

Bio-sketch

Lars Schwabe is a Full-Professor of Psychology at the University of Hamburg, Germany. He obtained his Diploma in Psychology from the University of Greifswald. In 2008, he earned a PhD in Psychobiology from the University of Trier. As part of his PhD project, he worked also at the University of Leiden. After his PhD, he did a post-doc at Ruhr-University Bochum and McGill University. He spent a year as visiting professor at Heinrich-Heine-University Duesseldorf, and as a Heisenberg scholar at Ruhr-University Bochum, before he became Professor at Hamburg University. Lars is author of more than 100 peer-reviewed publications in leading neuroscience and psychology journals. He won several large scale grants and received several scientific awards, including the EBBS Young Investigator Award in 2011 and the FENS-EJN Young Investigator Award in 2016. Furthermore, he was selected as a founding member of the FENS-Kavli Network of Excellence and is currently acting as member of the program committee for the FENS-FORUM 2020.

The research of Lars focusses on the impact of stress on cognition and the dynamics of memory. At the intersection of psychology, neuroscience, and endocrinology, he combines behavioral experiments with neuroimaging techniques and pharmacological manipulations, mainly in humans but he has also experience in rodent studies. Lars has been EBBS member since 2007 and has been feeling a strong sense of belonging to EBBS ever since. As member of the EBBS executive committee of EBBS, Lars would aim to further promote translational research through EBBS and to be a voice for early-career researchers in EBBS.