

Special Issue

Challenges in Understanding Human Learning Physiology

Message from the Guest Editor

Learning is the fundament of human life in the most profound sense. In modern times, there is a huge gap between knowledge of cellular mechanisms and the “emergent properties” of the brain. Thus, learning is a topic addressed by lot of disciplines with different approaches and different points of view, like cellular biology, neurobiology, brain physiology, computational sciences, cognitive psychology and behavioral psychology. There is a huge amount of different information and a synthesis is still lacking. Different disciplines use different language and skill can be found in different contexts with different meanings. There are also different models, theories, conclusions, and recommendations. Nevertheless, all disciplines offer a contribution in trying to optimize teaching and learning methods, and a route toward a possible synthesis is highly advisable. If such a route is possible, the starting point should be a summary of the state of the art. This Special Issue is a challenge in collecting a summary of information, models, and theories from all those different disciplines addressing human learning.

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