08.45 - 09.00  Welcome and introduction
Prof. Martin E. Schwab
Director ZNZ

09.00 - 09.45  Volker-Henn-Lecture:
Hope and pitfalls of gene therapy for neurodegenerative diseases: an EPFL perspective
Prof. Patrick Aebischer
École Polytechnique Fédéral de Lausanne

09.45 - 10.15  Coffee Break

Short Talks, Part I

10.15 - 10.35  Molecular tracking of autoaggressive immune responses
Prof. Norbert Goebels
Neurologic Clinic, University Hospital Zurich

10.35 - 10.55  Dissecting the GABAergic signal – functional mapping of GABA(A) receptor diversity
Prof. Kaspar Vogt
Institute of Pharmacology and Toxicology, University of Zurich

10.55 - 11.15  Post-acute treatment approaches after local cortical injury to improve functional outcome
Dr. Christoph Wiessner
Nervous System Research, Novartis Basel

11.15 - 11.45  Data Blitz by ZNZ Ph.D. Students, Part I

11.45 - 13.15  Poster Session, Lunch (Foyer E)

Short Talks, Part II

13.15 - 13.35  Extraneural pathological prion protein in sporadic Creutzfeldt-Jakob disease
Dr. Markus Glatzel
Swiss National Reference Center for Prion Diseases, University Hospital Zurich

13.35 - 13.55  The role of behavioural feedback in the organization of perception and action
Dr. Paul Verschure
Institute of Neuroinformatics, ETH and University of Zurich

13.55 - 14.15  The cognitive neuroscience of mental imagery
Prof. Fred Mast
Institute of Psychology, University of Zurich

14.15 - 14.45  Data Blitz by ZNZ Ph.D. Students, Part II

14.45 - 16.15  Poster Session, Coffee (Foyers E and D)

16.15 - 17.00  Neuron-Glia interactions: lessons from development and disease
Prof. Ueli Suter
Institute of Cell Biology, ETH Zurich

17.00  General Assembly for ZNZ Research Group Leaders, Apéro