

Introduction to the Lab

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Entrance to the Lab

The Brain & Behaviour Lab is located on the 4th floor of the MF-building (A-wing). The easiest way to find it is to take the stairs or elevator located at the front entrance of the MF-building. When you are on the 4th floor, take the hallway that takes you to the A-wing. The entrance to the lab is the first room that you find on your left-hand side, with glass walls:



The door is open from 09:00 to 17:00 on weekdays. If you want to enter outside of this time window, you need a [\[LINK TO KEYCARD PAGE\]](#). After entering, you will see the waiting area (**MF A-431**):



Participants can wait here until the researcher comes and accompanies them to their lab. When advertising your experiment on Sona or elsewhere, we advise you to mention the room number of this waiting area (**MF A-431**) in addition to the name "Brain & Behaviour Lab". If you just mention the room that you are using for your experiment, for example B-449a, it will be harder for participants to find. This is because most rooms are located in the back of the lab.

Rooms Explained & Floor Plan

The lab contains rooms that are part of both the A-wing and the B-wing. All 3 rooms starting with B-447 (a, b, & c) are EEG labs and all 4 rooms starting with B-449 (a, b, c, & d) are eye tracking labs. **However, both spaces (B-447 & B-449) are equipped with eye-tracking as well as EEG devices.** This means that it is possible to use any of the options in any of these labs. The divide of the labs is mainly due to the fact that EEG equipment such as electrodes, caps, gels, etc., is located in B-447. We also have a shower for participants to use (B-447d).

If you cannot find an EEG device in any of the B-449 rooms, then you can usually find this in the supply closet in the back of space B-447. If it is also not there, contact the Lab Coordinator.

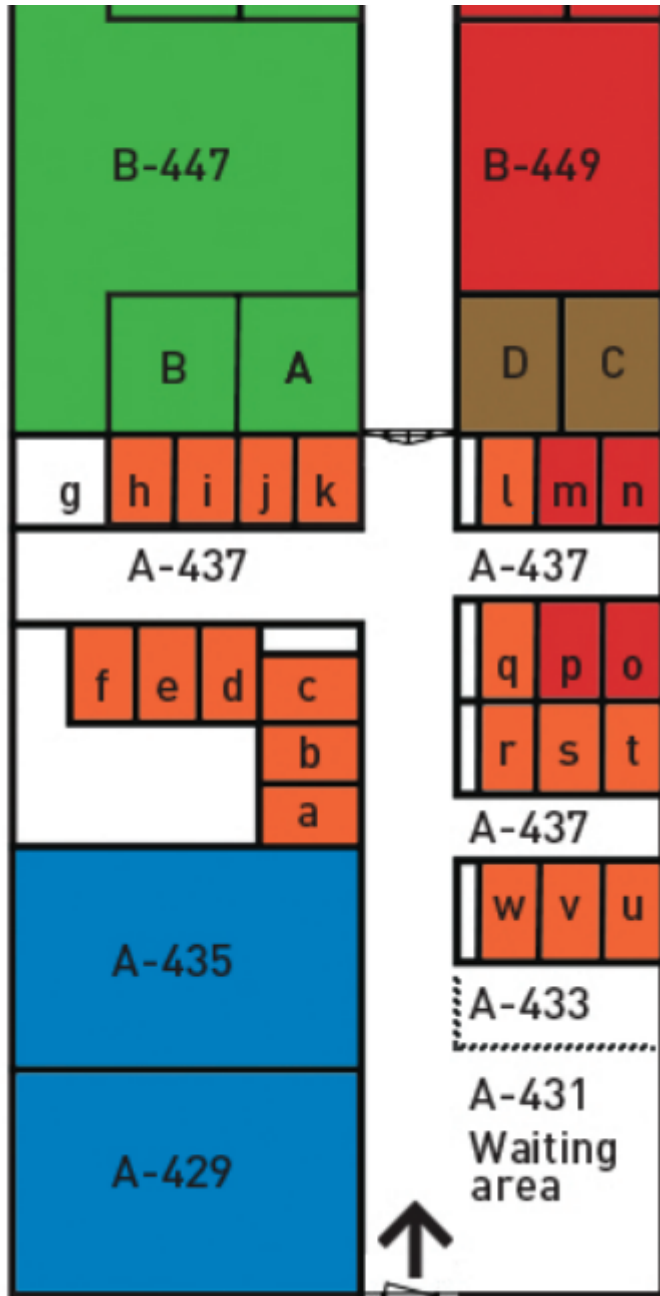
All rooms starting with A-437 (a - w) are behavioural cubicles. These are one-person spaces that can be controlled via a central computer or locally, see [LINK TO CUBICLE CONTROLLER]. You do not have to book these cubicles if you want to use them. **The rooms A-437m/A-437n and A-437o/A-437p are exceptions to this.** They are eye-tracking cubicles (without EEG) and must be booked to be used.

Rooms A-429 & A-435 are known as VR-rooms or [Multicubicles](#). They are flexible and spacious. Most of the time, they are used for VR studies. However, they can also be used for other experiments. If you would like to use these rooms for a longer time, contact the Lab Coordinator. In addition to these rooms, we have 3 more multi purpose rooms in the C-wing: C470 and C477 & C479. C477 & C479 generally work in tandem, but can be booked separately. One is a large open room (Observation Room; C479) that can be observed through the other room (Control Room; C477). All of the these Multicubicles can be used in a variety of ways. To make use of these rooms, you can contact the Lab Coordinator.

Floor Plan

Here is the Floor Plan for the Brain & Behaviour Lab. You can download the Floor Plan here:

[FloorPlanBBL.pdf](#)



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Shared Mail List

Here we share important information about the lab, and keep you updated about news/changes in the lab. On the web page you have the possibility to subscribe to this list.

You can get started by subscribing to the [shared mailing list](#) for lab users.

Instructions on how to use the list will be provided. Unsubscribing is possible at any time.

The shared mailing list also provides the possibility to ask questions or provide info to all lab users by solely one e-mail. Researchers and students are all able to join, **a VU e-mail address is not needed.**

People

Here you find the contact details from staff running the lab. If you have questions about something you can contact the people below.

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