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SCHMITT PROGRAM ON INTEGRATIVE BRAIN RESEARCH SYMPOSIUM

Cellular Approaches to the Understanding of CNS Development, Damage and Repair

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Major advances in the understanding of the cellular mechanisms underlying CNS development, damage and repair are dramatically altering our ability to understand a multitude of fundamental problems in neurobiology. This Symposium will provide a focused presentation on a spectrum of advances that are receiving considerable attention at the national and international level.

OCTOBER 18, 2002

7:30 Continental Breakfast (Flaum Atrium)
8:30 Welcome (G. Paige and M. Noble-Class of ’62 Auditorium)
8:40 Michael Beattie: Spinal Cord Injury
9:30 Break
9:50 Derek Van der Kooy: Pluripotent Stem Cells
10:40 Margot Mayer-Proeschel: Glial Precursor Cells
11:30 Discussion
12:00 Lunch (Flaum Atrium)
1:20 Robert Miller: Oligodendrocytes in Development and Injury
2:10 Mark Noble: Redox Modulation of Cellular Function
3:00 Break
3:20 Howard Federoff: Genetic Approaches to Study CNS Function and Repair
4:10 Jeffrey Macklis: Reconstruction of Neuronal Pathways
5:00 Discussion
5:20 Closing Remarks (M. Noble)
6:00 Reception at The Meliora (Faculty Club)
7:00 Dinner Banquet at The Meliora (Faculty Club)

Registration Required: Contact The Department of Neurobiology & Anatomy at (585) 275-2591
Deadline: October 11, 2002