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Title:

Associate Professor

Education:

PhD in Developmental Genetics, University of Geneva, Switzerland

Previous service to ARO:

Travel award committee, 2020-2022

Research interests:

Inner ear development, hair cell differentiation, hair bundle morphogenesis and maintenance, cytoskeleton polarity, mouse models of hearing and vestibular disorders

Other interests:

Music - jazz, improvised, upright bass-, film photography, individual sports

Statement of motivation

ARO has been my scientific home since I first attended the MidWinter Meeting in 2015, and I haven't missed one since. It is the professional community I value most, and I've appreciated opportunities to contribute—most recently through the Travel Award Committee. I am honored to be considered for the Nominating Committee and would welcome the chance to help shape the future of ARO by supporting a diverse and engaged slate of candidates. My own research focuses on hair cell development and polarity, and work in my lab has benefited tremendously from the collaborative, interdisciplinary spirit of ARO. I would be excited to bring that perspective to the nominating process and help ensure the organization continues to thrive and evolve.