

# BRAIN INITIATIVE

The American Brain Coalition, American College of Neuropsychopharmacology, Allen Institute,  
The Dana Foundation, and The Simons Foundation,  
in cooperation with the Congressional Neuroscience Caucus, invite you to a briefing

## The NIH BRAIN Initiative: Accelerating Discovery Toward Cures

Wednesday, June 14, 2023 ~ [RSVP HERE](#)

10:00-11:00am EASTERN

North Congressional Meeting Room (CVC 268)

*Breakfast will be provided*

You're invited to a congressional briefing celebrating the *Brain Research Through Advancing Innovative Neurotechnologies*® (BRAIN) Initiative and the researchers and participants who are helping advance our understanding of the human brain. BRAIN-funded innovations in tools and technology are making their way into the clinic – with big potential to see positive impacts on human health. As BRAIN-funded teams develop new resources and technologies, the BRAIN Initiative is laying down a foundation for future cures and creating a new model for doing science that is accelerating the pace of discovery.

### Featuring a Panel of BRAIN Initiative Experts

#### **John J. Ngai, PhD**

Director

The NIH Brain Research Through Advancing Innovative Neurotechnologies (BRAIN) Initiative

#### **Katie Whitson**

Baylor College of Medicine BRAIN Study Participant

#### **Nicole Provenza, PhD**

Postdoctoral Fellow

Baylor College of Medicine

#### **Moderator**

*Kafui Dzirasa, MD, PhD*

*K. Ranga Rama Krishnan Professor*

*Duke University Medical Center*

#### **Ed Lein, PhD**

Senior Investigator

Allen Institute for Brain Science

Affiliate Professor

University of Washington

Departments of Neurological Surgery &

Laboratory Medicine & Pathology

#### **Jennifer French**

Executive Director

Neurotech Network

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Neuropsychopharmacology



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