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**Ty Cannon:** "Structural and functional connectivity in imaging genetics studies of schizophrenia.”

**Alessandro Bertolino:** “Genetically determined dopamine signaling and risk for schizophrenia”

**Charles Smith:** “Brain Image penetrance phenotyping in VCP disease an autosomal dominant cause of frontotemporal dementia”

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**Arthur Lander:** "From mouse to man: the glypican model and methods”

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