CSBN FRIDAY TALKS: FALL 2026 SCHEDULE

All talks will be held in person in SP 254.01 and on Zoom from 12 noon to 1 PM unless otherwise indicated

Date: September 11, 2026
Speaker: Dr. Mario Penzo, NIMH
Title: How the midline thalamus transforms internal goal value into behavioral prioritization

Date: October 2, 2026
Speaker 1: Emily Ah-Yen, Shalev Lab, 12 – 12:30 PM
Speaker 2: Toni Kach, Gardner Lab, 12:30 – 1 PM

Date: October 9, 2026
Speaker: Dr. Numa Dancause, Université de Montréal
Title: Developing a mechanistic framework for cortico-cortical brain stimulation that supports motor recovery after brain injury

Date: CANCELED (Originally scheduled for October 16, 2026)
Speaker: Dr. Majid Mohajerani, McGill University
Title: Hippocampal-neocortical connectivity dynamics in episodic memory

Date: October 23, 2026
Speaker: Dr. Aparna Suvrathan, McGill University
Title: One synapse, many rules: diversity and dysfunction in cerebellar plasticity

Date: November 6, 2026
Speaker: Dr. Catherine Duclos, Université de Montréal
Title: Beyond behavior: understanding consciousness through brain dynamics

Date: November 20, 2026
Speaker 1: Wanqi Chen, Shalev Lab, 12 – 12:30 PM
Speaker 2: Nuria Larochelle, Gardner Lab, 12:30 – 1 PM

Date: December 4, 2026
Speaker: Dr. Bénédicte Amilhon, Université de Montréal
Title: TBD

Date: December 11, 2026
Speaker: Dr. Erik Cook, McGill University
Title: TBD