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Neuromodulation: From Scientific
Theory to Revolutionary Therapy

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courtesy Gregoire Courtine

NEUROSTIMULACÍ
FACILITOVAŇ
REHABILITACE PRO
OBNOVU
MOTORICKÝCH FUNKCÍ
DONÍCH KONČETIN

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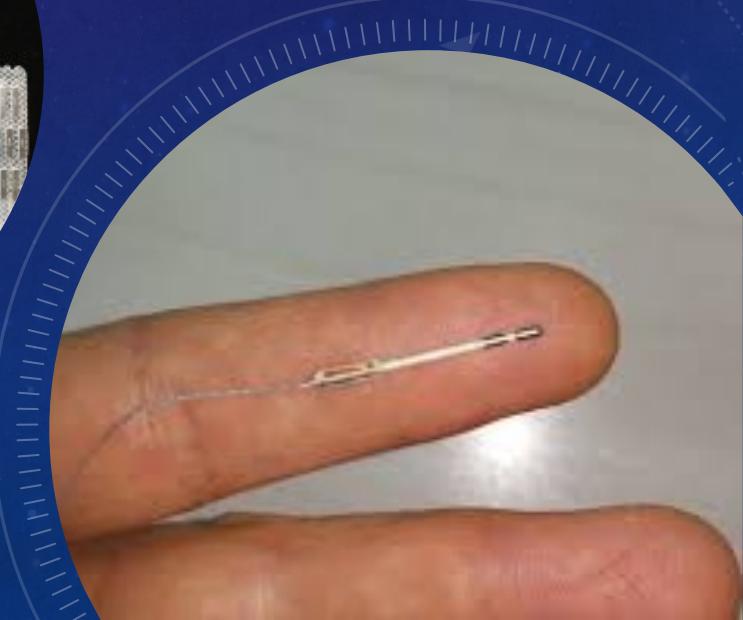
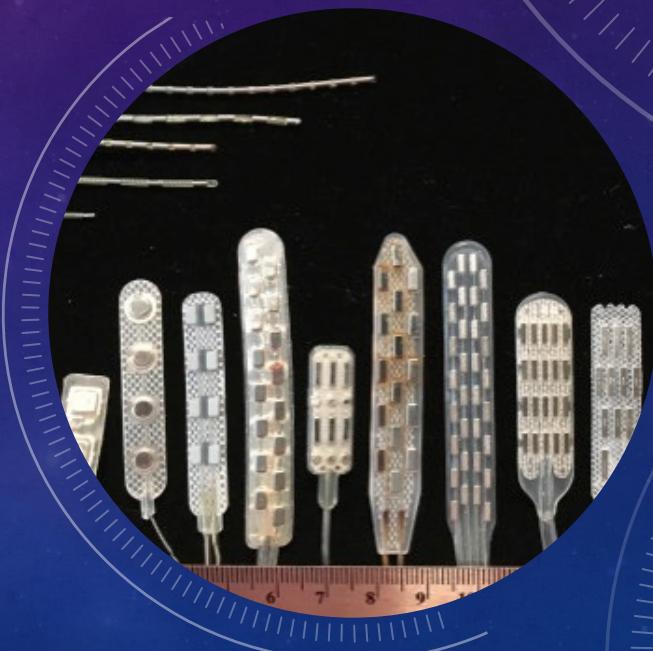


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MOTORIKA PŘED OPERACÍ

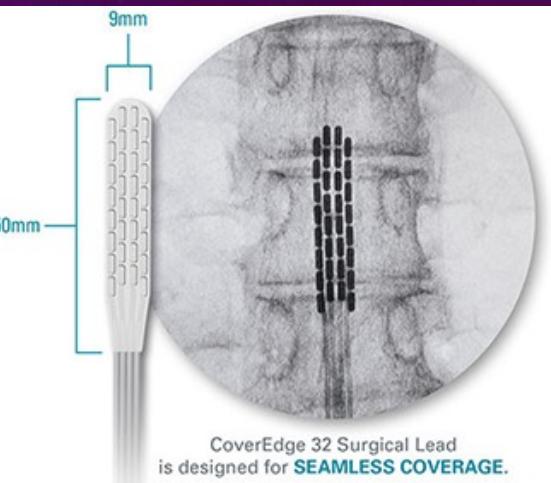
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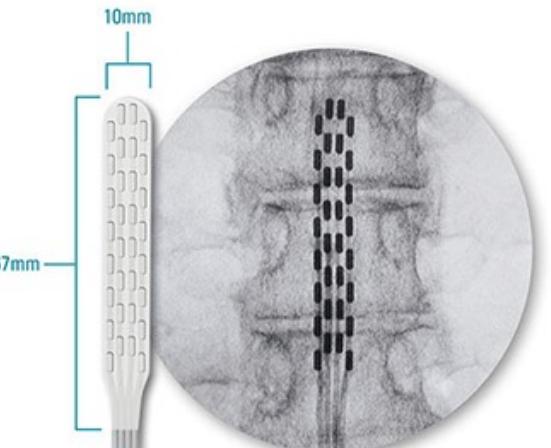
Unrivaled Percutaneous Lead Options

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Linear™ ST w/ D4 Splitter	Linear 3-4 w/ D4 Splitter	Linear 3-6 w/ D4 Splitter	Linear	Linear ST	Linear ST w/ W4 Splitter	Linear 3-4 w/ W4 Splitter	Linear 3-4	Linear 3-6 w/ W4 Splitter	Linear 3-6	Infinion™ 16
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CoverEdge 32 Surgical Lead is designed for **SEAMLESS COVERAGE**.



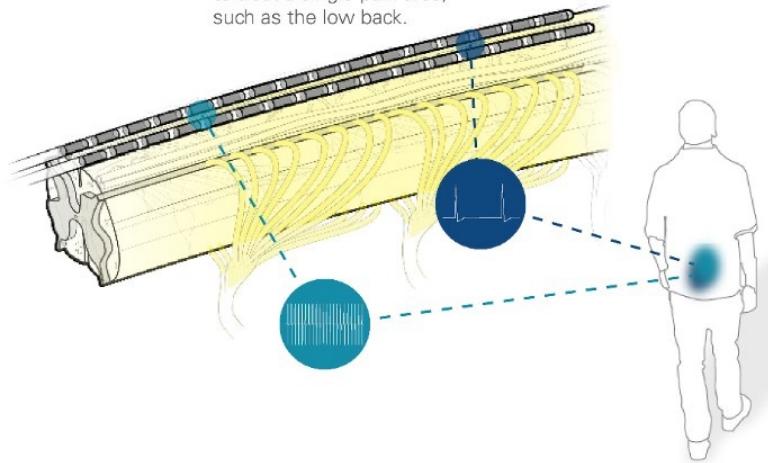
CoverEdge X 32 Surgical Lead offers **UNMATCHED VERTEBRAL SPAN**.



Lead Options

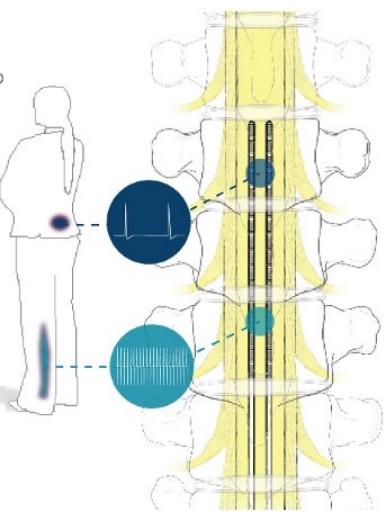
Multiple Therapies, One Pain Area

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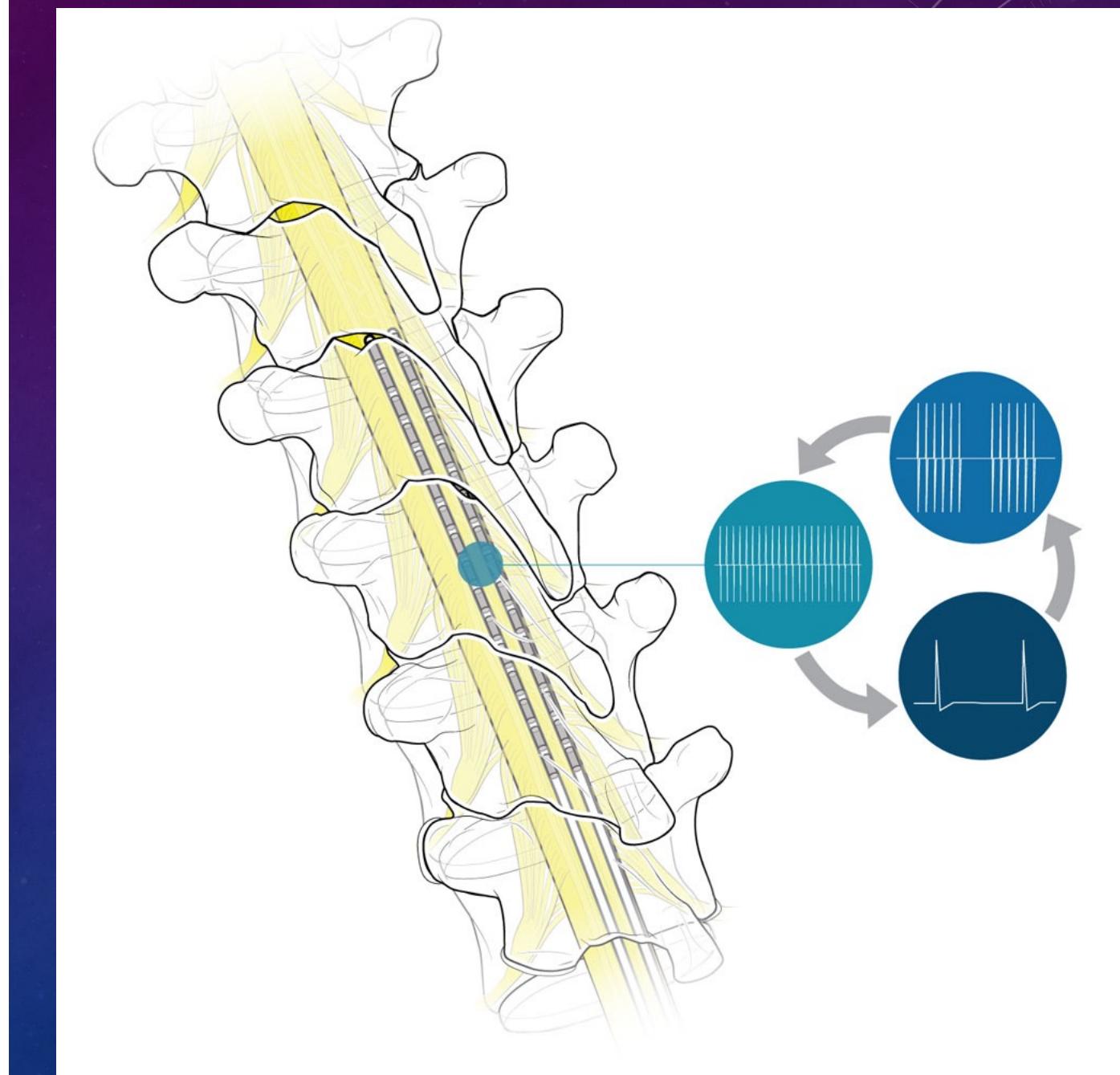
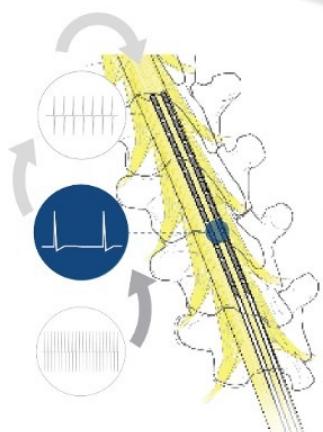
Multiple Therapies, Multiple Pain Areas

