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State Key Laboratory of Brain & Cognitive Sciences Public Lecture Series:  
Alzheimer's Disease: The Contribution of Biological Factors and the Need to Account for Differences Between Eastern and Western Populations

Programme

Date:  Friday October 6, 2023  
Time:  16:00 – 17:30 (HKT)  
Venue:  Social Sciences Function Room, 11/F, The Jockey Club Tower, Centennial Campus, HKU and via Zoom

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| 16:00 | Opening Remarks  
Professor Benjamin Becker, The University of Hong Kong  
▪ Principal Investigator, State Key Laboratory of Brain and Cognitive Sciences  
▪ Professor, Department of Psychology |
| 16:05 | Alzheimer’s Disease: The Contribution of Biological Factors and the Need to Account for Differences Between Eastern and Western Populations  
*Adding Dynamics to Genetic Modulator of Alzheimer's Disease Susceptibility*  
**Professor Alfredo Ramirez, University of Cologne**  
▪ Head of the Division for Neurogenetics and Molecular Psychiatry, Department of Psychiatry and Psychotherapy, Faculty of Medicine and University Hospital Cologne  
▪ Principal Investigator, Cluster of Excellence Cellular Stress Responses in Aging-Associated Diseases  
*Functional and Structural MRI Examination of Subjective Cognitive Decline and Neuropsychiatric Symptoms and Implications for Early Detection of Alzheimer's Disease*  
**Dr. Xiaochen Hu, University of Cologne**  
▪ Research Associate, Department of Psychiatry and Psychotherapy, Center for Memory Disorders, Medical Faculty |
| 17:00 | Q&A Session  
Moderator:  
Professor Benjamin Becker |