

SCHEDULE OVERVIEW SATURDAY AND SUNDAY

Saturday | March 7, 2026

9:30 am–6:30 pm	Onsite Registration & Pre-Registration Check-In, Parq Grand Ballroom Foyer
10:30 am–12:00 pm	Data Blitz Session 1, Salon ABC
10:30 am–12:00 pm	Data Blitz Session 2, Salon D
10:30 am–12:00 pm	Data Blitz Session 3, Salon E
10:30 am–12:00 pm	Data Blitz Session 4, Salon F
12:00–1:00 pm	Workshop—Workshop on Cognitive Neuroscience for Foundation Models, Salon ABC
12:00–1:00 pm	Lunch Break (On your own)
12:00–2:00 pm	Exhibitor Check In, Parq Grand Ballroom Foyer
12:30–1:00 pm	Poster Session A Set-Up, Fairview/Kitsilano Ballrooms
1:00–3:00 pm	Rising Stars Session, Salon EF
3:00–5:00 pm	Poster Session A, Fairview/Kitsilano Ballrooms
3:00–5:15 pm	Exhibits Open, Kitsilano Ballroom
3:30–4:00 pm	Coffee Service, Kitsilano Ballroom
5:00–5:15 pm	Poster Session A Take-Down, Fairview/Kitsilano Ballrooms
5:00–6:00 pm	Keynote Address (Open to the Public)—Our Language-Ready Brain, Peter Hagoort, PhD, Max Planck Institute for Psycholinguistics, Parq Grand Ballroom
5:15 pm	Exhibit Hall Closed for the Day—No Entry
6:00–7:00 pm	Welcome Reception, Parq Grand Ballroom Foyer

Sunday | March 8, 2026

7:30–8:00 am	Exhibit Hall Access for Exhibitors/Poster Session B Set-up Only, Fairview/Kitsilano Ballrooms
7:30 am – 6:30 pm	Onsite Registration & Pre-Registration Check-In, Parq Grand Ballroom Foyer
8:00–8:30 am	Continental Breakfast, Kitsilano Ballroom
8:00–10:00 am	Poster Session B, Fairview/Kitsilano Ballrooms
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1:30–3:30 pm	Symposium 2—Mapping Emotions in the Brain Beyond Localization: How Neuroimaging and Machine Learning Can Reshape Contemporary Theoretical Frameworks, Chair: Patrik Vuilleumier, Co-Chair: Brad Postle, Salon D
1:30–3:30 pm	Symposium 3—Hippocampus and Sequential Behaviors Across Different Timescales and Memory Domains in Humans, Chair: Genevieve Albouy, Salon E
1:30–3:30 pm	Symposium 4—Network Integrity and Disconnection Syndromes: New Insights from the Split-Brain, Chair: Michael Miller, Salon F
3:30–4:00 pm	Coffee Service, Kitsilano Ballroom
3:30–4:00 pm	Poster Session C Set-Up, Fairview/Kitsilano Ballrooms
4:00–5:00 pm	32nd Annual George A. Miller Prize in Cognitive Neuroscience Lecture, Putting the ‘Mental’ Back Into ‘Mental’ Disorders by Fusing the Science of Emotion With the Science of Consciousness, Joseph LeDoux, PhD, New York University, Parq Grand Ballroom
5:00–7:00 pm	Poster Session C (Ice Cream Social), Fairview/Kitsilano Ballrooms
7:00–7:15 pm	Poster Session C Take-Down, Fairview/Kitsilano Ballrooms
7:15 pm	Exhibit Hall Closed for the Day—No Entry