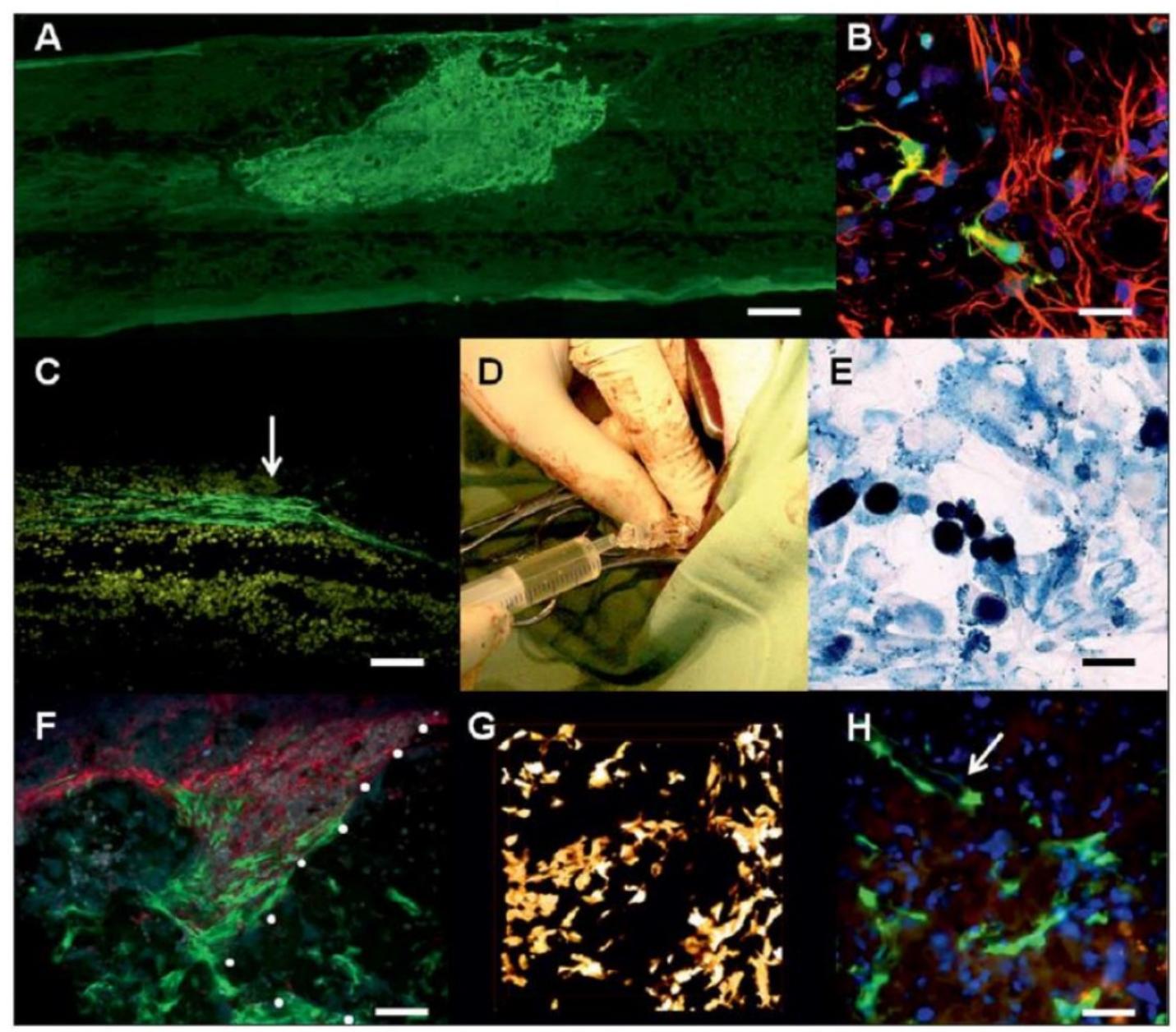
Multiple therapies can also be utilized simultaneously to treat multiple pain areas, such as the low back and leg.



Multiple Therapies, Sequentially

Multiple therapies can be utilized sequentially, which may address habituation.





Obr. 4. Různé typy kmenových buněk po experimentální aplikaci do poranění míchy.

and nerves that sends and receives signals

STIMULAČNÍ TERAPIE

INDIVIDUALS WITH SPINAL CORD INJURY (SCI) CAN FACE DECADES WITH PERMANENT DISABILITIES. **ADVANCES IN CLINICAL MANAGEMENT HAVE DECREASED MORBIDITY AND IMPROVED OUTCOMES.**

NO RANDOMIZED CLINICAL TRIAL HAS DEMONSTRATED THE EFFICACY OF A REPAIR STRATEGY FOR IMPROVING RECOVERY FROM SCI.

HERE, WE SUMMARIZE RECENT ADVANCES IN BIOLOGICAL ENGINEERING STRATEGIES TO AUGMENT NEUROPLASTICITY AND/OR FUNCTIONAL RECOVERY OF SCI THAT ARE PUSHING TOWARD CLINICAL TRANSLATION.

(GREGOIRE COURTINE, 2018)



TARGETED NEUROTECHNOLOGY RESTORES WALKING IN HUMANS WITH SPINAL CORD INJURY

Spinal cord injury leads to **severe locomotor deficits** or even complete leg paralysis.

Here we introduce targeted spinal cord stimulation neurotechnologies that enabled voluntary control of walking in individuals who had sustained a spinal cord injury more than four years ago and presented with permanent motor deficits or complete paralysis despite extensive rehabilitation.

Within one week, this spatiotemporal stimulation had re-established adaptive control of paralysed muscles during overground walking.

After a few months, participants regained voluntary control over previously paralysed muscles even without stimulation and could walk.

These results establish a technological framework for improving neurological recovery and supporting the activities of daily living after spinal cord injury.

Wagner, F.B., Mignardot, J.B., Le Goff-Mignardot, C.G. *et al.* Targeted neurotechnology restores walking in humans with spinal cord injury. *Nature* **563**, 65–71 (2018). <https://doi.org/10.1038/s41586-018-0649-2>

Article | [Published: 07 February 2022](#)

Activity-dependent spinal cord neuromodulation rapidly restores trunk and leg motor functions after complete paralysis

[Andreas Rowald](#), [Salif Komi](#), ... [Grégoire Courtine](#) 

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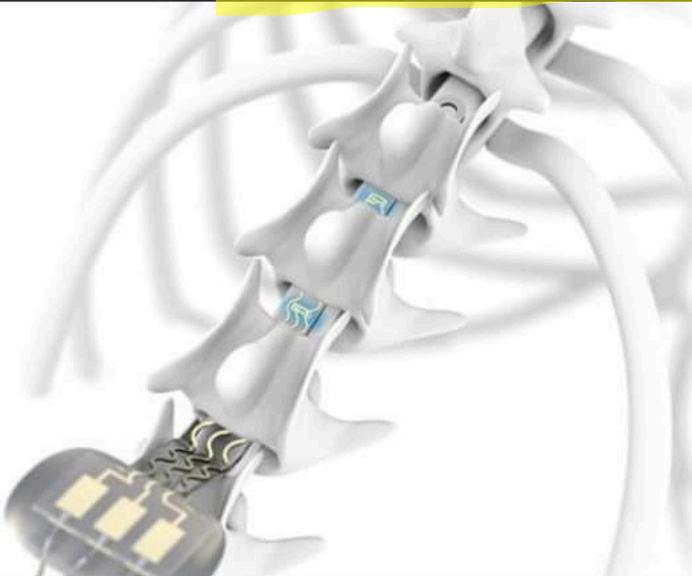


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Nature Medicine has published about clinical research in Switzerland on restoring voluntary leg movement after spinal cord injury in three patients with [#paraplegia](#). The brief article here explains the specialized [#spinalcordstimulation](#) technology and has links to the announcement and interviews by the researchers -- who will be giving a plenary lecture May 24 at [#INS2022](#).



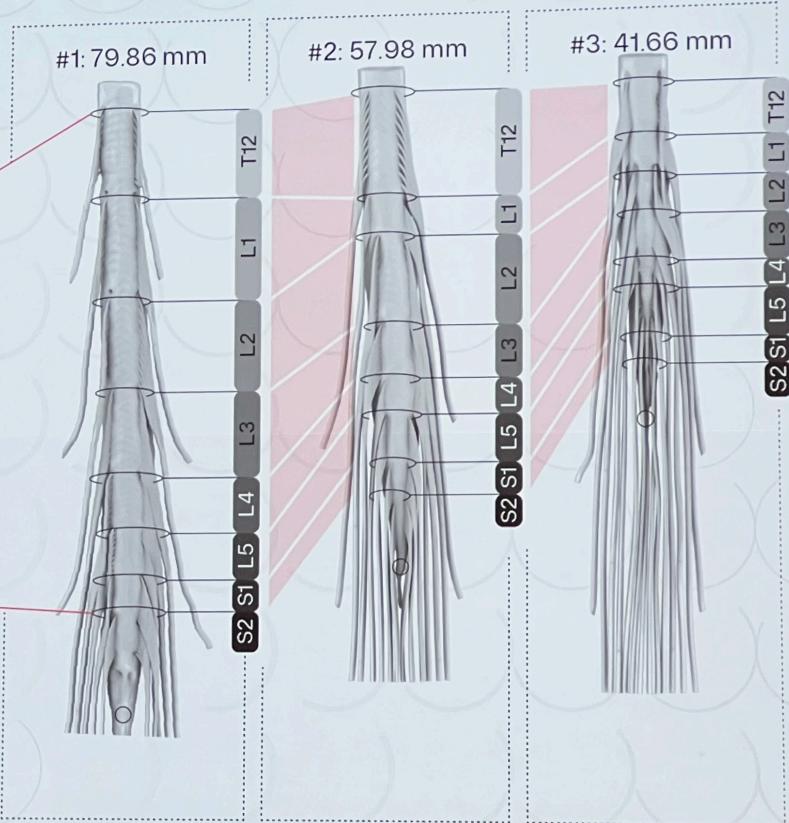
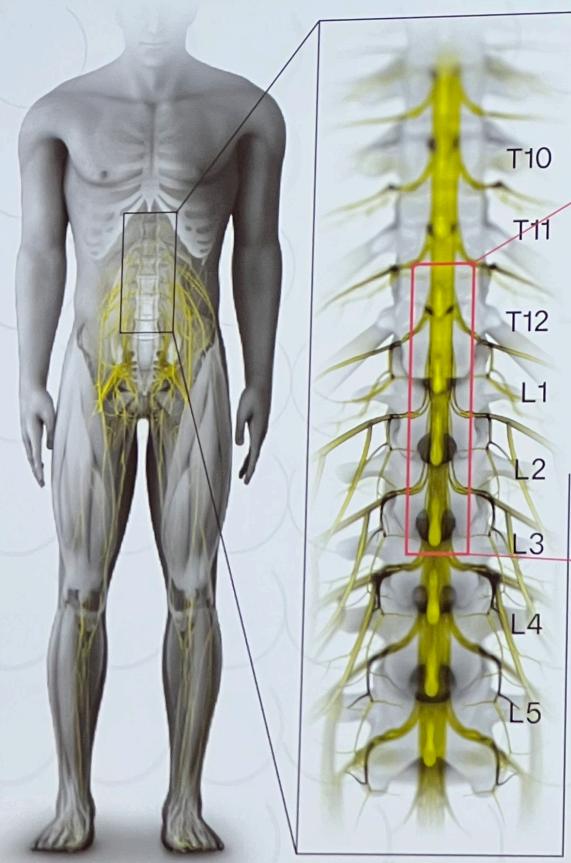
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Paralyzed patients walk, swim and cycle with spinal cord neuromodulation implant - Medical Design and Outsour...



