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'Exploring the effects of sleep deprivation on long-term memory bindings'

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Her research currently focuses on how sleep deprivation impacts components of cognition critical to memory and decision making.

Her presentation will describe how impairments in decision making observed during sleep deprivation may be due to underlying issues with binding, or the ability to form new associations in memory, and will introduce a potential method for mitigating these memorial deficits.