



## THE 8TH INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS ON COGNITIVE NEURODYNAMICS

### ICCN 2021 HOMEPAGE

Studying cognition from a dynamic point of view has become a trend currently, and rapid developments have taken place in nonlinear dynamics and cognitive science. In order to promote the integration of cognitive science and neurodynamics as a whole, the 8th International Conference on Cognitive Neurodynamics 2021 (ICCN 2021) to be planned as May of 2022.

The conference will provide a forum for scientists and engineers working in this area and its related fields to review the latest progress and development and to exchange their experience, research progress and ideas.



## ICCN 2021 Program

7-May	Time	Session 1 (Chairs: Dr Y Hu) Opening ceremony		
	8:50	9:00	Nicotinic acetylcholine receptors to regulate important brain activities by controlled releasing of acetylcholine from subcortical neurons; what occurs in molecular level ?	Shigetoshi NARA
	9:00	9:15	A Novel Threshold Across which the Negative Stimulation Evokes Action Potential Near a Saddle-Node Bifurcation in a Neuronal Model with Ih Current An EEG Power Analysis with Hyperscanning EEG-Motion-Gaze data in	Linan Guan
	9:15	9:30	Embodied Synchronization: A Pilot Study for Intentional Switching with "Look This Way!" Game	Masayuki Fujiwara
	9:30	9:45	Disynaptic Inhibition Effect of Hilar Mossy Cells on Pattern Separation in The Hippocampal Dentate Gyrus	Woochang Lim
	9:45	10:00	Classifying Sympathetic Neural Signals Through Action Potential Detection and Characterization	Lacey Eagan
	10:00	10:15	Dynamics mechanism of the action potentials conduction failure related to pain perception	Xinjing Zhang
	10:15	10:30	10:30 Break	
		Session 2 (Chair: Dr Tianming Yang )		
	10:45	11:00	Neurodynamics of Orbitofrontal Cortex Reflects Value-Based Decision-Making Process	Tianming Yang
	11:00	11:15	Quantifying the attractor landscape and transition path of distributed working memory from large-scale brain network	Leijun Ye
	11:15	11:30	Striatal cholinergic interneurons regulate reinforcement learning in two-action selection	Qinghua Zhu
	11:30	11:45	Lifespan associations of resting-state brain functional networks with ADHD symptoms	Rong Wang
	11:45	12:00	The functional connectivity of resting-state epileptic brain network is qualitatively altered: an MEG analysis	Denggui Fan
	12:00	14:00	Lunch time	
		Symposium: Machine learning /deep learning in Neural-signal classification (Chairs: Dr Gan Huang)		
	14:00	14:15	Embedding newly spatial channel matrix in hand gesture classification for artificial prosthesis training	Xiaojun Wang
	14:15	14:30	M3CV: Benchmarks for Machine Learning in EEG Commonality and Variability	Gan Huang
	14:30	14:45	Bispectrum based channel selection algorithm for SSVEP-BCI	Ke Qin
	14:45	15:00	Multimodal information fusion-based emotion recognition models in affective human-computer interaction	Zhen Liang
	15:00	15:15	EEG activity during semantic and episodic memory retrieval in creative	Yuan Yin
	15:15	15:30	Energy Consumption Prediction by Use of Deep Neuroevolution Strategy	Alexander Soudaei
	15:30	15:45	Human intention estimation based on surface electromyography classification in elderly during sit-to-stand	Tinghan Xu
	15:45	16:00	Break	
		Symposium: Brain imaging for neurodynamics (Chairs: Dr Guang Ouyang, Prof.Changsong Zhou)		
	16:00	16:20	When cognitive science meets modern neurophysiological signal analysis	Christian Beste
	16:20	16:40	EEG brain network analysis and its application	Peng Xu
	16:40	17:00	Finding structure in time: Humans, machines, and language	Bingjiang Lyu
	17:00	17:20	Reconciliation of multilevel reliable stimulus-evoked dynamics in excitation-inhibition balanced neural networks at criticality	Junhao Liang
	17:20	17:40	Decoding Space-time-frequency Features of EEG Signals Based on Deep Learning	Dongye Zhao
	17:40	18:00	How ERP waveform mis-represents brain response and how to improve it: perspectives from signal composition in single trials.	Guang Ouyang

# Disynaptic Inhibition Effect of Hilar Mossy Cells on Pattern Separation in The Hippocampal Dentate Gyrus

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We consider a spiking neural network of the hippocampal dentate gyrus (DG). The principal granule cells (GCs) in the DG perform pattern separation, transforming similar overlapping input patterns into distinct non-overlapping output patterns. The hilar mossy cells (MCs) project disynaptic inhibition to the GCs, mediated by the inhibitory basket cells (BCs). We investigate the disynaptic inhibition effect of the MCs on pattern separation. By changing the synaptic strength  $K^{(BC,MC)}$  (from the pre-synaptic MC to the post-synaptic BC), we investigate the change in the pattern separation degree  $S_d$ . When decreasing  $K^{(BC,MC)}$  from its default value,  $S_d$  is found to decrease (i.e., pattern separation is reduced). On the other hand, as  $K^{(BC,MC)}$  is increased from the default value, pattern separation becomes enhanced (i.e.,  $S_d$  increases). Moreover, by varying  $K^{(BC,MC)}$ , we also investigate the population activity of sparsely synchronized rhythm of the GCs appearing during the pattern separation, and find that its synchronization degree,  $M_a$ , is correlated with the pattern separation degree  $S_d$ . Consequently, the larger the synchronization degree of the sparsely synchronized rhythm becomes, the more the pattern separation becomes enhanced.

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