variability of human spinal cord anatomy

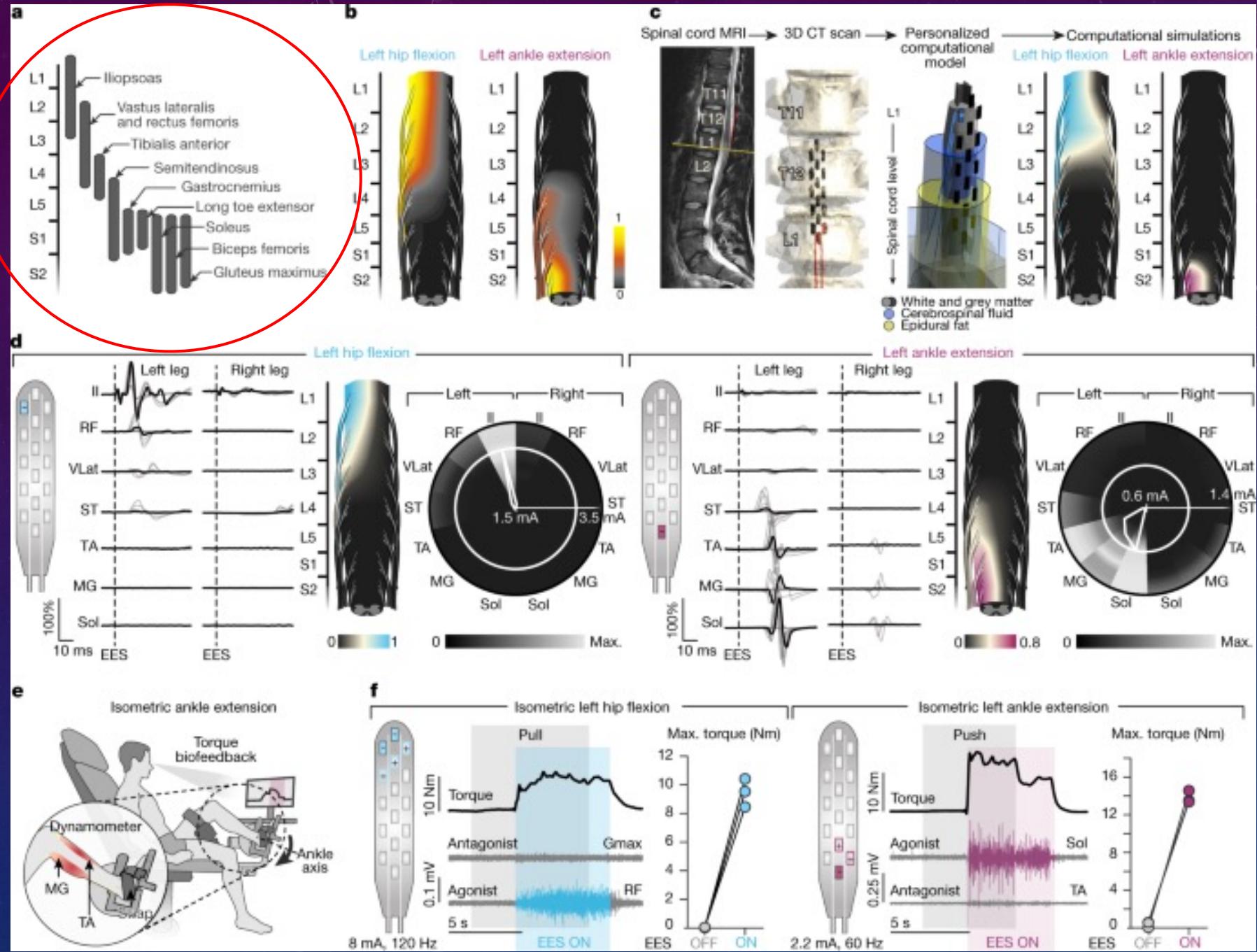


Dorsal root entry zones

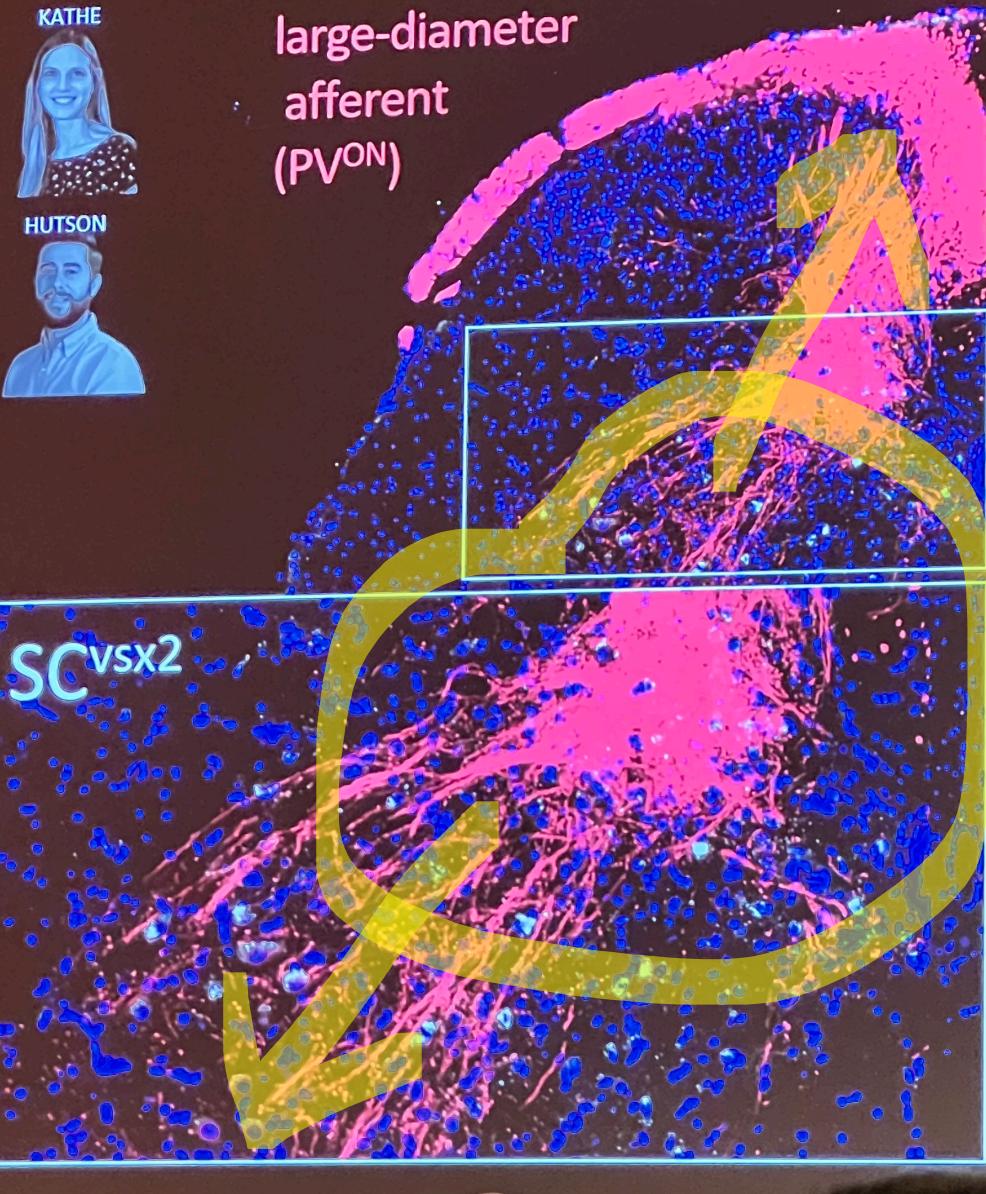
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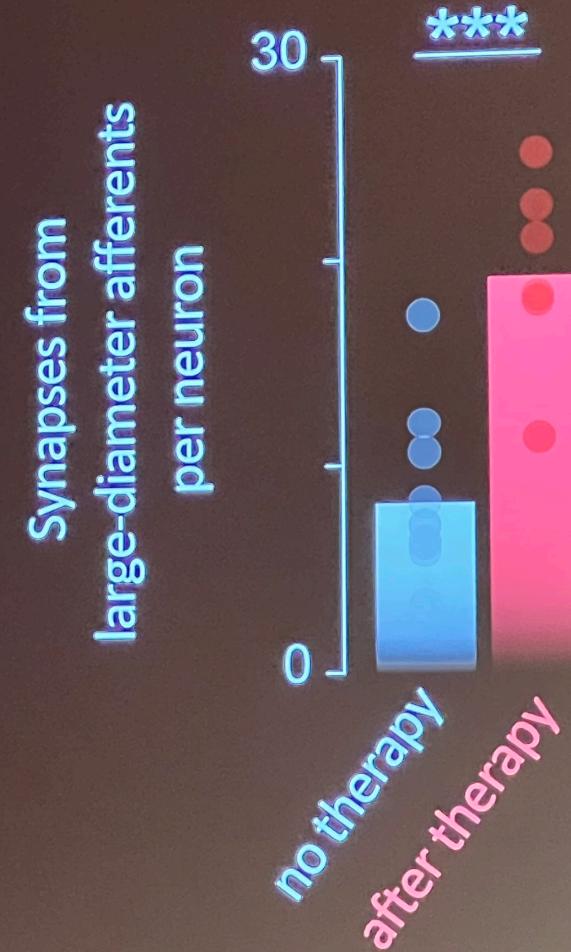




