

BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH

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NAME Stuart, Ann Elizabeth	POSITION TITLE Professor of Cell and Molecular Physiology		
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EDUCATION/TRAINING <i>(Begin with baccalaureate or other initial professional education, such as nursing, and include postdoctoral training.)</i>			
INSTITUTION AND LOCATION	DEGREE <i>(if applicable)</i>	YEAR(s)	FIELD OF STUDY
Swarthmore College, Swarthmore, PA	BA	1965	Zoology
Yale University, New Haven, CT	PhD	1969	Physiology
Harvard Medical School, Boston, MA	postdoc	1969-1971	Neurochemistry
UCLA Medical School, Los Angeles, CA	postdoc	1971-1973	Neurophysiology

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A. Positions and Honors**Positions and Employment**

- 1974-1978 Assistant Professor of Neurobiology, Harvard Medical School
 1978 Associate Professor of Neurobiology, Harvard Medical School
 1978-1987 Associate Professor of Physiology and Ophthalmology, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
 1987- Professor of Cell and Molecular Physiology, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

Other Experience and Professional Memberships

- 1974-1975 Co-instructor, "The Nervous System of the Leech," Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory
 1980-1983 Member, Visual Disorders Study Section, NIH
 1979-1983 Trustee, Marine Biological Laboratory, Woods Hole
 1983-1990 Associate Editor, Journal of Neuroscience
 1983-1986 Program Committee, Society for Neuroscience
 1986-1993 Trustee, Marine Biological Laboratory, Woods Hole
 1989-1992 Committee to Select Grass Lecturer, Society for Neuroscience
 1992-1994 Member, Review Panel, Howard Hughes Medical Institute, Postdoctoral Research Fellowships for Physicians Program
 1993-1997 Member, Science Council, Marine Biological Laboratory, Woods Hole
 1995,1997 Member, Review Panel, National Research Council, Howard Hughes Medical Institute Predoctoral Fellowships in Biological Sciences Program
 2001-2003 Member, Advisory Committee on Brain Education, Biological Sciences Curriculum Study Advisory Panel
 2005, 2007 Advisor to the Fellows of the Grass Foundation at the Marine Biological Laboratory
 Ongoing Reviewer for Journal of Comparative Neurology, Journal of Neurochemistry, Journal of Neurophysiology, Visual Neuroscience, Journal of Neuroscience, Biological Bulletin

Honors

- 1973-1978 Research Career Development Award, NEI
 1980 R. J. Reynolds Junior Faculty Development Award
 1981 The MBL Award, Best Scientific Paper, General Scientific Meetings
 1982 Fight for Sight Citation for Best Poster in Basic Research at the Annual Meeting of the Association for Research in Vision and Ophthalmology

2002 Distinguished Marine Neuroscientist Award, University of Miami
2007 Educator of the Year award, Faculty of Undergraduate Neuroscience

B. Selected peer-reviewed publications (in chronological order).

- Stuart, A.E. (1969). Excitatory and inhibitory motoneurons in the central nervous system of the leech. Science 165, 817-819.
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- Oland, L.A. and Stuart, A.E. (1986). Pattern of convergence of the receptors of the barnacle's three ocelli onto second-order cells. J.Neurophysiol. 55, 882-895.
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Educational, Interactive CD-ROM and Manual with Hyperlinked Tutorials:

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C. Research Support

Ongoing Educational Technology Support

NSF DUE-CCLI-0442748 Stuart (PI) 02/15/05 – 01/31/09

"*Neurons in Action Version 2: Understanding the Behavior of Normal and Abnormal Neurons*"

These funds support expansion and dissemination of virtual lab tutorials in neurophysiology that use the neuronal simulator NEURON, published as *Neurons in Action Version 2*.

Role: PI

Completed Research Support

R21 MH65501 Stuart (PI) 4/1/02 – 3/31/04

Principal Investigator/Program Director (Last, First, Middle):

“Identifying and characterizing histamine transporters”

The specific aims of this project were to clone a histamine transporter from an invertebrate (*Drosophila*, *Balanus*, *Limulus*), express this protein in oocytes, and characterize it using electrophysiological techniques.

Role: PI