SCHEDULE OVERVIEW MONDAY AND TUESDAY

Monday | March 9, 2026

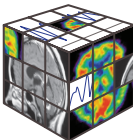
7:30–8:00 am	Exhibit Hall Access for Exhibitors/Poster Session D Set-Up Only, Fairview/Kitsilano Ballrooms
8:00–8:30 am	Continental Breakfast, Kitsilano Ballroom
8:00–10:00 am	Poster Session D, Fairview/Kitsilano Ballrooms
8:00 am–5:00 pm	Exhibits Open, Kitsilano Ballroom
8:00 am–5:30 pm	Onsite Registration & Pre-Registration Check-In, Parq Grand Ballroom Foyer
8:30–10:00 am	Communications Open House, Lisa Munoz, Public Information Officer, Granville
10:00 am–12:00 pm	Symposium 5—The Hunt for the Neural Correlates of Cognitive Reserve, Chairs: Richard Henson and Christian Habeck, Salon ABC
10:00 am–12:00 pm	Symposium 6—Not Your Average Brain: Individual-Level fMRI as a Paradigm Shift for Cognitive Neuroscience, Chairs: Andre Zamani and Jingnan Du, Salon D
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11:30–11:45 am	Poster Session D Take-Down, Fairview/Kitsilano Ballrooms
12:00–1:30 pm	The Brain Box Social (Lunch Provided), Parq Grand Ballroom Foyer
12:15–1:15 pm	Workshop—Cognitive Neuroscience and Society: Resistance and Resilience During Science Funding Crises, Salon ABC
12:15–1:15 pm	Workshop—Capturing Real-World Brains in XR: Seamless Brain-Behavior Experiments with DSI and LABO, Salon D
1:30–2:00 pm	YIA 1—Neural Signatures of Sustained Attention Across Time Scales and Individuals, Monica Rosenberg, PhD., University of Chicago, Salon EF
1:30–2:00 pm	Poster Session E Set-Up, Fairview/Kitsilano Ballrooms
2:00–2:30 pm	YIA 2—Generalized Prediction Errors in the Human Cerebellum, Samuel D. McDougale, PhD., Yale University, Salon EF
2:30–4:30 pm	Poster Session E, Fairview/Kitsilano Ballrooms
3:30–4:00 pm	Coffee Service, Kitsilano Ballroom
4:30–5:30 pm	15th Annual Distinguished Career Contributions Award Lecture, Why Study Normative Cognitive Aging When It Is Not a Disease?, Carol Barnes, PhD, University of Arizona, Parq Grand Ballroom
5:30–5:45 pm	Poster Session E Take-Down, Fairview/Kitsilano Ballrooms
5:45–7:15 pm	10th Annual CNSTA Trainee Professional Career Panel—Survival to Sustainability: Building a Career That Lasts, Salon EF
5:45 pm	Exhibit Hall Closed for the Day—No Entry
7:30–10:00 pm	CNS Student Trainee Social Night, Greta Bar

Tuesday | March 10, 2026

7:30–8:00 am	Exhibit Hall Access for Exhibitors/Poster Session F Set-Up Only, Fairview/Kitsilano Ballrooms
8:00–8:30 am	Continental Breakfast, Kitsilano Ballroom
8:00–10:00 am	Exhibits Open, Kitsilano Ballroom
8:00–10:00 am	Poster Session F, Fairview/Kitsilano Ballrooms
8:00 am–3:00 pm	Onsite Registration & Pre-Registration Check-In, Parq Grand Ballroom Foyer
10:00–10:15 am	Poster Session F Take-Down, Fairview/Kitsilano Ballrooms
10:00 am–12:00 pm	Invited Symposium 3—Effectuating Societal Impact via Cognitive Neuroscience, Chairs: Marian Berryhill and Micah Murray, Salon ABCD
10:00 am–12:00 pm	Invited Symposium 4—How the Brain Creates Language: Insights from Genes, Neural Pathways, Neuroprosthetics, and Computational Models, Chair: Tamara Swaab, Salon EF
10:15 am	Exhibit Hall Closed for the Day—No Entry
12:00–1:30 pm	Lunch Break (On your own)
1:30–3:30 pm	Symposium 9—Cognitive Insights into Attention and Cross-Modal Integration from Rapid Invisible Frequency Tagging, Chairs: Hyojin Park and Ole Jensen, Salon ABC
1:30–3:30 pm	Symposium 10—Abstract Representations in Neural Architectures, Chairs: Iryna Schommartz and Victoria Nicholls, Salon D
1:30–3:30 pm	Symposium 11—Emotion and the Organization of Temporal Context in Memory, Chair: Joseph Dunsmoor, Salon E
1:30 - 3:30 pm	Symposium 12—Neural Computations of Motivated Behavior in Youth, Chair: Jeremy Hogeveen, Salon F

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CNS Student Trainee  
Social Night

Join us immediately after the panel for a trainee social at Greta Bar—offering a vibrant mix of vintage arcade games, air hockey, and skee-ball paired with an expansive craft beer list and a globally-inspired “street food” menu.