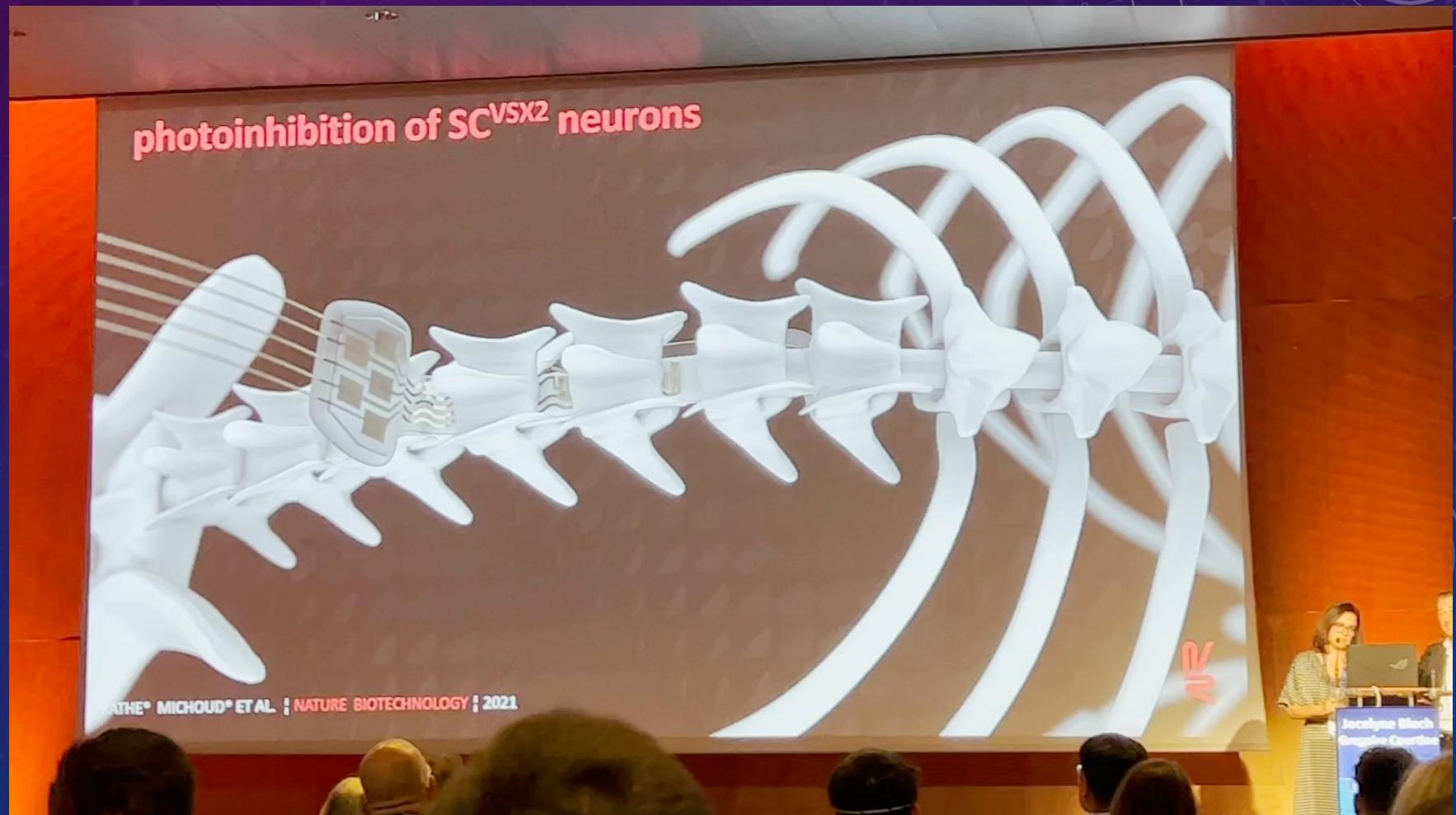
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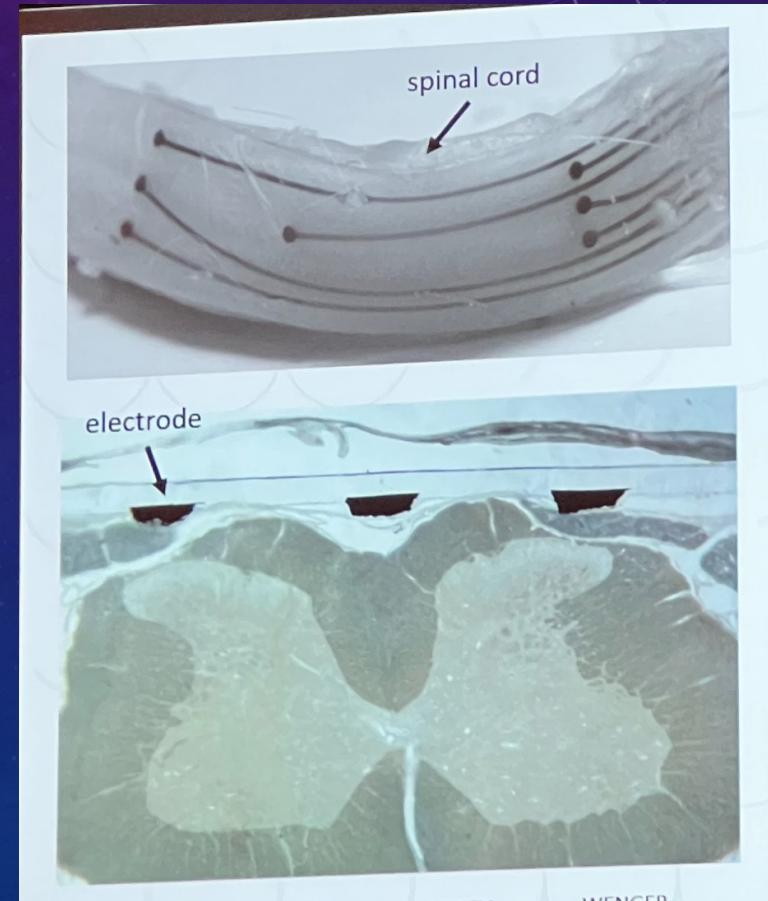
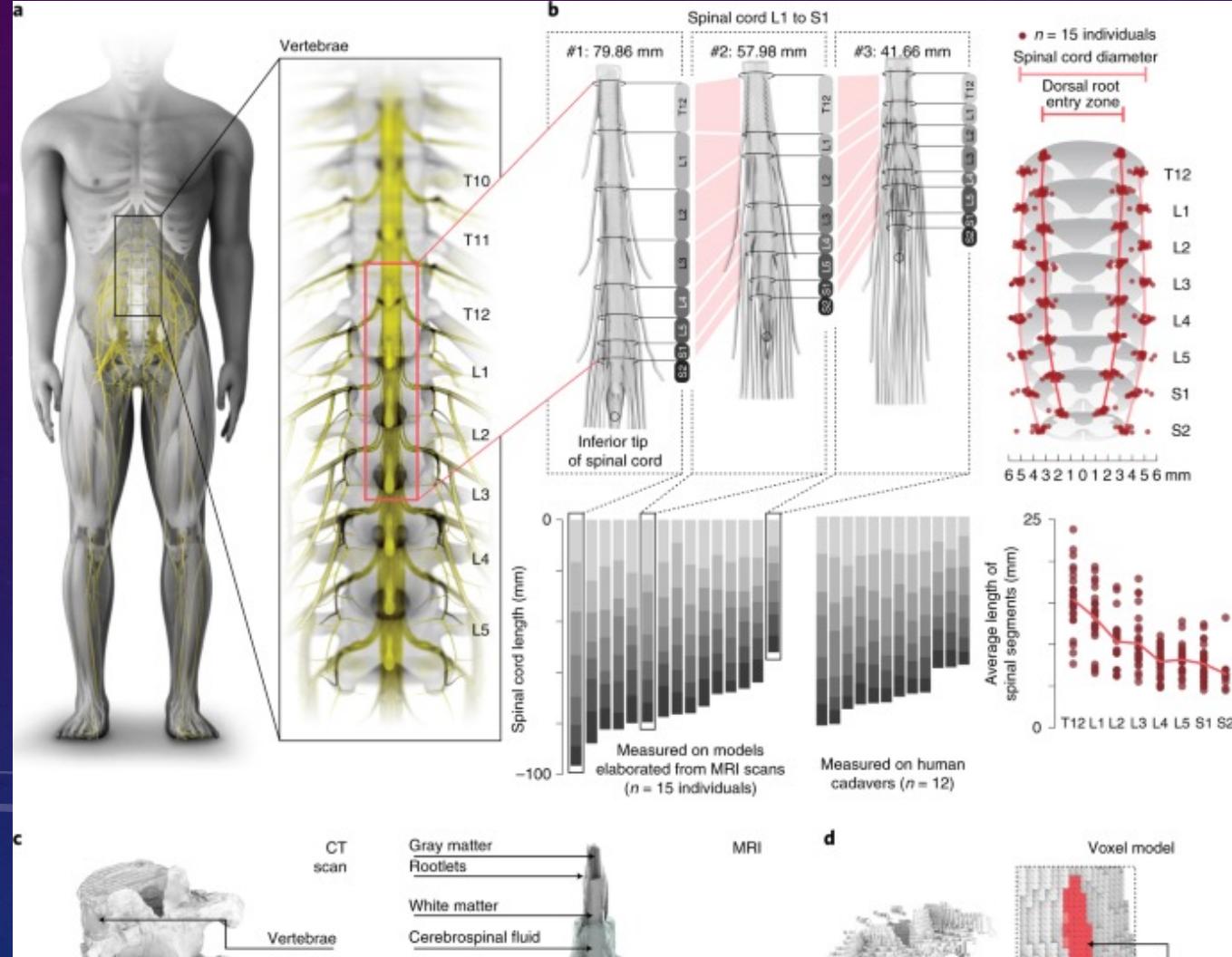
the neurons that restore walking

