

*Brain Research Through Advancing Innovative Neurotechnologies® Initiative*

# Multi-Council Working Group Meeting

Virtual Agenda – Tuesday, August 29, 2023

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- 12:00 pm** Welcome  
Dr. Susan Weiss, Multi-Council Working Group (MCWG) Designated Federal Official
- 12:05 pm** NIH BRAIN Update  
Dr. John Ngai, NIH BRAIN Initiative Director
- 12:50 pm** BRAIN Neuroethics Working Group (NEWG) Updates  
Dr. Christine Grady, NEWG Co-Chair
- 1:00pm** Update from the National Science Foundation (NSF)  
Dr. Floh Thiels, NSF Program Director
- 1:30 pm** New Concept: Transformative Discovery to Resolve the Heterogeneity of Brain Cells through Non-Invasive Imaging  
Dr. Shumin Wang, NIH Program Director
- 2:00 pm** Break and Transition to Closed Session for Discussion of FY23 Payplans
- 2:30 pm** Closed Session Begins for MCWG/NEWG Members and Federal Staff
- 4:30 pm** Adjourn