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Role of the Pulvinar in Visual Processing

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The Special Issue on "Role of the Pulvinar in Visual Processing" will cover major advances in pulvinar research with the following subject:

- Evolution of the pulvinar
- Anatomical and functional organization of the pulvinar
- The transthalamic cortical pathways
- The drivers/modulators concept: is pulvinar driving or modulating the visual cortex?
- Visual properties of pulvinar neurons
- Visual maps in the pulvinar
- Pulvinar and visual attention
- Functional relationships between pulvinar and cortical areas
- Top-down and bottom-up processes involving pulvinar
- Pulvinar and emotions: subcortical fear pathways
- Residual vision: involvement of pulvinar
- What thalamic lesions can tell us about the human pulvinar?
- Schizophrenia: the pulvinar hypothesis
- Pulvinar and attention deficit/hyperactivity disorders
- Imaging the pulvinar in humans and animal models
- Modeling cortico-pulvinar neuronal interactions







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