2019 UVA BRAIN SYMPOSIUM
Wednesday May 29 – Friday May 31, 2019
University of Virginia, Claude Moore Medical Education Building

FEATURING KEYNOTE SPEAKERS:
Walter J. Koroshetz, MD, Director of the National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke (NINDS)
Ed Boyden, PhD, Eva Tan Professor of Neurotechnology at Massachusetts Institute of Technology

NEURODEGENERATION
George Bloom, PhD
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Professor of Molecular Genetics & Microbiology, University of Florida

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NEURAL DEVELOPMENT
Tobias Grossmann, PhD
Associate Professor of Psychology, University of Virginia

Takao Hensch, PhD
Professor of Molecular and Cellular Biology and Neurology, Harvard University

Yishi Jin, PhD
Professor and Chair of Neurobiology, University of California San Diego

Sarah Kucenas, PhD
Associate Professor of Biology, University of Virginia

ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSION
Innovation in Neuroscience with Industry/Investor Perspectives

NEUROIMMUNOLOGY
Li Gan, PhD
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Jony Kipnis, PhD
Harrison Distinguished Teaching Professor and Chair of Neuroscience, University of Virginia

John Lukens, PhD
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Li-Huei Tsai, PhD
Picower Professor of Neuroscience, Massachusetts Institute of Technology

HUMAN CLINICAL TRANSLATIONAL
W. Jeffrey Elias, MD
Professor of Neurological Surgery, University of Virginia

Eric Minikel, PhD and Sonia Vallabh, PhD
Biological and Biomedical Sciences, Harvard Medical School

William A. Petri, MD, PhD
Wade Hampton Frost Professor of Medicine, University of Virginia

AUTISM
Gerald D. Fischbach, MD
Distinguished Scientist and Fellow, Simons Foundation

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Associate Professor of Education, University of Virginia

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