



## UNIMIND x UZH SYMPOSIUM 2021 PROGRAM

June 26th

**9:30 Opening & Welcome Address**

**9:45 Key Notes Block I: Psychedelics & Mental Health**

9:45 – 10:15 **Dr. Katrin Preller**

Neurobiological mechanisms of psychedelics and implications for psychedelic-assisted therapy

10:15 – 10:45 **Helena Aicher, M.Sc.**

How psychedelics could help shape the therapeutic paradigm?

**11:00 Presentations Block 1**

11:00 – 11:20 **Katharina Lege, B.Sc.**, Otto von Guericke University Magdeburg  
Neurocafé – A podcast on the psychedelic revolution

11:20 – 11:40 **Adam Amrani, B.Sc.**, University of Fribourg  
Psychedelics and Dissociation: At the crossroads

11:50 – 12:10 **Ioana Ivan, B.Sc.**, Babeş-Bolyai University

A bit more grace, a little less judgement... How psychotherapists think their psychedelic use influences their practice

12:10 – 12:30 **Dasha Anderson, M.Sc.**, King's College London

Psychedelics, emotional processing and the importance of the amygdala

**12:30 Lunch** (uniMIND social Lunch)

## **13:30 Key Notes Block II: Ecology, Culture & Society**

13:30 – 14:00 **Dr. Sam Gandy**

Psilocybin as a catalyst of nature re-connection

14:00 – 14:30 **Dr. Leor Roseman**

Revelations and the Mystical-Union in Ayahuasca rituals of Palestinians and Israeli

14:30 – 15:00 **Prof. Dr. med. Franz X Vollenweider**

Thirty years of psychedelic research in Switzerland: Looking back to the future

## **15:00 Presentations Block 2**

15:10 – 15:30 **Emma Frati**, Columbia University

Ethical Decriminalization and Synthetic Stigma

15:30 – 15:50 **CJ Healy, M.A.**, The New School for Social Research

Using psychedelics with therapeutic intent is associated with lower shame and complex trauma symptoms among people with histories of child maltreatment.

## **16:00 World Café**

## **17:00 Panel discussion: Careers in Psychedelic Research**

**Dr. Sam Gandy, Nathalie Rieser, M.Sc., Marvin Däumichen, M.A.** moderated by **Melina Mitsotaki, M.Phil.**

## **17:45 Closing**