Latest News

12/21/17 - Inflammation Drives Progression of Alzheimer's
Researchers of the DZNE and the University of Bonn report in "Nature" on the role of inflammatory mechanisms in Alzheimer's disease.

12/20/17 - Prof. Pierluigi Nicotera receives Ottorino Rossi Award
Prof. Pierluigi Nicotera received the Ottorino Rossi Award by the IRCCS C. Mondino Istituto Neurologico Nazionale a Carattere Scientifico in Pavia, Italy.

12/19/17 - Drug Interferes with Different Mechanisms Associated to Alzheimer's
An international collaboration including DZNE researchers reports in "EMBO Molecular Medicine" on studies with the chemical compound "anle138b".

12/14/17 - University of Bonn / DZNE Immunologist gets Leibniz Prize
Prof. Eicke Latz, director of the Institute of Innate Immunity at the University of Bonn and senior scientist at the DZNE will be awarded the "Gottfried Wilhelm Leibniz Prize", which is the most important research award for excellent independent researchers in Germany.

12/05/17 - Bonn: Researchers Meet on Adult and Childhood Dementias
On December 11th and 12th, about 40 scientists will be meeting in Bonn to learn about common underlying mechanisms between childhood and adult dementias. The conference is organized by the NCL Foundation and the DZNE.

10/27/2017 - A novel laboratory model to study pediatric brain tumors
DZNE scientists present in “Cancer Cell” an experimental model that replicates key hallmarks of the disease. Results might pave the way for a better understanding of processes, relevant for both cancer and neurodegeneration.

10/05/2017 - Award for health care researchers
Three DZNE scientists have received the “Hufeland Prize”.

09/28/17 - Spinal cord injuries: Hormonal dysfunction
DZNE researchers describe a novel pathway linking the nervous and immune systems. They report on this in “Nature Neuroscience.”

10/04/17 - Deutscher Kongress für Versorgungsforschung
Today, October 4th 2017, the 16th Deutscher Kongress für Versorgungsforschung (DKVF) started in Berlin.

10/04/17 - "Türöffner-Tag" by WDR (Sendung mit der Maus)
Yesterday the "Türöffner-Tag" 2017 by WDR (Sendung mit der Maus) took place. Various institutions opened their doors and showed their work to interested children.

09/27/17 - 8th Annual Conference of DZNE Witten
This year’s annual conference of DZNE Witten aims to highlight different care services, their structural potentials and limitations as well as the associated health policy management.

31/08/17 - When the brain’s navigation system gets faulty

In a review published in „Neuron“ DZNE scientist Thomas Wolbers describes how research on spatial navigation might help the diagnosis and therapy of dementia.

08/24/17 - Award for brain researcher Heiko Braak
Heiko Braak, senior professor at Ulm University, will receive this year's “Hartwig Piepenbrock-DZNE Prize”, which is endowed with 60,000 Euros. The Piepenbrock Group and the DZNE thereby honor Braak’s groundbreaking research on...

07/31/17 - Intermittent fasting: not an anti-aging remedy
Does fasting slow down the aging process? At least in mice, anti-aging effects are limited. This is the conclusion of a study by DZNE researchers.

07/18/17 - DZNE heads research project on support for people with dementia
The DZNE heads the research project “Supporting elderly people with cognitive impairment during and after hospital stays – Intersectoral Care Management”, which funded by the Federal Ministry of Education and Research with 1.7...

06/09/17 - Speeding up Alzheimer’s Research by Superfast Data Processing
„Memory-Driven Computing“: At the “Discover Conference 2017” in Las Vegas DZNE scientists presented first results of a collaboration with Hewlett Packard Enterprise.

05/29/17 - Focusing On Gene Activity: Potential Biomarker Found. A New Approach Against Schizophrenia?
Epigenetics may open new therapeutic avenues. DZNE scientists report on this in the journal PNAS.

04/04/17 - Laboratory Study Shows that Paternal Nutrition Affects Offspring’s Mental Health
The diet influences epigenetic patterns in the genome. DZNE Researchers report on this in journal “Molecular Psychiatry.”

03/20/17 - Fighting Oblivion with a New Kind of Computer Brain
Hewlett Packard Enterprise Cooperates with the DZNE - more

03/15/17 - Excellent research for a healthy life: Chancellor Merkel and NRW Science Minister open new building of the DZNE
Today, Federal Chancellor Angela Merkel and NRW Science Minister Svenja Schulze inaugurated the new building of the DZNE in Bonn and took the opportunity to learn about current research projects. more

02/06/17 - Lab study shows: A protein called PERK may be a target for treating progressive supranuclear palsy
DZNE scientists have discovered a molecular mechanism that may help in the search for effective treatments of progressive supranuclear palsy (PSP). Their study focuses on a protein called PERK. more

01/12/17 - Research project on precision medicine is funded by the Innovation Fund with 1.5 million euros
Scientists from BfArM and the DZNE will be working together and in cooperation with the statutory health insurance company Techniker Krankenkasse to investigate the influence of pharmacogenetic factors on... more

01/05/17 - Protein Associated with Parkinson’s Travels from Brain to Gut
In a laboratory study, DZNE researchers have found that “alpha-synuclein”, a protein involved in Parkinson’s disease, is capable of travelling from the brain to the stomach using the vagus nerve as a conduit. more

12/20/16 - Stroke: brain cells potentiate harmful electrical discharges
DZNE researchers have found that certain brain cells interact in a detrimental way during stroke. Harmful electrical discharges are thereby amplified.

12/14/16 - Early signs of Alzheimer’s detected in cerebrospinal fluid

Little is known about the role of the brain's immune system in Alzheimer’s disease. DZNE researchers have now found an early immune response in individuals with a genetic predisposition to Alzheimer’s.

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