LATIN AMERICAN FELLOWS
PROGRAM FOR NEURAL
CIRCUIT RESEARCH





The Max Planck Florida Institute (MPFI) and the International Brain Research Organization (IBRO) have formed a partnership to offer young neuroscientists from Latin America the opportunity to receive postdoctoral training at the MPFI facility in Jupiter, Florida. Operating as part of IBRO's Inter-Regional Initiative, involving the United States/Canada and Latin American Regional Committees, the MPFI-IBRO Latin American Fellows Program for Neural Circuit Research will foster collaboration between neuroscientists from the two regions and strengthen neuroscience research and training in Latin America. In addition to a stipend and access to state-ofthe-art facilities, those individuals selected to participate in the program will receive mentorship from MPFI scientists, who will be directly responsible for their research training.



Potential applicants may email Jessica Herbst, MPFI's Graduate and Post-Graduate Training Programs Manager, jessica.herbst@mpfi.org.

Part of the prestigious Max Planck Society based in Germany, MPFI is the first and only institute of its kind in North America. Situated in the new bioscience cluster in scenic Palm Beach County in South Florida, MPFI scientists are developing cutting-edge optical imaging technologies to visualize the structure, function and development of neural circuits in the brain. Among their achievements is the most comprehensive analysis to date of the detailed architecture of individual functionally characterized neurons in the cerebral cortex. This research is critical for understanding a host of neurological and psychiatric disorders such as Huntington's Disease, Parkinson's Disease, Alzheimer's Disease, Schizophrenia, Autism and Epilepsy. maxplanckflorida.org