

## A Weekly Update for FAU Jupiter Faculty & Staff

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## Graduate Neuroscience Training Program (GNTP)'s First Class Commences

The first class of the Graduate Neuroscience Training Program (GNTP) commenced this Fall. GNTP unites scientists, educators and students from three FAU Ph.D. programs; Integrative Biology-Neuroscience (IB-NS), Complex Systems and Brain Sciences (CSBS), Experimental Psychology (XPSY), and from two internationally-recognized research institutes (the Max Planck Florida Institute for Neuroscience and the Scripps Research Institute), into a one of a kind training opportunity for those at the beginning stages of their neuroscientific careers.

"I am very excited to be part of the first class for the GNTP and for having the chance to work with amazing people doing interesting research," said student Alexandra Paz. "The Brain Institute as a whole is growing and the GNTP is a big part of that."

All students in the program receive nationally-competitive stipends that include guaranteed research and teaching assistantships, support for health insurance, relocation support and opportunities for research and travel grants. They also receive free membership to the Society for Neuroscience to allow them to make connections nationally and internationally with peer trainees and more senior scientists from around the world.