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# Hynek Wichterle

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Hynek Wichterle, Ph.D.  
Professor at Columbia University, USA

<b>Expertise and focus:</b>	Developmental biology, Stem cell biology, Neuroscience, Neurodegeneration
<b>Form of mentoring meetings:</b>	Online
<b>Has an experience in:</b>	Academic career
	<a href="#">Link to CV</a>

<b>Previous mentoring experience:</b>	I run a mentoring class for graduate students at Columbia University and serve on mentoring committees for junior faculty (pre-tenure).
<b>Motivation:</b>	Share my experience, help young PIs to enhance their career, networking opportunity.
<b>Career guidance topics you can discuss with the mentor:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Creating a career plan, strategy</li><li>• Identifying and utilizing one's skill set</li></ul>
<b>Research related experience the mentor is ready to share with the mentee:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Preparation of scientific publications - how to do it correctly, efficiently, and with quality</li><li>• Grant writing process, grant application consultation (NIH and non-profit grants)</li><li>• Management of science and research in an academic institution</li><li>• Path to an academic position abroad</li><li>• Starting a company</li><li>• Establishing an academic spin-off</li></ul>