

Lehrstuhl Neurobiologie und Genetik



FAREWELL SYMPOSIUM ON THE OCCASION OF THE RETIREMENT OF CHARLOTTE FÖRSTER

Wed 30th of July 2025; Lecture Hall A101, University of Würzburg, Biocentre

9:15 Welcome by Christian Wegener

9:30 – 10:15 **Monika Stengl**, Kassel:

"Olfactory receptor neurons of the hawkmoth are multiscale clocks"

10:15 – 11:00 **Orie Shafer,** Bloomington:

"Ultradian Rhythms in the Absence of a Circadian Clock Revisited: A Window into Sleep

Homeostasis?"

11:00 – 11:45 Taishi Yoshii, Okayama

"Before I met you – and where I am now"

11:45-13:15 Lunch Break

13:15 – 14:00 Katharina Beer, Würzburg

"Bee on time: The function of PERIOD and PDF in the circadian clock of honey bees"

14:00 – 14:45 Pingkalai Senthilan, Würzburg

"A rollercoaster ride with RHODOPSIN 7"

14:45-15:15 Coffee Break

15:15 – 16:00 **Rodolfo Costa,** Padova

"Circadian education for University students: feasibility, compliance, sleep and academic performance"

16:00 – 16:45 **Charalambos P. Kyriacou**, Leicester:

"! How Charlotte prevented me from retiring and got me into deep do-do!!!!"