

Resource Summary Report

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Harvard University Neurobiology

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Resource Information

URL: <http://neuro.med.harvard.edu/>

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Description: The mission of the Department of Neurobiology is to promote research and teaching that leads to a better understanding of the normal and diseased brain. The Department faculty are committed to training leaders of the next generation of neuroscientists, including graduate and medical students. Candidates for the Ph.D. in Neurobiology are admitted to the graduate Program in Neuroscience. This interdepartmental training program links the Department of Neurobiology with faculty in the Harvard affiliated hospitals and with faculty in other basic science departments. The Program, established in 1981, now includes about 90 investigators who participate in the training of Ph.D. candidates. Approximately fifteen students are accepted each year so that the steady state enrollment is usually about 80-90. This Program in Neuroscience attracts superb students with a broad range of interests from all areas of the globe. The goals of our training are to produce scientists who have explored one area and one level of analysis in great depth, but who are familiar with the full scope of neuroscience. They should be able to move from one level to another in a critical and creative manner. We also try to develop an appreciation for translational research that bears on human brain disease. The Department of Neurobiology, established in 1966 with Stephen W. Kuffler as Chair, was the first of its kind. The intent was to bring together members of traditional departments- physiologists, biochemists, and anatomists- in order to understand the principles governing communication between cells in the nervous system. This interdisciplinary approach was revolutionary at the time, and the interdisciplinary theme has continued to permeate the evolution of the field of neuroscience ever since. The Program in Neuroscience is one of four programs administered by the Division of Medical Sciences (DMS). DMS, located at the medical school, is a division of the Faculty of Arts and Sciences of Harvard University.

Synonyms: Harvard Medical School Department of Neurobiology, Harvard Medical School Neurobiology, Harvard Neurobiology

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No alerts have been found for Harvard University Neurobiology.

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