

France-Germany Joint workshop

15-16 April 2025, Munich

French-German Consortium

Max Planck Institute, Munich, Germany

Preliminary Programme

April 15th (14:00-17:00)

Introduction: Representative of the Higher education, research, innovation dept of the French Embassy

Chair: Elisabeth Binder (Germany)

14:00-14:30 Challenge for the future: how to better leverage knowledge towards progress in psychiatry?

Why did we fail so far? Marion Leboyer (Fr)

How are we going to succeed now? Elisabeth Binder (Ger)

Connecting across fields and across academia and industry

14:30-16:00 French-German future Research projects

Urbanicity, Pollution, climate changes and impact on mental disorders

Baptiste Pignon(Fr) and Andreas Meyer-Lindenberg(Ger)

Discussion with Academia, startups and industry

Infections and mental disorders

Marion Leboyer (Fr) and Hans Steiner (Ger)

Discussion with Academia, startups and industry

Artificial Intelligence applied to mental health

Gregorio Ameyugo (Fr) and Reinhard Heckel(Ger)

Discussion with Academia, startups and industry

16:30- 17:30 Group discussion towards building French-German projects

18:00 – 21:00 Cocktail with policy makers and funders : presentation of the French German consortium road map at the Institut Français, Munich

April 16th (9:30-15:00)

Chair Peter Falkai (Ger)

9:30 – 10h30 State of the Art in Germany & France –

French Network of Expert Centres: Marion Leboyer (France)

German Network of Centres of Excellence: Andreas Meyer-Lindenberg (Germany)

Mapping French and German cohorts: Federico Cevoli (France)

French-German first episode mental disorders network: Peter Falkai (Germany)

Building the consortium

11:00- 12:00 Common denominators in future cohorts between France and Germany

Clinical: Ophélie Godin (Fr) and Michael Rapp (Ger)

Biomarkers: Boris Chaumette (FR) and Elisabeth Binder (Ger)

Brain Imaging: Charles Laidi (FR) and Martin Walter (Ger)

Data bases: Umar Saleem (Fr) and Nikos Koutsouleris (Ger)

Lunch

Chair Marion Leboyer (Fr)

Future steps and summary