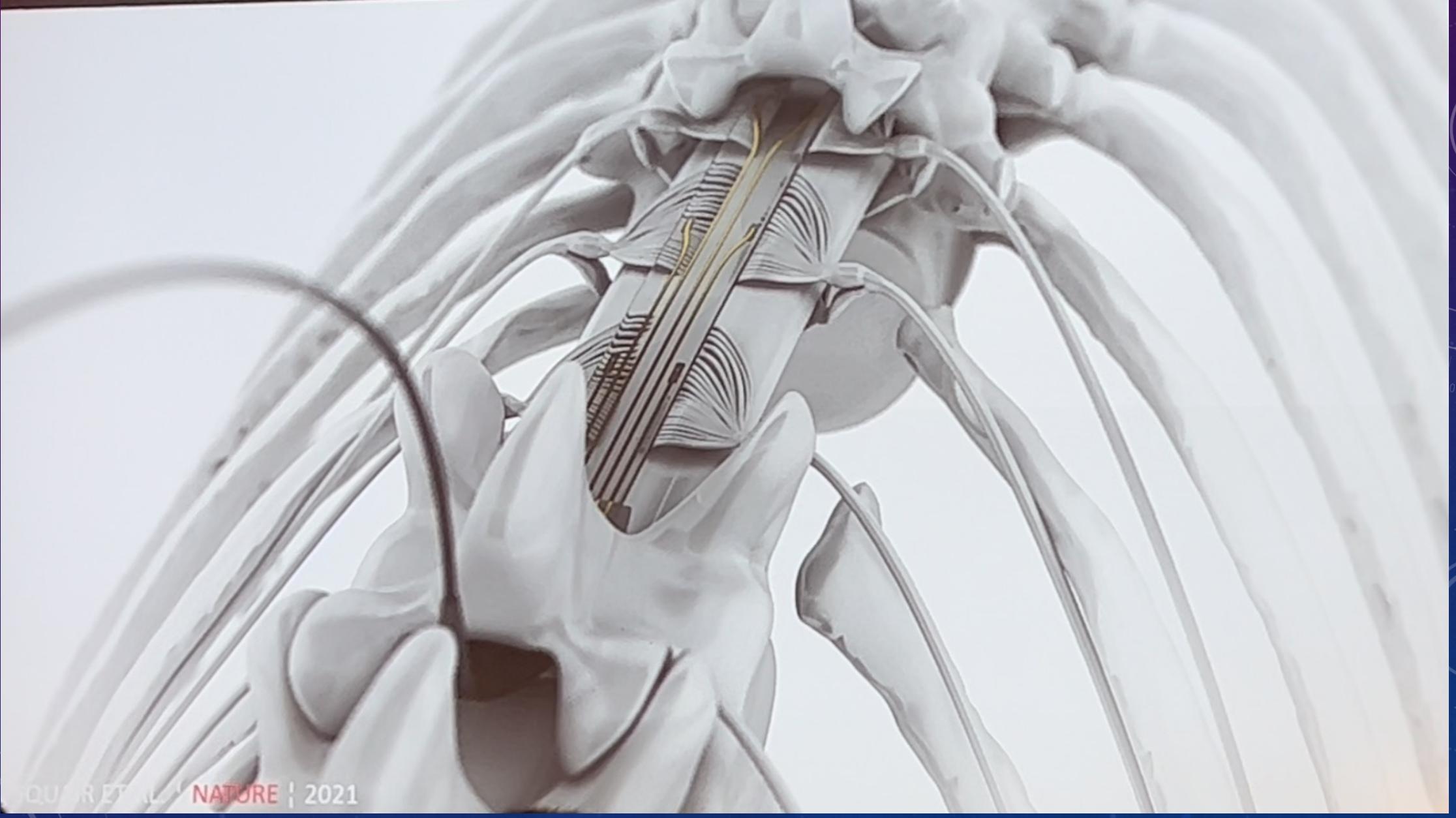


FLUORESCENČNÍ INHIBICE SC^{VSX2} INTERNEURONŮ BĚHEM EES



SPECIÁLNÍ ÚČEL VYŽADUJE SPECIÁLNÍ TECHNOLOGII





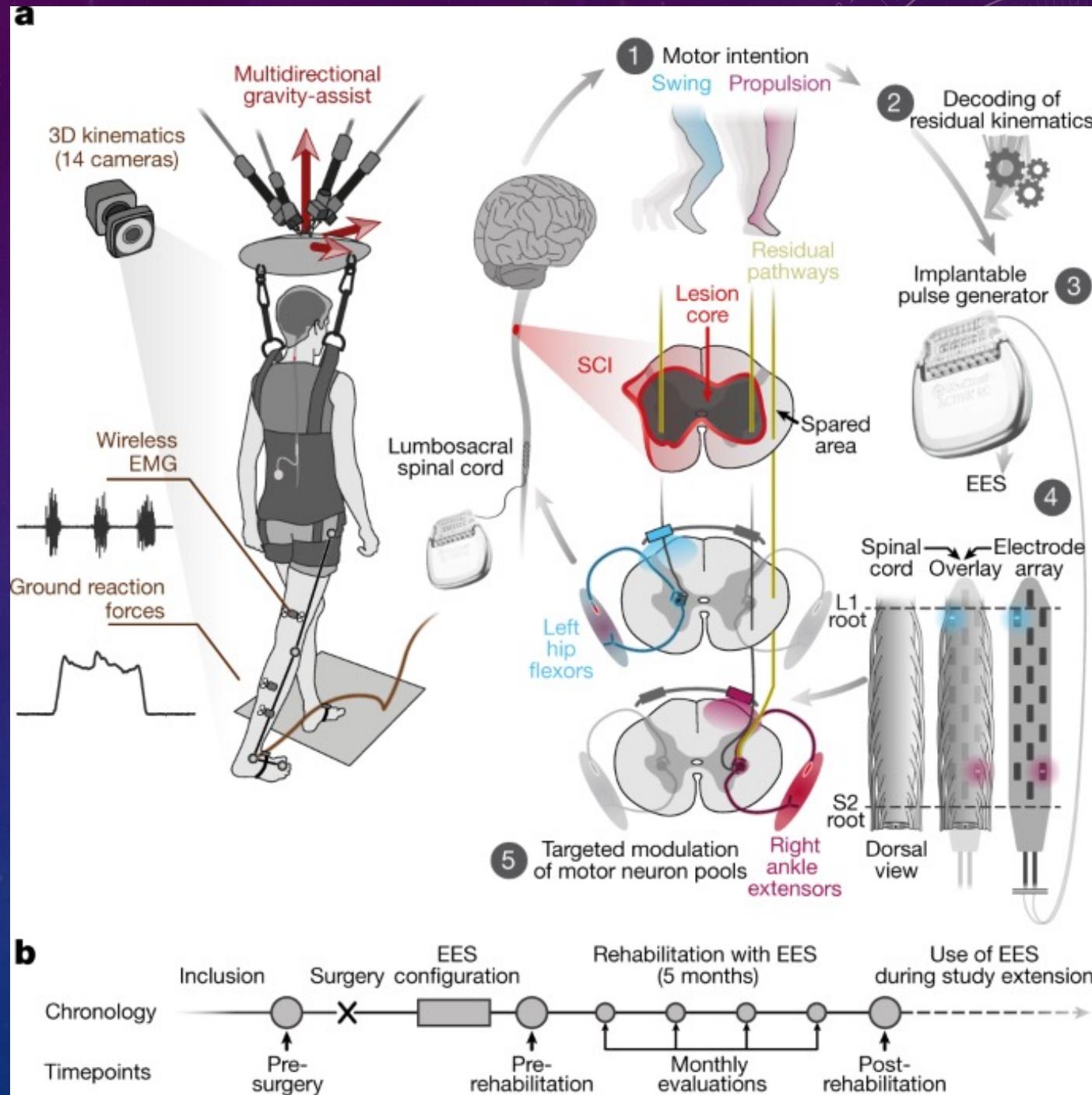
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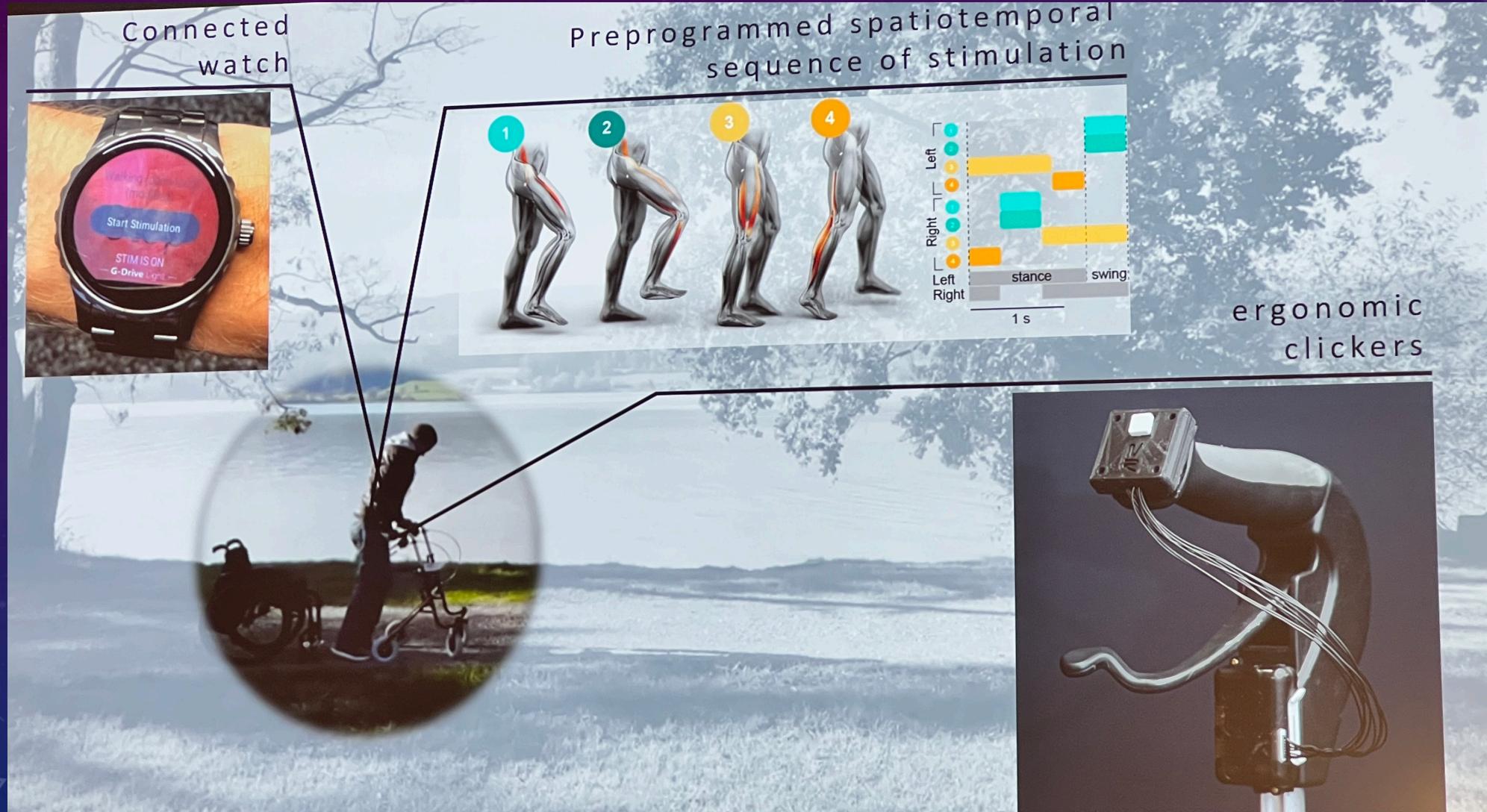
STIMULATION ON



