

2021 IBB World Championship Schedule

This does NOT include the 24-hour period for competitors to complete the Written, Neuroanatomy/Neurohistology, and Patient Diagnosis components.

Day	Event	DETAILS	US Central Time (Chicago)	Live Streaming Link	Academic Volunteers/Speakers					
Friday Nov 5	Opening Ceremony	Welcome National Champions, coordinators and guests. Introduce members of Planning Committee, IBB Staff, IBB Board members in attendance. Overview of WC schedule and events.	8:00 AM - 9:30 AM	https://go.thebrainbee.org/opening-ceremony	IBB Staff & Board					
	Opening Social	Ice-breaker and mix & mingle event for competitors.	9:30 AM - 10:00 AM	Closed Session	NA					
	Cultural Video Exchange	Showing of a compilation of 2-minute videos created by competitors featuring each represented country.	10:00 AM - 11:30 AM	Closed Session	NA					
	Career Panel	Presentation and Q&A with selected individuals that have different careers in neuroscience.	3:00 PM - 5:00 PM	https://go.thebrainbee.org/career-orientation	<table border="1"> <tr> <td>Garth A. Fowler, PhD (Host) IBB</td> <td>Julianne Mccall, PhD, California Governor's Office, USA</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Hannah Critlow, PhD, University of Cambridge, UK</td> <td>Ahmet Hoke, PhD, The Johns Hopkins University, USA</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Paula Croxson, PhD, Columbia University, USA</td> <td></td> </tr> </table>	Garth A. Fowler, PhD (Host) IBB	Julianne Mccall, PhD, California Governor's Office, USA	Hannah Critlow, PhD, University of Cambridge, UK	Ahmet Hoke, PhD, The Johns Hopkins University, USA	Paula Croxson, PhD, Columbia University, USA
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Saturday Nov 6	Team Competition	Competitors are assigned to small teams and given a specific prompt to address as a team. Teams have 30 minutes to develop a short 4-minutes presentation and a 1-minute period for follow-up Q&A. Judges will determine the winning presentation.	7:30 AM - 9:30 AM	Closed Session	Ionut Dumitru, PhD, IBB	Michael Burman, PhD, University of New England, USA				
					Garth A Fowler, PhD, IBB	Kaitlyn Casimo, PhD, Allen Institute, USA				
					Claire Sexton, DPhil, The Alzheimer's Association					
	Keynote 1	History of Neuroscience	9:30 AM - 10:30 AM	https://go.thebrainbee.org/keynote-1	Larry Swanson, PhD, University of Southern California, USA					
	Keynote 2	What is going on in the brain when older people start to lose memory and other brain functions	1:30 PM - 2:30 PM	https://go.thebrainbee.org/keynote-2	Lea Grinberg, MD, PhD, University of California - San Francisco					
Interactive Neuroscience Demonstration	The Allen Institute will host an interactive demonstration of their online tools and guide competitors through a short research activity.	6:00 PM - 7:00 PM	Closed Session	Kaitlyn Casimo, PhD, Allen Institute, USA						
Sunday Nov 7	Live Judging Session	Final competition Q&A - hosted as SfN Networking Session.	8:00 AM - 10:00 AM (Shift to US Standard Time)	https://go.thebrainbee.org/live-judging	Imre Vida, MD, PhD, Charite Institute, Germany	Paul Bolam, PhD, Oxford University, UK				
					Carol Mason, PhD, Columbia University	Charles Watson, PhD, Curtin University, Australia				
Monday Nov 8	Awards Ceremony	Recognition of 2020 & 2021 Champions, Presentation of IBB Neuroanatomy & Neurohistology Award and other prizes, closing remarks.	7:30 AM - 8:30 AM	https://go.thebrainbee.org/award-ceremony	IBB Staff, Board Members, & Sponsors					