

	Monday		Tuesday		Wednesday	Thursday		Friday	
8:30-9:00	Coffee		Coffee		Coffee	Coffee		Coffee	
9:00-12:00	Course intro		Lecture Catarina Miranda Lourenco, PhD “Synaptogenesis and Synaptopathies: From Mechanisms to Disease”		Lecture Leonardo Beccari, PhD “Decoding human neurodevelopment gene regulation through rain organoid models”	Transferable skills Gavin Lucas, PhD Fellowship writing III		Lecture Ainhoa Plaza Zabala, PhD “Glial Cells in Brain Development: Timing, Plasticity, and Pathological Vulnerability”	
	Lecture Giulia Quattrocchio, PhD “Building the Hippocampal Circuit: From Growth Cones to Place Cells”								
12:00-13:30	Lunch		Lunch		Lunch	Lunch		Lunch	
13:30-15:00	Practical I Neringa Daugelavičienė, PhD Experimental design	Practical II Monika Iešmantaitė, PhD student Experimental design and microglia isolation	Practical I Neringa Daugelavičienė, PhD Cell transfection	Practical II Monika Iešmantaitė, PhD student Cell plating	Transferable skills Gavin Lucas, PhD Fellowship writing I	Practical I Neringa Daugelavičienė, PhD Cell imaging	Practical II Monika Iešmantaitė, PhD student Microglia functional essays	Practical I Neringa Daugelavičienė, PhD Data analysis and discussion	Practical II Monika Iešmantaitė, PhD student Data analysis and discussion
15:00-15:30	Coffee break		Coffee break		Coffee break	Coffee break		Coffee break	
15:30-17:00	Practical I Neringa Daugelavičienė, PhD Cell plating	Practical II Monika Iešmantaitė, PhD student Microglia isolation	Social event Visit to old VU ensemble + Lithuanian dinner at Bernėlių užėiga		Transferable skills Gavin Lucas, PhD and Juan Abolafia, PhD Fellowship writing II	Transferable skills Gavin Lucas, PhD and Juan Abolafia, PhD Fellowship writing IV		Social event Visit to Trakai and gala dinner at Kybynlar	
17:00-evening	Poster session in Kairėnai					Social event Lukiškės prison tour (from 7 pm)			