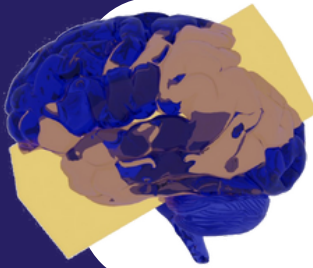


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main topic this week...

Sign up for Work-In-Progress/Journal Clubs &
Welcome First Years!

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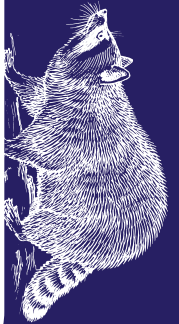
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next event

Fall Retreat

Sept 15-16



save the dates!

Sept 15-16: FALL RETREAT, Artesian Lakes, 1 PM

Sept 19: Pet Therapy Session, Large Classroom, BSRB 1-3 PM

Sept 25: Faculty Speaker Series: Dr. Anajali Chauhan, MSB B645, 11 AM

Oct 2: Faculty Speaker Series: Dr. Tatiana Barichello, MSB B645, 11 AM

Oct 4: GSBS Games Gathering, BSRB Commons, 5-8 PM

work-in-progress/journal club

If you are interested in giving a Work-In-Progress
(WIP) or a Journal Club talk on a Monday at 11 am,

sign up here! (second tab - "WIP")

social hour



We loved getting to see everyone at Valhalla! Stay tuned for some October events, including a social with the BCB and MID programs (if you like sand volleyball, this is *definitely* the social for you!)



snaps 🙌

Did someone go above and beyond? Did you get an award? Fill out this form, and we will highlight your snaps, big or small! Snaps to...

- 🙌 **Jing Cai, PhD** (Advisor: Qingchun Tong, PhD) for successfully defending her thesis! Congratulations, Dr. Cai!
- 🙌 **Mitchell Slapik** (Advisor: Valentin Dragoi, PhD) for winning an NIH F30 award! Let's go Mitchell!
- 🙌 **Jing Cai, PhD**, for publishing a first author paper in Cell Reports! Incredible work, Jing!
- 🙌 **First Years** - Welcome to GSBS! We're so excited to have you. Best of luck on your first semester! :)

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Dear all,

What an amazing month it has been!!



A new batch of students interested in neuroscience have arrived, and the Fall semester is in full swing! The program organized an orientation for the incoming students that was very well-attended and generated tremendous interest. I have met with many new students who have impressed upon me their commitment to neuroscience. I am excited to report that many of them should be starting their first rotations in program labs soon!

The next big event on the horizon is our annual retreat, which will be held next week. I am excited to report that we have a large number of current and incoming students signed up to attend. It should be a banger! I look forward to seeing all of you at the retreat!

And as always, a massive SHOUTOUT to all the members of the student council for working so hard to plan and schedule the packed agenda, and to Amanda for keeping us out of trouble. We couldn't do it without them!

A stylized, handwritten signature in black ink, consisting of several loops and a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

-Kartik Venkatachalam, PhD