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Collaboration agreement for SFB1089 project C01: Network alterations between hippocampus, entorhinal and prefrontal cortex contributing to spatial working memory impairment under AD-like conditions.

Dear Stefanie.

This collaboration agreement constitutes our future collaboration on our joint project "Network alterations between hippocampus, entorhinal and prefrontal cortex contributing to spatial working memory impairment under AD-like condition" that we have applied for within the SFB1089 Synaptic Micronetworks in Health and Disease.

In case this project will be funded, we agree on that you will be primarily responsible for supervising the project as well as the two PhD-students, we applied for. You will further manage the budget. I will be there to assist and consult you whenever you feel this would be necessary. We further agree upon that any publication resulting from the project will be a shared last authorship, with you as the last and myself as the second last author. The PhD-students will be first authors or share the first authorship on any publication resulting from the project, depending on project contribution. Finally, it is clear that this project should allow you to develop your scientific independence. This implies that once you apply for independent positions and you will decide to develop this project further, this can be done without further interacting with me. Hence, I would not plan similar projects in the lab so that you can fully develop your own career.

I am very much looking forward to working together with you.

Sincerely.

Martin Fuhrmann

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