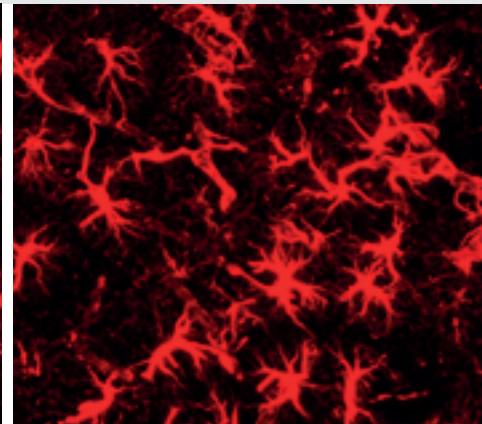
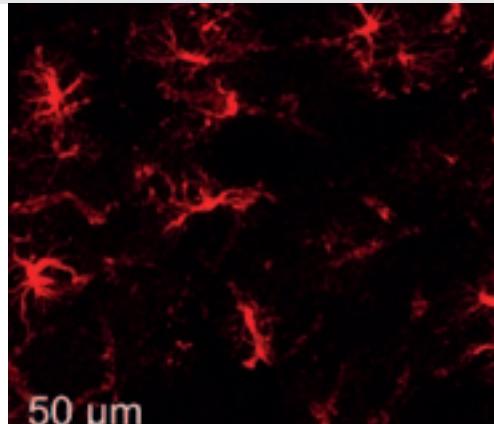
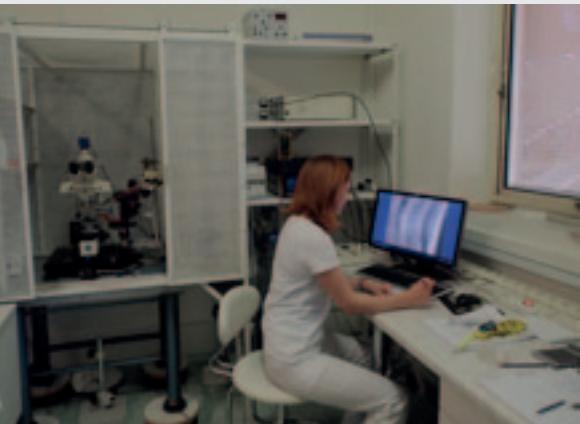




DEPARTMENT OF NEUROSCIENCE

Diffusion Studies and Cell Therapy



ABOUT US

Research is focused on:

1. the changes in the extracellular space diffusion parameters, extrasynaptic (volume) transmission and neuron-glia interaction during physiological and pathological states
2. stem cells and biomaterials in regenerative medicine.

The research is performed on animal models of pathological states, e. g. models global and focal ischemia, Alzheimer's disease, Huntington's disease, tumors, epilepsy, developmental disorders, aging, and brain and spinal cord injury.

The department is equipped with high technically advanced electrophysiological setups allowing measurements of various biopotentials, extracellular ion concentrations and the extracellular space diffusion parameters by a unique real-time iontophoretic method. It posses also several fluorescent microscopes for histological evaluation of samples and image analysis, including a new digital inverted fluorescence microscope EVOS.

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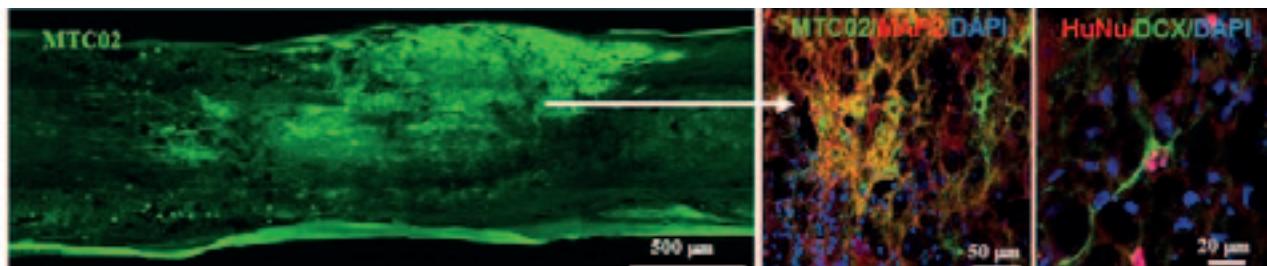
WE OFFER

- Measurement of ion concentrations and the extracellular volume and tortuosity *in situ* and *in vivo* using ion-selective microelectrodes
- Measurements of biopotentials in the living tissue
- Fluorescence microscopy of cell cultures and tissue samples
- Image analysis including 3D morphometry

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