# TATIANA A. MISHCHENKO

University	National Research Lobachevsky State University of Nizhny
Level of English proficiency	Novgorod B2
Educational program and field of	DZ
the educational program for which	1.5. Biological Sciences
the applicant will be accepted	1.5.2. Biophysics
List of research projects of the	Research team leader:
potential supervisor	1. Russian Science Foundation №22-15-00376 New prospects of
(participation/leadership)	glioma therapy: analysis of immunogenic mechanisms of ferroptosis,
	2022-2024 (stage 2023-2024)
	2. Competitiveness Enhancement Programme of the National
	Research Nizhny Novgorod State University (competition of
	research groups led by young scientists) funded by the Programme 5-
	100 "Role of chronic prenatal hypoxia in the development of
	epileptiform activity" 2020-2021 (order 466-OP dated 27.08.2020)  3. Presidential Grant MK-1485.2019.4 "Investigation of the role of
	inter-astrocytic interactions in the functioning of neuronal networks
	in normal conditions and in hypoxic damage", 2019-2020.
	The second constitution and in hypothic durings, 2017 2020.
	Core researcher:
	1. Russian Science Foundation №18-15-00-00279 "Mechanisms of
	cell death in photodynamic therapy of neuro-oncological diseases",
	2018-2020, extension 2021-2022.
	2. Russian Science Foundation №18-75-10071 "Investigation of the
	role of neuronal kinome representatives in the implementation of adaptation mechanisms of the CNS under the influence of ischaemia
	factors", extension 2021-2023.
	factors, extension 2021 2025.
	Research team participant:
	1. State assignment of the Ministry of Science and Higher Education
	of the Russian Federation No. FSWR-2023-0032 "Influence of urban
	ecosystems on the adaptation potential of the human body", 2023-
	2025.
	2. State assignment of the Ministry of Science and Higher Education of the Pussion Education No. 0720, 2020, 0061 (basic part)
	of the Russian Federation No. 0729-2020-0061 (basic part) "Molecular basis of adaptation of living systems", 2020-2022.
	3. Project of the Ministry of Science and Higher Education of the
	Russian Federation "Creation and development of a world-class
	scientific centre "Photonics Centre" (agreement No. 075-15-2020-
	927 dated 13.11.2020), 2020-2025.
	4. Major scientific project of the Ministry of Science and Higher
	Education of the Russian Federation "Reliable and logically
	transparent artificial intelligence: technology, verification and
	application in socially significant and infectious diseases" (agreement No. 075-15-2020-808 dated 05.10.2020), 2020-2022.
	(agreement 100. 075-15-2020-000 dated 05.10.2020), 2020-2022.
List of the topics offered for the	Investigation of immunogenic properties of copper-dependent form
prospective scientific research	of cell death and its role in the development of oncological processes
	(in particular gliomas) in vitro and in vivo.
	Evaluation of the effectiveness of new nanomaterials in the diagnosis
	and therapy of malignant brain tumours.
	Development of approaches to immunotherapy of brain tumours

(gliomas) using the mechanisms of immunogenic cell death. Features of functional activity of nervous system cells in the development of oncological processes.



## Research supervisor:

Tatiana A. Mishchenko,

Candidate of Biology Science (Russia)

(Lobachevsky State University of Nizhny Novgorod)

### **Biology and biotechnology**

### **Supervisor's research interests**

- 1. Research in the field of neuro-oncology: regulated forms of cell death, immunogenic cell death, antitumour therapy, immunotherapy, antitumour vaccination
- 2. Research in the field of neurophysiology: peculiarities of functional activity of brain neuronal networks under various stress factors (including hypoxia-ischaemic conditions, tumour processes).
- 3. Research of biocompatibility of nanomaterials and tissueengineered constructs (scaffolds) with cells of the nervous system: targeted delivery systems, diagnosis and therapy of malignant brain tumours.

## **Research highlights**

The postgraduate student's work will be performed (depending on the chosen topic) using the following methods:

- cultivation of permanent cell lines and primary cell cultures (including primary cultures of cells from different sections of the mouse brain, primary cultures of dendritic cells from mouse bone marrow);
- assessment of cell culture viability and cell death pathways;
- method of registration of spontaneous bioelectrical (technology of multielectrode registration of extracellular action potentials MEA) and calcium neural network activity (method of Ca2+ imaging);
- technique of recording functional activity of the mitochondrial apparatus of nervous system cells using a highresolution respirometer;
- immunocyto(histo)chemistry;
- flow cytometry;
- methodology of vaccination in heterotopic and orthotopic tumour models in prophylactic and therapeutic modes in vivo:
- a complex of behavioural testing to assess the physiological state of the animal and the ability to learn and remember information;
- histological analysis of tissues and organs.

