DBE Newsletter
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Events

Surgical Research Day 2020, February 7, 2020, Hirsland, University Hospital Basel, The "Surgical Research Day 2020" will take place on February 7, 2020. Beyond presentations of selected projects by members of the Department of Surgery at the University Hospital Basel, the program includes keynote lectures offering critical perspectives on Regenerative Medicine (Prof. Paolo De Coppi, London) and Breast Cancer Treatments (Prof. Giuseppe Viale, Milano). Please find the program in the attached document. This is a good occasion to get in contact with clinicians – use it to build bridges!

Medical Informatics Europe 2020 – Digital Personalized Health
The European Federation of Medical Informatics (EFMI) welcomes to the 20th Medical Informatics Europe conference (MIE) at the Geneva International Conference Center (CGG). This conference is organized in partnership with the World Health Organization (WHO), the International Telecommunication Union (ITU), the State of Geneva (Geneva), the University of Geneva (UNIGE) and the University Hospitals of Geneva (HUG). The MIE2020 conference is an opportunity to meet experts from all involved fields of the area digital personalized health and medicine. The conference not only attract senior researchers and top notchted experts of the field, it is also a place where young scientists come to, present their works, to meet peers, to network, to seek job and career opportunities.

External Innovation Think Tank (eITT) Exhibition 2020
Innovation Think Tank (eITT) Exhibition 2020 is part of the Chief Technology Office of Siemens Healthineers, is organizing its annual external exhibition (eITT) 2020 on 16th of July 2020, at its headquarters in Erlangen, Germany. The event focuses on open innovation and co-creation in the area of healthcare. Students, institutions, industries and start-ups are welcomed to submit their projects for presentation at eITT 2020. The focus of this year’s exhibition are solutions to various diseases (e.g. Heart disease, Cancer, Diabetes etc.). Send your proposal for eITT 2020 as PDF to innovationthinktank.team@siemens-healthineers.com.

Research Funding

SNF Scientific Image Competition
The SNF Scientific Image Competition encourages researchers working in Switzerland to present their works to the public and the media. Photographs, images and videos will be rated in terms of their aesthetic quality and their ability to inspire and amaze, to convey or illustrate knowledge. The submission deadline is on January 31, 2020.

ERA-NEU JONC JTC Call 2020 «Sensory Disorders»
The "Network of European Funding for Neuroscience Research" (NEURON) aims at coordinating research efforts and funding programmes of its partner countries in the field of disease-related neuroscience. With the newly launched call, ERA-NEURON wishes to facilitate multinational, collaborative research projects which will address important questions related to sensory disorders and their impact on the nervous system. Please find more information on the official website ERA-NEU-NEURON.

JPND JTC Call 2020
The EU Joint Programme – Neurodegenerative Disease Research (JPND) joint trans-national call on imaging and Brain stimulation methods and technologies. For further details, please refer to the programme’s official website. The submission deadline for pre-proposals is March 3, 2020.

Project funding - Make your ideas reality with the SNF
Under the project funding scheme, qualified researchers define their research themes and objectives themselves and conduct their project under their own responsibility.

BRIDGE Proof of Concept
The fourteenth call for BRIDGE Proof of Concept projects is open until March 9, 2020 and aims at young researchers who wish to develop an application or service based on their research results. These projects may target innovations of all kinds from all research areas.

BRIDGE Discovery
The funding scheme Discovery is aimed at experienced researchers who wish to realize a technological innovation with great social or economic impact. They can submit a proposal on their own or as a part of a consortium of up to three researchers. The project must be characterized by scientific excellence and a clear vision of a future application. As of now, interested researchers can submit a letter of intent, which is mandatory for the submission of a full Discovery application, via the mySNF platform. All letters of intent must be submitted by 27 February 2020.

About us

Welcome to Norbert Zentai
Norbert Zentai started this month as a software engineer in the Planning and Navigation group of the MIRACLE project. He studied computer science with a focus on application development at Dennis Gabor College in Hungary and he acquired his Bachelor’s degree with a custom 3D rendering engine developed specifically for iOS. He then worked for 8 years as a full-stack web and iOS developer, later as an architect.