Special Issue

Cerebellar Development in Health and Disease

Message from the Guest Editors

The role of the cerebellum in motor coordination and cognition has become clearer over the past few years. In adulthood, the circuitry of the cerebellum shows topographical specializations that support cerebellar function. Additionally, the connections of the cerebellum to and from spinal and cerebral structures adhere to general topographical organization. The design of these brain-wide networks allows for the parallel processing of vast quantities of information from various motor and non-motor domains. However, how these functions, circuit specializations, and connections develop remains largely unknown. Impaired development of the cerebellum or its connected structures results in specific molecular and cellular compositions, which have been studied with increasing detail. Recent insights into the causes of various neurological disorders, have highlighted role of the cerebellum. This Special Issue provides a platform for original research manuscripts and prospective reviews on anatomical, electrophysiological and functional data from the developing cerebellum and its impact on afferent and efferent connections.

Guest Editors

Prof. Dr. Freek E. Hoebeek

Department for Developmental Origins of Disease, Wilhelmina Children's Hospital, University Medical Center Utrecht, Utrecht, The Netherlands

Dr. Laurens Witter

Department for Developmental Origins of Disease, Wilhelmina Children's Hospital, Brain Center, University Medical Center Utrecht, 3584 EA Utrecht, The Netherlands

Deadline for manuscript submissions

closed (30 November 2022)



Cells

an Open Access Journal by MDPI

Impact Factor 5.2 CiteScore 10.5 Indexed in PubMed



mdpi.com/si/110357

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

mdpi.com/journal/ cells





Cells

an Open Access Journal by MDPI

Impact Factor 5.2 CiteScore 10.5 Indexed in PubMed



About the Journal

Message from the Editorial Board

Cells has become a solid international scientific journal that is now indexed on SCIE and in other databases. We have successfully introduced a special issues format so that these issues serve as mini-forums in specific areas of cell science. Cells encourages researchers to suggest new special issues, serve as special issues editors, and volunteer to be reviewers. Our main focus will remain on cell anatomy and physiology, the structure and function of organelles, cell adhesion and motility, and the regulation of intracellular signaling, growth, differentiation, and aging. We are open to both original research papers and reviews.

Editors-in-Chief

Dr. Alexander E. Kalyuzhny

Dental Basic Sciences, University of Minnesota, 308 Harvard St. SE, Minneapolis, MN 55455, USA

Prof. Dr. Cord Brakebusch

Biotech Research & Innovation Centre, The University of Copenhagen, Copenhagen, Denmark

Author Benefits

High Visibility:

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

Journal Rank:

JCR - Q2 (Cell Biology) / CiteScore - Q1 (General Biochemistry, Genetics and Molecular Biology)

Rapid Publication:

manuscripts are peer-reviewed and a first decision is provided to authors approximately 16 days after submission; acceptance to publication is undertaken in 2.7 days (median values for papers published in this journal in the first half of 2025).