# Supervisor's specific requirements

Basic knowledge of central nervous system physiology and oncology.

Ability to search for relevant scientific literature in English-language search databases of biomedical data with subsequent analysis of the material.

Proficient use of statistical data analysis software (GraphPad Prizm, R or other).

Experience in writing scientific articles and presenting papers at scientific conferences.

Good command of English.

Responsibility and diligence.

# **Supervisor's main publications**

ORCID: https://orcid.org/0000-0003-4463-5035 WoS (Hirsch index 15) 38 publications Scopus (Hirsch index 16) 42 publications RSCI (Hirsch index 16) 78 publications

- Mishchenko T., Balalaeva I., Gorokhova A., Vedunova M., Krysko D.V. Which cell death modality wins the contest for photodynamic therapy of cancer? // Cell Death Dis. 2022.13(5):455. doi: 10.1038/s41419-022-04851-4.
- Vedunova M., Turubanova V., Vershinina O., Savyuk M., Efimova I., Mishchenko T., Raedt R., Vral A., Vanhove C., Korsakova D., Bachert C., Coppieters F., Agostinis P., Garg A.D., Ivanchenko M., Krysko O., Krysko D.V. DC vaccines loaded with glioma cells killed by photodynamic therapy induce Th17 anti-tumor immunity and provide a four-gene signature for glioma prognosis. Cell Death Dis. 2022 Dec 21;13(12):1062. doi: 10.1038/s41419-022-05514-0.
- 3. Mishchenko T.A., Balalaeva I.V., Klimenko M.O., Brilkina A.A., Peskova N.N., Guryev E.L., Krysko D.V., Vedunova M.V. Far-Red Fluorescent Murine Glioma Model for Accurate Assessment of Brain Tumor Progression. Cancers (Basel). 2022 Aug 6;14(15):3822. doi: 10.3390/cancers14153822.
- 4. Mishchenko T.A., Klimenko M.O., Kuznetsova A.I., Yarkov R.S., Savelyev A.G., Sochilina A.V., Mariyanats A.O., Popov V.K., Khaydukov E.V., Zvyagin A.V. and Vedunova M.V. 3D-printed hyaluronic acid hydrogel scaffolds impregnated with neurotrophic factors (BDNF, GDNF) for post-traumatic brain tissue reconstruction // Front. Bioeng. Biotechnol. 2022. 10:895406. doi: 10.3389/fbioe.2022.895406.
- 5. Mishchenko T.A., Balalaeva I.V., Vedunova M.V., Krysko D.V. Ferroptosis and Photodynamic Therapy Synergism: Enhancing AntiCancer Treatment. Trends in cancer. 2021. https://doi.org/10.1016/j.trecan.2021.01.013.

# **Results of intellectual activity**

- 1. Мищенко Т.А., Кузнецова А.И., Савельев А.Г., Хайдуков Е.В., Ведунова М.В. Способ in vitro определения биосовместимости скаффолдов для нейротрансплантации. Патент на изобретение № 277 6455 от 21.07.2022 дата приоритета 30.12.2020
- 2. Ведунова М.В., Мищенко Т.А., Митрошина Е.В., Шишкина Т.В., Мухина И.В. Способ частичного восстановления функциональной активности нейронных сетей in vitro в условиях их значительного повреждения. Патент на изобретение №2594065 от 19.07.2016
- 3. Кастальский И.А., Мищенко Т.А., Юсупов В.И., Тимашев П.С., Ведунова М.В. Визуализация и оценка характеристик геномного ответа. Свидетельство о государственной

	регистрации программы ЭВМ №2017612558 от 01.03.2017 г.
4.	Симонов А. Ю., Бажанова М. В., Есир П., Кастальский И. А.,
	Тимашев П. С., Юсупов В.И., Мищенко Т.А., Ведунова М.В.
	Модель спайковой нейронной сети. Свидетельство о
	государственной регистрации программы ЭВМ
	№2017611909 от 10.02.2017 г.