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The cerebral cortex is responsible for higher brain functions, such as conscious thought and language in humans. In the human neocortex, billions of neurons are precisely arranged in a six-layered structure. The question we ask is "How is this amazing organ developed during embryogenesis and how does it evolve during evolution?" The cerebral cortex structure is formed by the sequential generations of many neurons and their migration towards the brain surface in the limited fetal period. Moreover, accurate axon targeting in the neonatal stage is reproduced reliably during vertebrate development. The aim of this symposium is to deepen our understanding of the principles of cerebral cortex formation and evolution through discussion with scientists from home and abroad.

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