OPEN LOOP INTERFACE



PROGRAMMING SPATIOTEMPORAL SPECIFIC EES

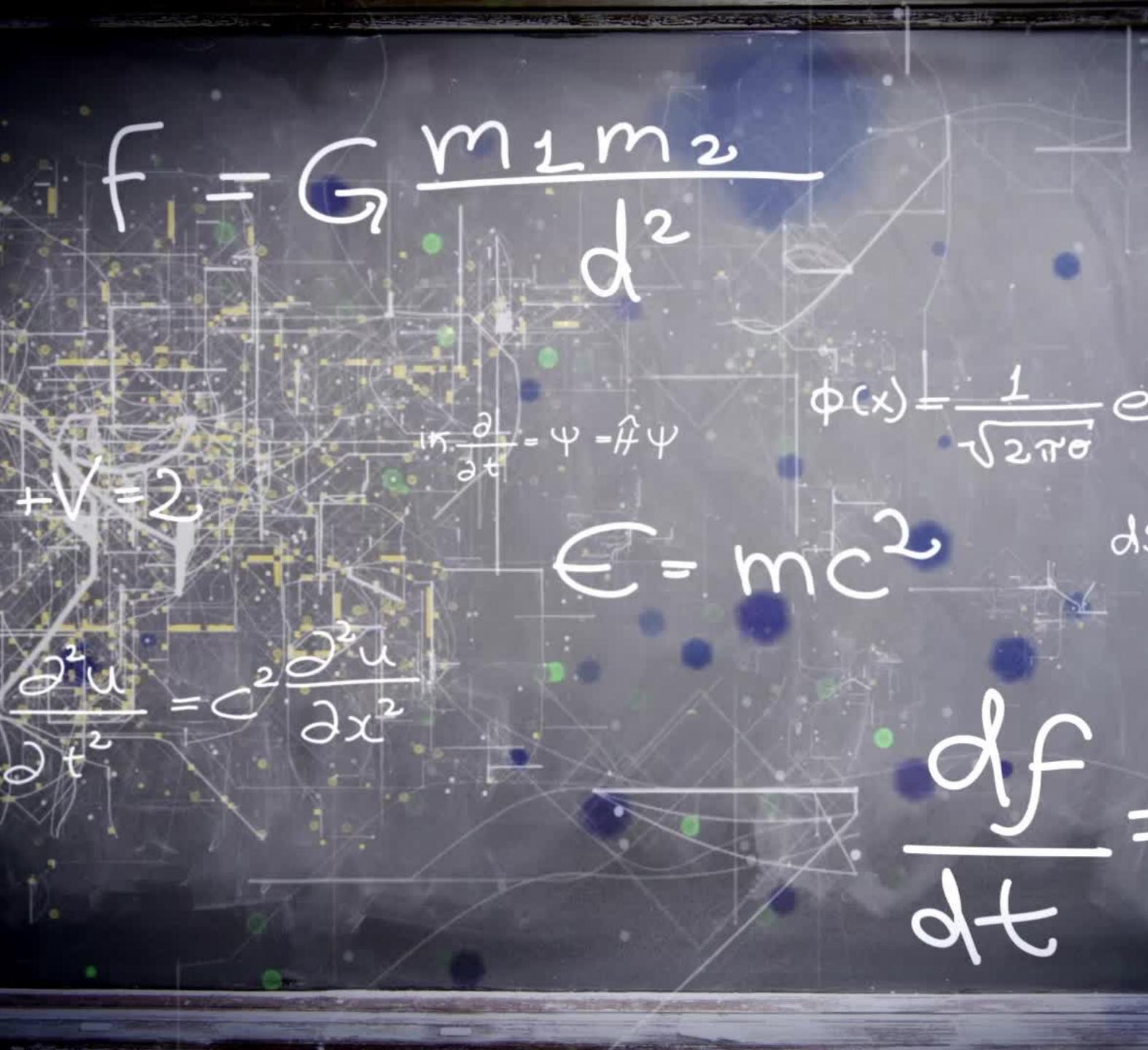


PŘÍTUPY K REŽIMŮM STIMULACE

KONTINUÁLNÍ ES
(INTENTIONAL MODULATION)

SPATIOTEMPORÁLNÍ ES
SEKVENČNÍ „BIOMIMETICKÁ“

- OPEN LOOP REŽIMY
- CLOSED LOOP REŽIM
(BRAIN- SPINE INTERFACE)





