

Special Issue

Changes in Cellular Function and Synaptic Transmission in Learning and Memory

Message from the Guest Editor

The ability to learn, form lasting memories, and use this stored information to guide future behaviour are important adaptive and highly conserved neurobiological processes. Neurons communicate with each other through synapses, and the strength of these connections can be altered to direct the flow of information within the central nervous system. Activity-dependent changes in synaptic connections and alterations in the intrinsic excitability of neurons are cellular key features that support learning and memory. This Special Issue will present and discuss the neural processes that enable memory formation, storage and recall under normal and pathophysiological conditions.

Guest Editor

Prof. Dr. Sven Kroener

School of Behavioral and Brain Sciences, The University of Texas at Dallas, TX 75080, USA

Deadline for manuscript submissions

closed (31 December 2018)



Brain Sciences

an Open Access Journal
by MDPI

Impact Factor 2.8
CiteScore 5.6
Indexed in PubMed



mdpi.com/si/11264

Brain Sciences
Editorial Office
MDPI, Grosspeteranlage 5
4052 Basel, Switzerland
Tel: +41 61 683 77 34
brainsci@mdpi.com

[mdpi.com/journal/
brainsci](https://mdpi.com/journal/brainsci)





Brain Sciences

an Open Access Journal
by MDPI

Impact Factor 2.8
CiteScore 5.6
Indexed in PubMed



[mdpi.com/journal/
brainsci](https://mdpi.com/journal/brainsci)



About the Journal

Message from the Editor-in-Chief

You are invited to contribute a research article or a comprehensive review for consideration and publication in *Brain Sciences* (ISSN 2076-3425). *Brain Sciences* is an open access, peer-reviewed scientific journal that publishes original articles, critical reviews, research notes, and short communications on neuroscience. The scientific community and the general public can access the content free of charge as soon as it is published.

Editor-in-Chief

Prof. Dr. Stephen D. Meriney

Department of Neuroscience, University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA
15260, USA

Author Benefits

High Visibility:

indexed within Scopus, SCIE (Web of Science), PubMed, PMC, Embase, PSYINDEX, PsycInfo, CAPlus / SciFinder, and other databases.

Rapid Publication:

manuscripts are peer-reviewed and a first decision is provided to authors approximately 16.2 days after submission; acceptance to publication is undertaken in 1.9 days (median values for papers published in this journal in the first half of 2025).

Recognition of Reviewers:

reviewers who provide timely, thorough peer-review reports receive vouchers entitling them to a discount on the APC of their next publication in any MDPI journal, in appreciation of the work done.