

Sussex Psychosis Research Interest Group

Join our Seminar

Wednesday 27th March 4.00-5.00pm

Prof James Stone: Professor of Psychiatry, Brighton and
Sussex Medical School

***“Beyond dopamine – where are we now with the
glutamate theory of psychosis?”***

Changes in brain glutamate and interactions with the dopamine system have long been suspected to underlie the development of schizophrenia, although evidence has not always been consistent. In this talk, I will review the current evidence for the glutamate hypothesis of schizophrenia and the MAM model of psychosis, including findings from preclinical and clinical studies. I will consider whether glutamatergic neurotransmission should still be considered as a potential target for treatment, reviewing the findings from clinical trials of novel glutamatergic agents in schizophrenia.

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