Monday, March 9, 7:30-10:00 PM  
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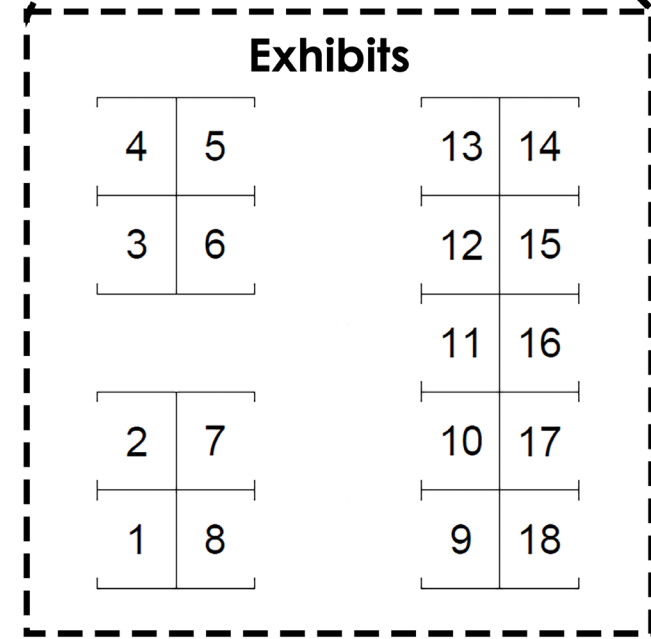
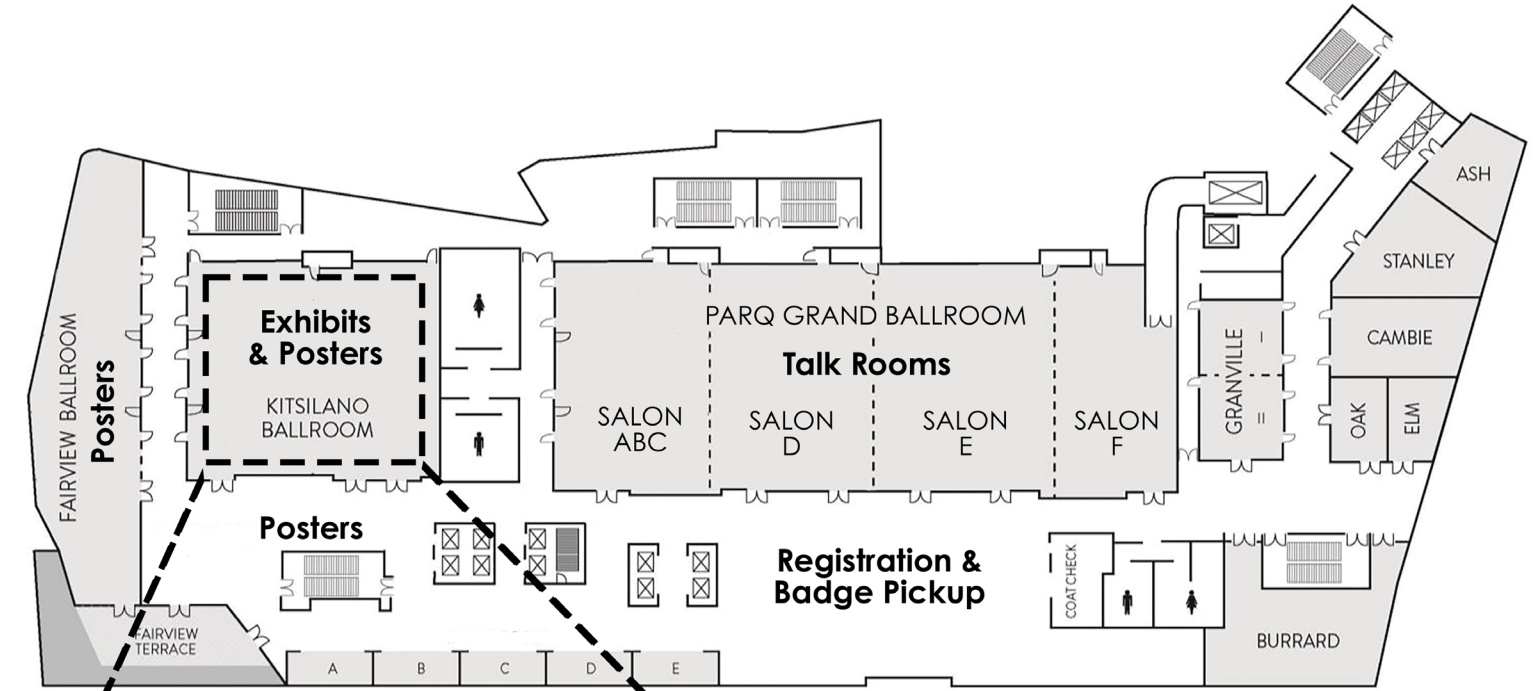
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- 10 Psychology Software Tools
- 11 ANT North America Inc.
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- 14 CUNY Graduate Center
- 15 Thoughtscape
- 16 CIHR - Institute of Neurosciences, Mental Health and Addiction
- 17 VPixx Technologies
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