

## Stanford Bi-Weekly Neuroethics Newsletter

### April 25, 2005

#### Media Articles

What Leonardo Could Have Done With A CAT Scan

Henry Fountain

NY Times,

<http://nytimes.com/2005/04/19/college/coll19anat.html?ex=1191816000&en=9581ec592cbb0cd9&ei=5034>

There's Nothing Deep About Depression

Peter Kramer

NY Times, April 17

<http://www.nytimes.com/2005/04/17/magazine/17DEPRESSION.html?oref=login>

Depressed? NYC Screens For People At Risk

Mar Santora

NY Times, April 13

<http://nytimes.com/2005/04/13/health/13depress.html>

The Child Who Would Not Speak a Word

Harriett Brown

NY Times, April 12

<http://www.nytimes.com/2005/04/12/health/psychology/12mute.html?ex=1114142400&en=4012c860952cd179&ei=5070>

Qatar to use Robots as Camel Riders

Associated Press, April 19

<http://tech.nytimes.com/aponline/international/AP-Qatar-Robot-Jockeys.html>

New Bionic Ear Uses Smart Plastic

Judy Skattsoon

ABC Science Online, April 12

<http://abc.net.au/science/news/stories/s1342345.htm>

Shedding Light on Neurons with an Off-and-On Switch

Carl Zimmer

NY Times, April 12

<http://query.nytimes.com/gst/abstract.html?res=F2061EF63E5A0C718DDDAD0894DD404482&incamp=archive:search>

Sony Aims to Beam Sights, Sounds Into Brains

Reuters, April 7

<http://www.cnn.com/2005/TECH/fun.games/04/07/sony.brain.reut/index.html>

## Journal Articles

Davis RL. Remote control of fruit fly behavior. *Cell*. 2005 Apr 8;121(1):6-7.

Lima SQ, Miesenbock G. Remote control of behavior through genetically targeted photostimulation of neurons. *Cell*. 2005 Apr 8;121(1):141-52.

## Events at Stanford

**Monday – April 25, 2005**

**SCBE Brown Bag Lunch**

**Speaker:** Nicholas King

**Title:** The Ethics of Biodefense

**Time:** 12:00 to 1:00pm

**Location:** SCBE Conference Room, 701 Welch Road

**Tuesday - April 26, 2005**

**Brain Malfunction Affinity Group**

**Speaker:** Andrew Peterson, PhD

**Title:** *TBA*

**Time:** 4:00pm to 4:45pm - refreshments served

**Location:** Clark Center Room S363

**Thursday - May 5, 2005**

**Development, Growth, Degeneration and Regeneration Theme Group**

**Speaker:** Rich Reimer, Assistant Professor of Neurology and Neurological Sciences and, by courtesy of Molecular and Cellular Physiology

**Title:** *TBA*

**Time:** 12:00 -1:00pm - light lunch

**Location:** Fairchild D202

**Monday, May 9, 2005**

**fMRI Colloquium**

**Speaker:** Golijeh Golarai

**Title:** fMRI of Face Processing in Children

**Time:** 4:15pm - refreshments at 4:00

**Location:** Clark Center Auditorium

## Upcoming Conferences

### **Hard Science, Hard Choices:**

#### **Ethical Questions & Public Policies For the Emergent Science of the Brain**

May 10-11, 2005

Library of Congress and The Dana Foundation

Washington, DC

### **7th Annual Updates on Dementia Conference: Translating Research in to Practice**

May 16, 2005

Stanford University Medical Center

Fairchild Auditorium

### **VII Annual Symposium on Biomedicine, Ethics and Society: “Imagining the Work of the Brain – Neuroethics”**

#### **Imagining the Work of the Brain - Neuroethics**

SANDHAMN HOTELL & KONFERENS, 13-14 June, 2005

[www.bioethics.uu.se](http://www.bioethics.uu.se)

### **11th International Conference on Human Computer Interaction**

#### **Symposium: Exploring Ethics in Augmented Cognition Research**

Las Vegas, NV July 22-27, 2005