Cognitive Neuroscience Treatment Research to Improve Cognition in Schizophrenia:  
Selecting Promising Animal Paradigms

Executive Conference and Training Center – Synergy 1 & 2

Tuesday, April 26th

Introduction and Overview

8.30 am: Introduction & CNTRICS Overview: Cameron Carter & Deanna Barch

8:45 am: Goals for the Meeting: Holly Moore and Mark Geyer

Construct and Framing Presentations

9:00 am Executive Control

9:25 am Attention

9:50 am Spatial and Object Memory

10:15 Coffee Break

10:30 am Perception

10:55 am Cognitive Assessment in Mouse Models of Disease

11:20 am Construct Validity: Challenges in the Context of Treatment Development

12:00 pm Lunch: ETCT Dining Room

Breakout Sessions

1:00 pm First Breakout Session: Executive Control and Perception
Executive Control Group Leaders: Trevor Robbins/Gary Gilmour/Alexander Arguello
Room Location: Synergy 3, ECTC

Perception Group Leaders: Charles Schroeder/John Talpos
Room Location: Washington Monument Room, Hampton Inn

2:45 pm Coffee Break

3:00 pm Second Breakout Session: Attention and Memory
Attention Group Leaders: Steve Siegel/Rouba Kozak
Room Location: Synergy 3, ECTC

Memory Group Leaders: Paul Dudchenko/Betsy Murray/John Evenden
Room Location: Washington Monument Room, Hampton Inn

4:45 pm Coffee Break

5:00 pm Report to Group From First and Second Breakout Sessions

7:00 pm Working Dinner – Washington Monument Room, Hampton Inn and Suites

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Wednesday April 27th

Construct and Framing Presentations

8:30 am Social Processes  
8:55 am Motivation  
9:20 am Coffee Break  
9:30 am Third Breakout Session: Social Processes and Motivation  
Social Processes Group Leaders: Karen Bales/C. Sue Carter/Tanya Wallace  
Room Location: Synergy 3, ECTC  
Motivation Group Leaders: Athina Markou/Anton Bespalov  
Room Location: Washington Monument, Hampton Inn

11:15 am Report to Group From Third Breakout Session

11:30 am Panel Discussion I: Increasing construct and predictive validity of preclinical research on cognitive enhancement in schizophrenia  
Panel participants: Thomas Steckler, Dani Brunner, Patricio O'Donnell, Verity Brown, Tim Bussey, David Jentsch, Mark Geyer

12:30 pm Lunch: ETCT Dining Room

1:30 pm Panel Discussion II: Partnering among Academia, Industry and Government to develop treatments for cognitive deficits in schizophrenia  
Panel participants: Sarah Morris, Mi Hillefors, Doug Meinecke, John Salamone, Anthony Grace, David Lowe, Robert Levin, Betsy Murray, Sophie Dix, Margaret Levin, Trevor Robbins

3:00 pm Adjourn