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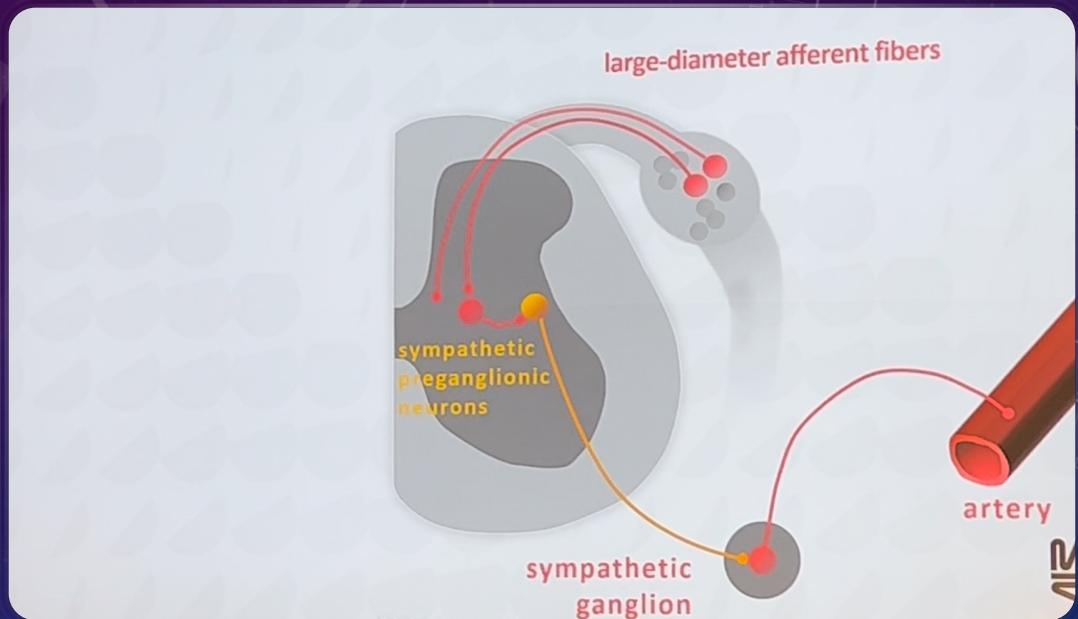
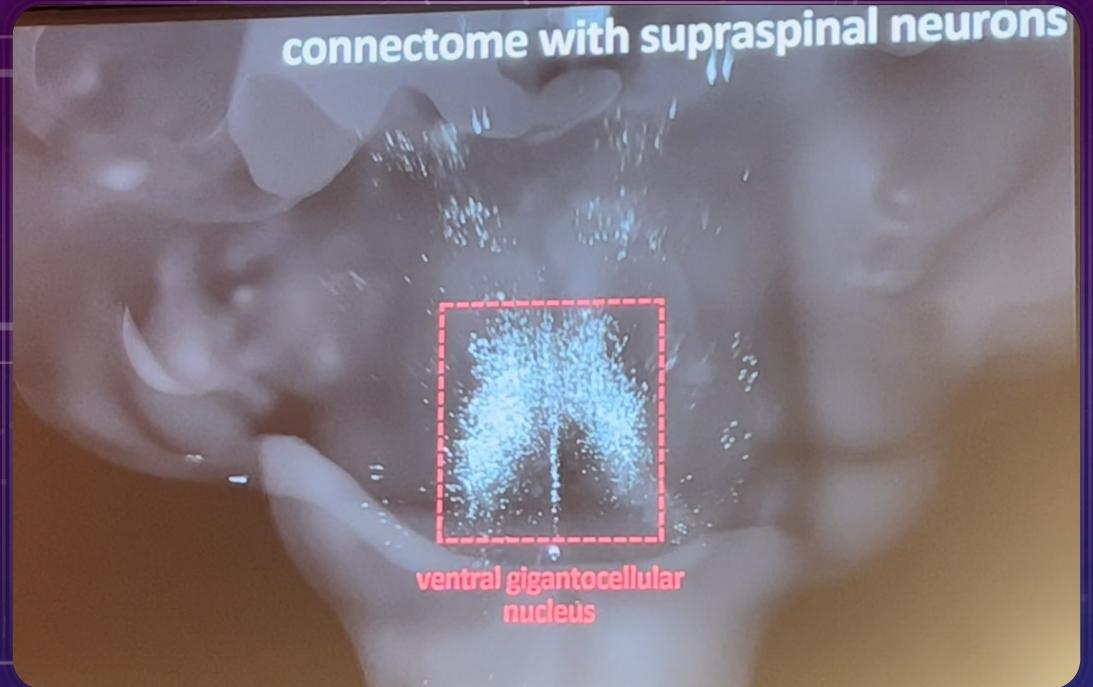
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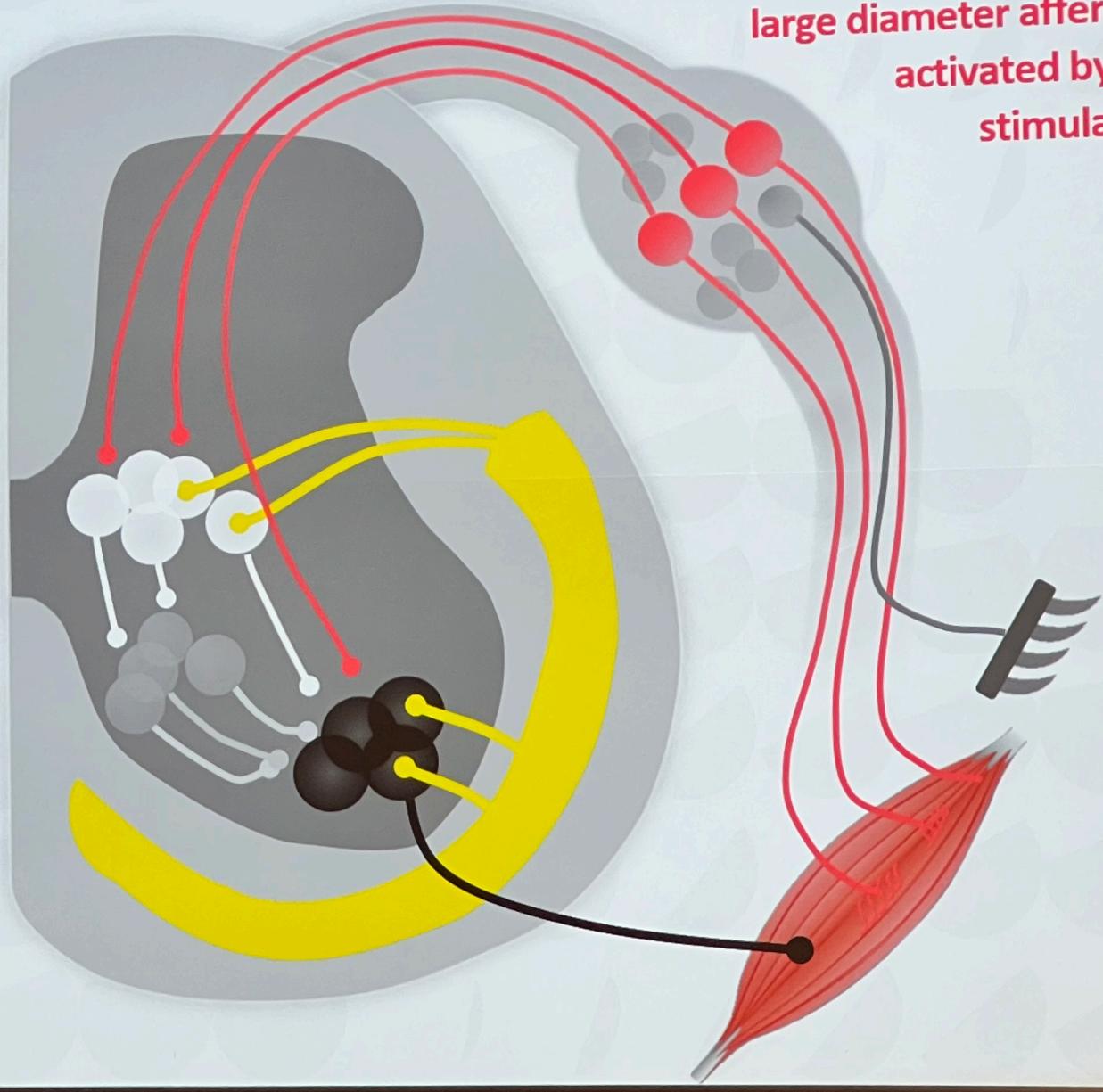
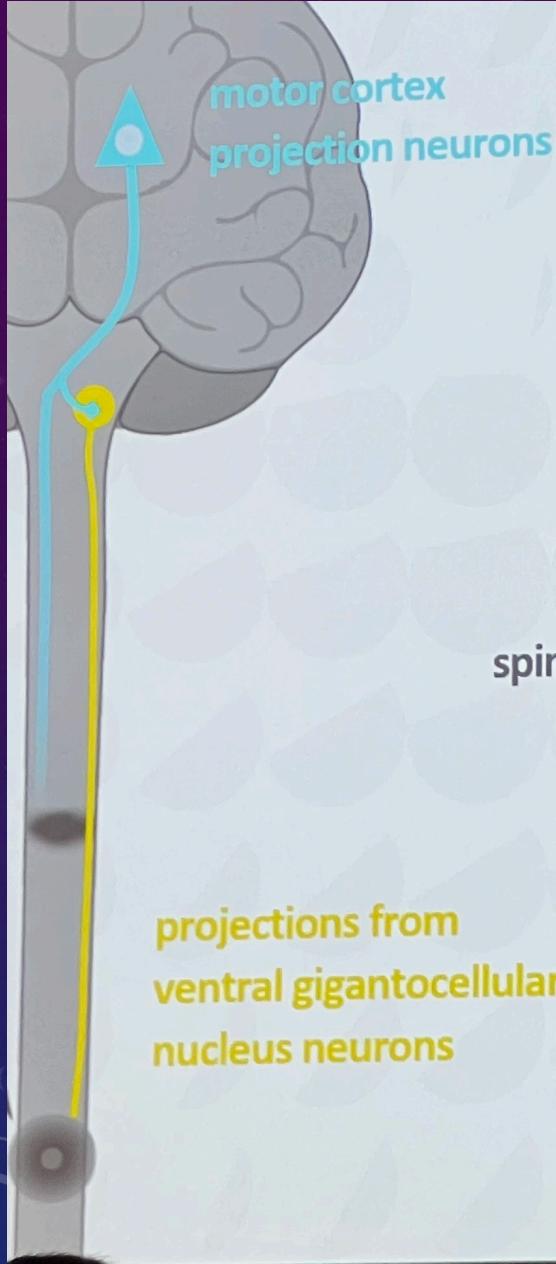
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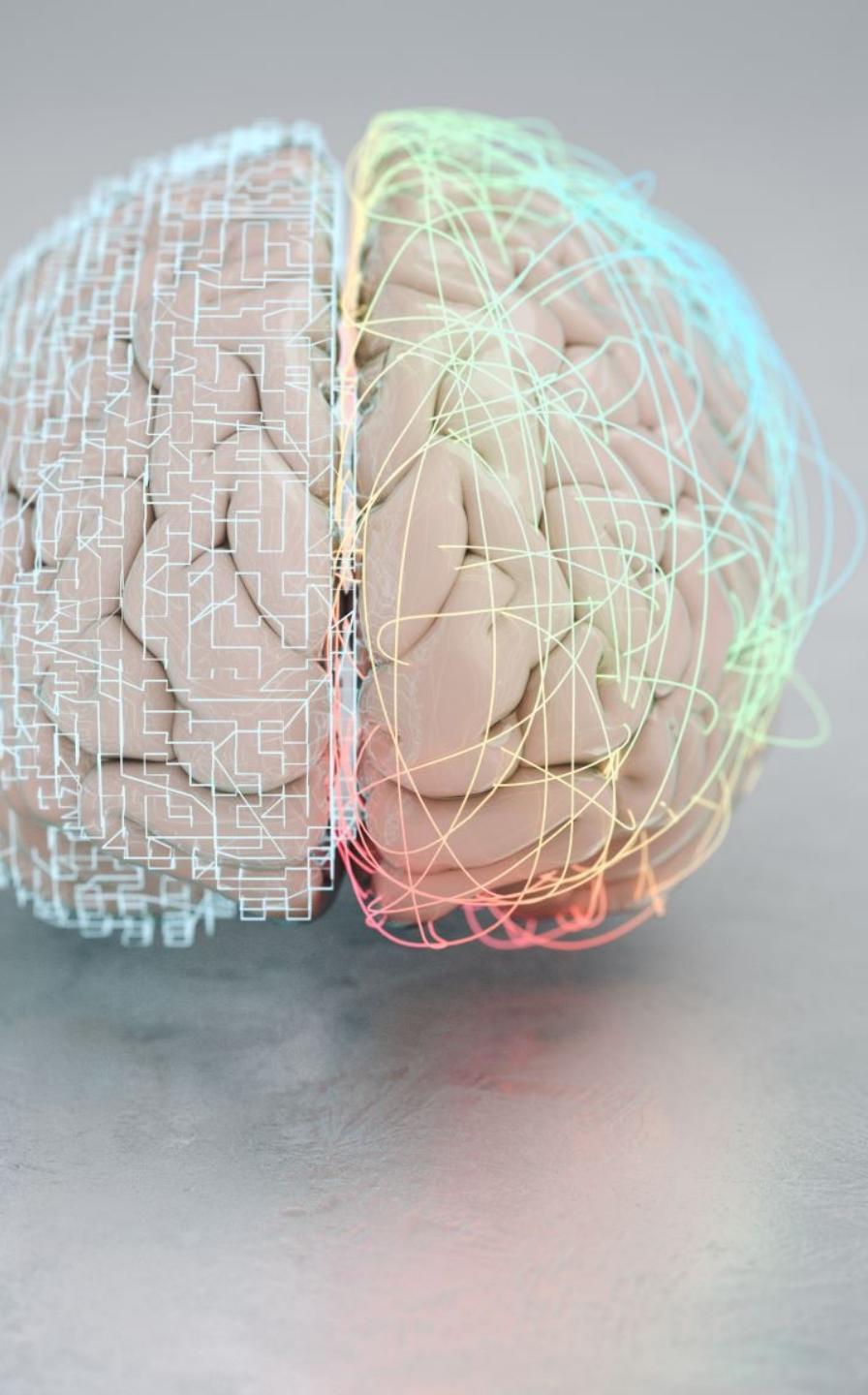
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COLLATERAL FINDINGS: ORTOSTATICKÁ KONTROLA /
CONECTOME SUPRASPINÁLNÍ KONTROLY CHŮZE



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JAK TO FUNGUJE ?

- Stimulace je založena na imitaci přirozených neurofyziologických mechanizmů, tzv., „**bio- imitace**“.
- Modulace specifických interneuronů (SC vsx2) regulujících aktivitu konkrétních svalových skupin.
- Modulací těchto oblastí můžeme aktivovat části míchy a simulovat jejich přiroz. aktivaci arteficialní cestou „jako by to dělal mozek samotný“ (vč. ascendentních propriocepčních drah!).
- *Pacienti určí svou pohyb.aktivitu, resp.stim.algoritmus ES (spatiotemporal) svalů trunkálních a dolních končetin, ovladač bezdrátově interaguje s generátorem pacienta, který sekv. aktivuje specifické skupiny neuronů pro jednotlivé svalové skupiny. (Activity specific)*
- Klíčem úspěchu je technologický pokrok posledních dvou dekád dávající možnost dlouhé a široké spinální coverage stimulace s možnostmi **místně i časově specificky aktivovat konkrétní skupiny intern. na exaktních spinálních úrovních. (3D)**
- Toto nám dává klíčovou možnost kontroly nad neurony odpovědnými za aktivitu konkrétních svalových skupin.

JAKÉ JSOU ZÁVĚRY?

AKTIVITĚ ODPOVÍDAJÍCÍ NEUROSTIMULACE MÍŠNÍ
OBNOVUJE MOTORICKÉ FUNKCE TRUPU A DOLNÍCH
KONČETIN I PO KOMPLETNÍ LÉZI MÍŠNÍ

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- Epidural electrical stimulation (EES) targeting the dorsal roots of lumbosacral segments restores walking in people with spinal cord injury (SCI).
- However, EES is delivered with multielectrode paddle leads that were originally designed to target the dorsal column of the spinal cord. (Pain management, SCS)
- Here, we hypothesized that an arrangement of electrodes targeting the ensemble of dorsal roots involved in leg and trunk movements would result in superior efficacy, restoring more diverse motor activities after the most severe SCI.
 - Computational Framework (EMG mapping) informed the optimal arrangement of electrodes on a new paddle lead and guided its neurosurgical positioning.
 - Developed software supporting the rapid configuration of activity-specific stimulation programs that reproduced the natural activation of motor neurons underlying each activity.

