Sleep, Learning & Brain Development
Jacobs Foundation Conference 2012
April 18-20, 2012
Marbach Castle

Program Schedule

Wednesday April 18

17.00 Opening Plenary

Welcome Address:
Christian Jacobs, Chairman of the Jacobs Foundation

Introductory Remarks
Ron Dahl & Oskar Jenni, Conference Organizers
Simon Sommer, Jacobs Foundation

17.30 – 19.00 Session 1: Opening Plenary

Presenters: Oskar Jenni & Ron Dahl

19.00 Apéro (Cocktail Reception)

19.30 Dinner

Thursday April 19

A Deeper Understanding: Drilling Down & Integrating Knowledge

8.30 – 10.00 Session 2: Sleep, Learning and Brain Development

Chair: Sarah-Jayne Blakemore
Presenters: Matt Walker and Reto Huber
Respondents/Provocateurs: Marcos Frank, Eveline Crone

10.00 – 10.30 Coffee Break

10.30 – 12.00 Session 3: Sleep and the Development of Regulatory Systems

Chair: Oskar Jenni
Presenters: Monique LeBourgeois and Mary Carskadon
Respondents/Provocateurs: Anna Wirz Justice, Till Roennnberg, Reto Huber

12.30 – 14.00 Lunch

14.30 – 16.00 Session 4: Chair: Mary Carskadon

Young Scholar Session A: Jared Saletin, Ines Wilhelm, Sean Deoni, Christina Schmidt, Kerstin Hoedlmoser
16.00 – 16.30 Coffee Break

**16.30 – 17.30** Integrative Discussion of Sessions 1-4  
Chair: Ron Dahl  
Panel: Sarah-Jayne Blakemore, Matt Walker, Reto Huber, Mary Carskadon, Marcos Frank

19.00 Apéro (Cocktail Reception)

19.30 Dinner

**Friday April 20**

**Breadth and Impact: Bridging Across Levels to Clinical, Educational, and Social Policy Implications**

**8.30 – 10.00** Session 5: Sleep and Health: Relevance to risk taking, decision making, affective disorders, and broader health consequences during development  
Chair: Eveline Crone  
Presenters: Avi Sadeh and Ron Dahl  
Respondent/Provocateurs: Carol Worthman, Reinout Wiers, Matt Walker

**10.00 – 10.30** Coffee Break

**10.30 – 12.00** Session 6: Sleep and its Relevance to Education, Families and Broader Social Policies  
Chair: Mary Carskadon  
Presenter: Mona El-Sheik and Joe Buckhalt (including the conclusions of a 2-day SRCD study group meeting on Sleep and Development on April 1-3)  
Respondents/Provocateurs: Manfred Prenzel, Daniel Suess, Andrew Fuligni

12.30 – 14.00 Lunch

**14.00 – 15.30** Session 7: Chair: Andrew Fuligni  
**Young Scholar Session B:** Dana McMakin, Sara Pieters, Leila Tarokh, Adriana Galvan

**15.30 – 16.00** Young Scholar Program Information Session  
Chair: Ulrich Trautwein

16.00 – 16.30 Coffee Break

**16.30 – 17.30** Where to go from here? Wrap-up/summary/research challenges

19.00 Apéro (Cocktail Reception)

19.30 Dinner