



Winter Program: The Science of Sex and Attraction

The Brain Research Foundation is proud to partner with Science is Sexy to unravel the mysteries of love, sex, identity, and the brain.



Who do you love, and how? Northwestern University's [Michael Bailey, Ph.D.](#) has been asking this question for over a decade, and he'll tell us about his research on sexual arousal, sexual orientation, and the genetics of who we are sexually. Why some people are attracted to men, others to women, and others to both men and women is a fascinating and as yet unanswered question. Understanding the origins and development of sexuality and sexual orientation can help us understand the origins and development of sex differences, and adds a scientific perspective to questions that are deeply

rooted in our identity as human beings. Michael will discuss his fascinating research to better understand the biological aspects of sexual orientation, how our biology intersects with our behavior as sexual beings, and his brain research on sexual arousal and response in people of various sexual orientations. Join us for a thought-provoking evening of scientific discovery from one of Chicago's leading researchers.

Try your hand as a scientist with our special guests and friends [The Think Tank](#), a neuroscience lab on wheels at The University of Chicago that will allow you to do your own brain-bending experiments, and play our scientific trivia to win scientific swag. Scientific valentines will be on hand to exchange as we unravel the molecular mysteries behind love, lust, and who we are.

Event Details:

When: February 13, 2014, 8:00 PM – 9:30 PM

Where: Schubas (3159 North Southport Avenue)

Cost: FREE

Brown or Red Line to Belmont

21+

No Pre-Registration Required