

# ATSUKI HIRAMOTO

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## EDUCATION

*April 2017 – current*

### **Ph.D. program**

Department of Complexity Science and Engineering, Graduate School of Frontier Sciences, The University of Tokyo  
Laboratory of Dr. Akinao Nose

*March 2017*

### **Master of Science**

Department of Complexity Science and Engineering, Graduate School of Frontier Sciences, The University of Tokyo  
Laboratory of Dr. Akinao Nose

*March 2015*

### **Bachelor of Engineering**

Undergraduate Course Program of Environmental Engineering, Faculty of Engineering, Kyoto University  
Laboratory of Dr. Yuzuru Matsuoka

## RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

*April 2015 – current*

**Department of Complexity Science and Engineering, Graduate School of Frontier Sciences,  
The University of Tokyo**

Dr. Akinao Nose, Principal Investigator

Research Project: A behavior specific neural circuit that regulate and generate muscular relaxation pattern in *Drosophila* larvae

During my Ph.D., I have found that pattern of muscular relaxation in *Drosophila* larval backward escape locomotion is regulated and generated by segmentally repeated ascending cholinergic interneurons that is input from command neurons and output inhibitory pre-motor neurons.

Techniques included: optogenetics, calcium imaging, behavior assay, EM circuit mapping, signal analysis, image analysis

*October – December 2016*

**HHMI Janelia Research Campus**

Dr. Albert Cardona, Group Leader

Research Project: Characterizing neural circuits that induce backward locomotion

Techniques included: EM circuit mapping

*April 2014 - March 2015*

**Undergraduate Course Program of Environmental Engineering, Faculty of Engineering,  
Kyoto University**

Dr. Yuzuru Matsuoka, Principal Investigator

Research Project: A comparison of air pollutant from a global chemical transport model and  
satellite data

Techniques included: computer simulation

**TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

*September 2019 - February 2019*

Department of Complexity Science and Engineering, Graduate School of Frontier Sciences, The  
University of Tokyo

Teaching assistant

*April - July 2019*

Department of Complexity Science and Engineering, Graduate School of Frontier Sciences, The  
University of Tokyo

Teaching assistant

*June - August 2018*

Department of Complexity Science and Engineering, Graduate School of Frontier Sciences, The  
University of Tokyo

Tutor

*April - July 2018*

Department of Complexity Science and Engineering, Graduate School of Frontier Sciences, The  
University of Tokyo

Teaching assistant

*September 2017 - April 2018*

Department of Complexity Science and Engineering, Graduate School of Frontier Sciences, The  
University of Tokyo

Tutor

**FELLOWSHIP**

Academic Research Grant for GSFS Doctor Course Students

*June - November 2019*

Academic Research Grant for GSFS Doctor Course Students

*June - November 2018*

Academic Research Grant for GSFS Doctor Course Students

*June - November 2017*

## AWARDS

Travel award to attend The 42nd Annual Meeting of the Japan Neuroscience Society

*2019*

Repayment Exemption for Students with Excellent Grades, Japan Student Services Organization (JASSO) Type I (interest-free) scholarship.

*2017*

## PUBLICATIONS

Atsuki Hiramoto, Gakuji Kurata, Yuzuru Matsuoka

“全球化学輸送モデルによる大気汚染物質濃度の再現と衛星データとの比較(A comparison of air pollutant from a global chemical transport model and satellite data)”

京都大学環境衛生工学会研究会機関誌 **29**(3): 114-117, Jul. 10<sup>th</sup>, 2015

## PRESENTATION

Oral presentation

*July 25<sup>th</sup>, Niigata (Japan)*

**The 42nd Annual Meeting of the Japan Neuroscience Society**

Atsuki Hiramoto, Julius Jonaitis, Sawako Niki, Richard Fetter, Albert Cardona, Stefan Pulver, Akinao Nose

“A neural circuit that orchestrates muscle relaxation in an escape behavior”

Poster presentation

*July 26<sup>th</sup> – 29<sup>th</sup>, Kobe (Japan)*

**The 41st Annual Meeting of the Japan Neuroscience Society**

Atsuki Hiramoto, Julius Jonaitis, Sawako Niki, Richard Fetter, Albert Cardona, Stefan Pulver, Akinao Nose

“Identification of a neuronal circuit that can elicit backward locomotion in Drosophila larvae”

*July 20<sup>th</sup> – 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2017, Makuhari (Japan)*

**The 40th Annual Meeting of the Japan Neuroscience Society**

Atsuki Hiramoto, Julius Jonaitis, Sawako Niki, Richard Fetter, Albert Cardona, Stefan Pulver, Akinao Nose

“Identification of neuronal circuitry that regulate backward escape behavior in *Drosophila* larvae”

*October 23<sup>rd</sup> – 26<sup>th</sup>, 2016, HHMI Janelia Research Campus (USA)*

**Janelia conference: “Behavioral Neurogenetics of *Drosophila* Larva”**

Atsuki Hiramoto, Sawako Niki, Dohjin Miyamoto, Akinao Nose

“Identification of interneurons that induce backward escape behavior in *Drosophila* larvae”

*July 20<sup>th</sup> – 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2016, Yokohama*

**The 39th Annual Meeting of the Japan Neuroscience Society**

Atsuki Hiramoto, Sawako Niki, Dohjin Miyamoto, Akinao Nose

“Identification of interneurons that induce backward escape behavior in *Drosophila* larvae”