the development of glioma stem cells in glioblastoma: induction of stem-like properties in glioma cells by ribosomal proteins

16.00

Coffee break

16.30

Prof. Giuseppe Lupo

Department of Biology and Biotechnologies Charles Darwin, Sapienza University of Rome *The proteoglycan Tsukushi in neural stem cells and their progeny: an in vitro perspective* 17.00

Prof. Emanuele Cacci

Department of Biology and Biotechnologies Charles Darwin, Sapienza University of Rome Regulation of adult neurogenesis in a mouse model of autism 17.30

Prof. Maria Elena Miranda Banos

Department of Biology and Biotechnologies Charles Darwin, Sapienza University of Rome A neural stem cell model to study mutant protein toxicity in neurological disease 18.00

Prof. Giuseppe Lupo and Prof. Kunimasa Ohta *Closing remarks*

