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In Person Seminar: The Meaning of Dopamine

According to a popular hypothesis, phasic dopamine (DA) activity encodes a reward prediction error (RPE) necessary for reinforcement learning. However, recent work showed that DA neurons are necessary for performance rather than learning. In this talk Dr. Yin will review recent evidence against the RPE hypothesis and consider an alternative model of DA function.

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