



# THIRD MEETING SPECIAL INTEREST GROUP



**DATE:**  
Thursday, June 29th, 2023  
09.00 – 18.30

**POSTER SUBMISSION:**  
until June 1st, 2023

**PLACE:**  
University of Fribourg  
PER21, Auditorium G140  
Bvd de Pérolles 90

**REGISTRATION:**  
until June 15th, 2023  
<https://forms.gle/wKDH2kwwUHKpeE827>

**CONTACT:**  
[chantal.rodriquez@unifr.ch](mailto:chantal.rodriquez@unifr.ch)

**COSTS:**  
full price: CHF 80.-  
reduced price: CHF 45.-

**AIMS:**  
CANoP (Cognitive and Affective Neuroscience of Pain; a special interest group of the Swiss Pain Society) aims to:

- Stimulate scientific exchange among researcher in Switzerland who study cognitive or affective aspects of pain;
- Promote a scientific network and collaborative initiatives;
- Enhance the visibility of the different groups and obtain an overview of current research in this field in Switzerland.

We welcome students, clinicians and researchers from any related field.

**SCIENTIFIC COMMITTEE:**  
Prof. Dr. C. Martin Sölch; Prof. Dr. P. Schweinhardt, Prof. Dr. C. Berna Renella

We provide an attendance certificate for continued education. Validation for LNDS students according to the specific instructions in the poster guidelines. Credits for continued education are currently sought from the SAPP/ASMPP and SPS.

## PROGRAM

08.55	Welcome	The organizers
09.00	Keynote 1 Social influences on pain and affect	Leonie Koban, Lyon
10.00	The role of GABA-related intracortical inhibition for a “healthy brain” and pain management	Wolfgang Taube
10.10	Insights in the dynamics of the GABAergic EEG markers under experimental pain and analgesic interventions: preliminary results	Franziska Peier
10.20	Joint Discussion	
10.30	Coffee break	
11.00	The hurtful side of the unknown. The role of uncertainty in the assessment of one’s own and others’ pain	Corrado Corradi-Dell’Acqua
11.10	The neurobiology of chronic pain’s imprints on the human brain	Bogdan Draganski
11.20	Dysfunction and restoration of the dopamine and reward system in fibromyalgia	Chantal Martin Soelch
11.30	Joint Discussion	
11.50	Lunch break and poster session	
13.00	Keynote 2 Reaching circuitry level of understanding of the comorbidity between chronic pain and mood disorders	Ipek Yalcin, Strasbourg
14.00	Exploring the Mind’s Map of the Back and its Restructuring in Chronic Low Back Pain: latest results.	Michael Meier
14.10	Top-down influences on central sensitization	Petra Schweinhardt
14.20	Stress, affects and pain perception in everyday life of patients with primary and secondary pain	Katahrina Ledermann
14.30	Joint Discussion	
14.50	Coffee break	
15.20	3 Poster Presentation (incl. joint discussion)	
15.50	On the Feasibility of Augmented Reality Biofeedback for Chronic Pain – Insights from the HEART Trial	Oliver Kannape
16.00	Investigations of hypermobile Ehlers Danlos Syndrome: sensory profiles and stress response	Chantal Berna Renella
16.10	Ongoing research projects in patients with chronic pain in Geneva University Hospitals	Vasileios Chytas
16.20	Joint Discussion	
16.50	Closing and introduction to the social event	
17.00	Apéro and Social event for the students and Pls	Aurore Fernandez
18.30	Poster Prize	
19:00	Speakers Dinner	

## ECTS for LNDS candidates

The participation to local symposia or national conferences usually warrants entries on a “seminar sheet” (12 entries = 1 ECTS) as these events do not provide the possibility to assess students’ learning achievements.

However, the organizers of the CANoP meeting provide students with the possibility to present a poster (if you work in one of the research fields touched) or submit a post-conference term paper in order to obtain 1 full ECTS.

If you want to go for the full credit option, please do the following

- **Register before June 1** via the pathway indicated in the program (<https://forms.gle/wKDH2kwwUHKpeE827>) and submit a poster abstract (if applicable)
- choose "reduced fee" (45 CHF)
- put under "comments/ questions" : I AM AN LNDS STUDENT (so that I can do a common payment for all students who want to participate)

- **Write a message to "lnds@unil.ch" saying that you will do a poster or, alternatively, a term paper to get 1 ECTS**

- If you go for the term paper please send it **by August 1** to [lnds@unil.ch](mailto:lnds@unil.ch).

--- In your term paper (1-2 pages long; please provide your name, the talk title your paper is referring to, as well as bibliographic references for your arguments in case applicable) you can either

- a) critically discuss one of the conference talks in face of other controversial research findings OR
- b) put one of the conference topics in context with your own research OR
- c) develop a small project proposal based on a conference topic sketching your ideas on what could be done in future studies.

