



Autumn Symposium

# Stem Cells of and Stem Cells for the Brain

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Organized in collaboration with  
Swammerdam Institute for Life Sciences  
(SILS/UvA)

Netherlands Institute for Brain Research (NIBR)  
Dutch-Belgian Society of Experimental and  
Clinical Neurosciences (EKN)



## Venue

Netherlands Institute for Brain Research  
Meibergdreef 33, 1105 AZ Amsterdam ZO  
Opening 10.15 h, Closure 17.00 h

## Information

All information about the meeting can be found on the website [www.neurofederatie.nl/stemcells](http://www.neurofederatie.nl/stemcells). Members of the Neurofederation and the EKN as well as scientists of SILS/UvA and NIBR are exempted from paying the registration fee of EUR 15, but are obliged to register.

## Registration

Registration can only be done via the website.

## Organizers

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## Program

**Christine Mummery** (Hubrecht Laboratory, Utrecht)

Multipotent embryonic stem cells: hype and hope in tissue repair!

**Clive Svendsen** (Bristol, UK / Madison, WI, USA)

Producing dopamine neurons from fetal neural stem cells for Parkinson's disease, where are we?

**Paul Lucassen** (SILS, Amsterdam)

Hippocampal neurogenesis in the adult brain: a function in learning processes?

**Jeffrey Macklis** (Boston, MA, USA)

Endogeneous mobilization of neural stem cells in the brain for replacement of lost neurons

**Jia-Yi Li** (Lund, Sweden)

Somatic non-neural stem cells: can they contribute to brain repair?

**Jeffery Kocsis** (New Haven, CT, USA)

Stem cells for the treatment of multiple sclerosis

**Gerard J. Boer** (NIH, Amsterdam)

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