

Friday 27th March, 4pm
Wallace Wurth LG03

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Brain cytokines and control of sympathetic nerve activity in hypertension and heart failure.



Song completed his PhD at Monash University investigating the role of purines in central control of the cardiovascular system. He moved to the UK in 2003 for his post-doctoral training in the Department of Clinical Sciences and the Bristol Heart Institute at the University of Bristol. He received a Wellcome Trust VIP Award in 2006 and a British Heart Foundation Basic Science Fellowship in 2007. In 2011, he returned to Australia and joined The Florey. He was awarded an ARC Future Fellowship in 2017 and is now head of the Neurovascular Biology Laboratory. His laboratory is currently

investigating the effects of neuroinflammation, blood-brain barrier disruption and central autonomic dysfunction in animal models of hypertension and heart failure.

All welcome. Drinks and snacks from 3:30pm, seminar starts, 4pm.

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