Activity-specific stimulation programs enabled these individuals to stand, walk, cycle, swim and control trunk movements.

Neurorehabilitation mediated sufficient improvement to restore these activities in community settings, opening a realistic path to support everyday mobility with EES in people with SCI.

**THERE IS
AN
IMPERFECT
WORLD.**

**"BUT" IN THIS
IMPERFECT WORLD.**

NEUROSTIMULAČNÍ
PINÁLNÍCH (NEJEN ?)
OTORICKÝCH FUNKCÍ

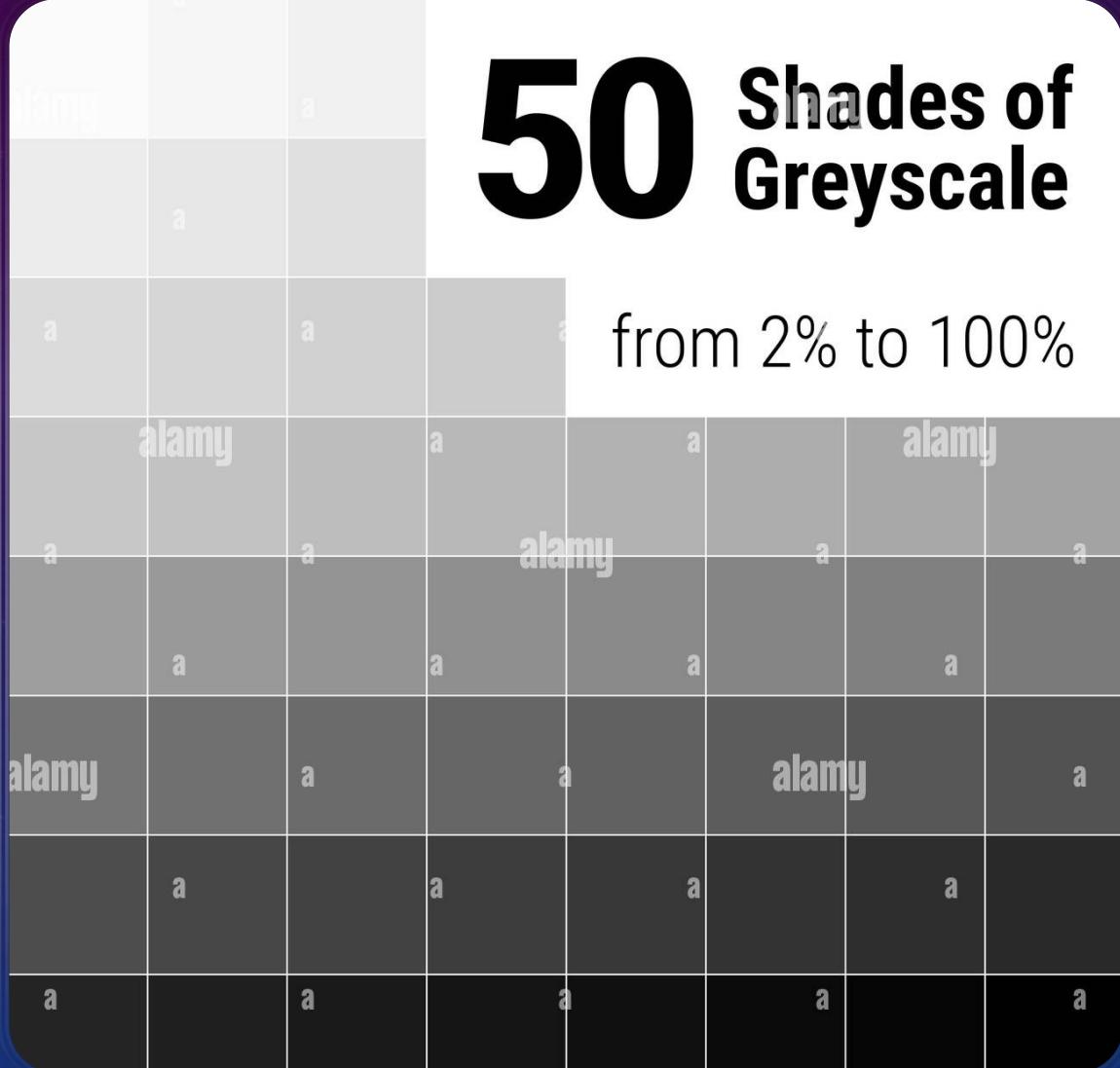


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- V Česku přibývá asi 250 pacientů s poraněním míchy ročně
- Více než polovina úrazů se přitom stane mladým lidem ve věku do 30 let
- V Česku aktuálně fungují čtyři specializovaná pracoviště (takzvané spinální jednotky)
- **Kolaterální konsekvence socioekonomické, CAVE: mikro i makroekonomické, celospolečenské**

50 Shades of Greyscale

from 2% to 100%



Patient Name _____ Date/Time of Exam _____
Examiner Name _____ Signature _____**RIGHT****MOTOR**
KEY MUSCLES

C2

C3

C4

Elbow flexors C5

Wrist extensors C6

Elbow extensors C7

Finger flexors C8

Finger abductors (little finger) T1

T2

T3

T4

T5

T6

T7

T8

T9

T10

T11

T12

L1

Hip flexors L2

Knee extensors L3

Ankle dorsiflexors L4

Long toe extensors L5

Ankle plantar flexors S1

S2

S3

S4-5

RIGHT TOTALS

(MAXIMUM)

(50)

(56)

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Extremity Right)

ments (Non-key Muscle? Reason for NT? Pain?):

LER
Extremity Right)

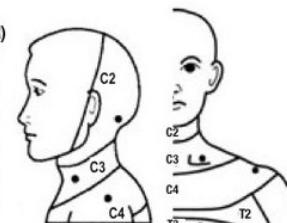
R SUBSCORES

UROLOGICAL

LEVELS

1-5 for classification
as on reverse**SENSORY**
KEY SENSORY POINTS

Light Touch (LTR) Pin Prick (PPR)

**ISNCSCI Algorithm****S ISNCSCI Algorithm**

KEY S

Light Touch

Use the * symbol to indicate impairment not due to SCI.

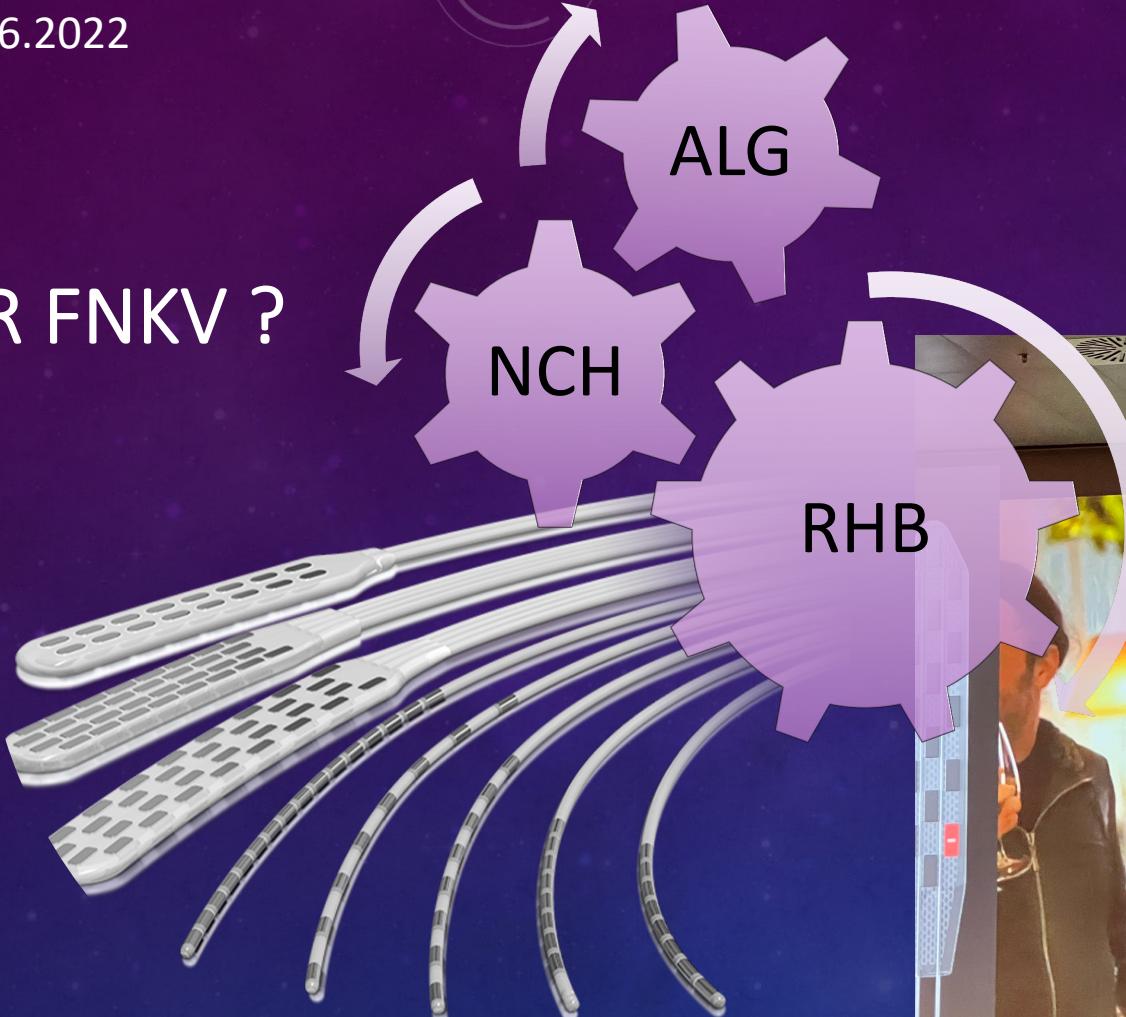
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CLB KAR FNKV ?

ALG
NCH
RHB
NEU
PSCH



*A care
Medical*

Boston
Scientific







HYPOTÉZY

- Míra spasticity a míra neuropatie (spektrum SCI)
 - Odpovídající efekty SCS vs motorická NS
 - Stretch analgetická sval., „mikrostimulace“
- Kritické množství sval.vláken k aktivaci pohybu
 - „Svalový preconditioning“
- Percepce facilitující neuroplasticitu + trigger pohybu
- VR jako adjuvantní metoda neuroplasticity
- Cyklické režimy stimulace
- Režimy stimulace dle aktivity
- Baclofen/ Morfin i th KI nebo vítaná adjuvance
- Věk/ Motivace/ Insitucionalizace/ Kapacity ZZ (Neurorehab)

