International Neuropsychological Symposium 2023

Villasimius, ITALY Monday, June 19 – Friday, June 23

VOI Tanka Village, Villasimius

Monday, June 19

15.50 - 16.00 Welcome - James Bisley

Topic 1.

Monday Afternoon – Topic 1 / Session 1 – Chair: Carmen Cavada

16.00 – 17.00 Karin Roelofs (Donders Institute, Netherlands)

Human defensive reactions and their role in approach-avoidance decision making

- 17.00 17.30 Coffee break
- 17.30 18.30 Miguel Angel Garcia-Cabezas (Autonomous University of Madrid, Spain)

 The adult human brain from the point of view of the prosomeric model
- 18.30 19.30 Carlo Miniussi (University of Trento, Italy)

Transcranial stimulation and electroencephalography in the exploration of cortical connectivity

- 19.30 20.00 General discussion & end of session
- 20.00 Welcome Reception at VOI Tanka Village

Tuesday, June 20

Tuesday Morning – Topic 1 / Session 2 – Chair: Rich Krauzlis

09.00 – 10.00 Georgia Gregoriou (University of Crete, Greece)

Attentional selection in vision: insights from electrophysiology in non-human primates

10.00 – 11.00 Tal Seidel Malkinson (Lorraine University, France)

Unraveling cortical networks of exogenous attention: insights from a datadriven approach to human intracerebral recordings

- 11.00 11.30 *Coffee break*
- 11.30 12.30 Elia Formisano (University Maastricht, Netherlands)

The meaning of sounds: acoustic to semantic transformations in auditory cortex

12.30 - 13.00 General discussion & end of session

Tuesday Afternoon - Topic 1 / Session 3 - Chair: Alexandra Battaglia Mayer

16.00 - 17.00 Patrizia Fattori (University of Bologna, Italy)

The posterior parietal area V6A in macaque and human brains

17.00 - 17.30 Coffee break

17.30 – 18.30 Simone Schütz-Bosbach (LMU Munich, Germany)

Brain-Body Interactions in Perception and Action

18.30 – 19.30 Peter Weiss-Blankenhorn (University of Cologne, Germany)

Apraxia: Concepts, Cognition and Clinic

19.30 – 20.00 General discussion & end of session

Wednesday, June 21

Topic 2. Neuroscience in the Real World

Organizers: Jody Culham & Dora Angelaki

Wednesday Morning – Topic 2 / Session 1 – Chair: Jody Culham

09.00 – 10.00 Nachum Ulanovsky (Weizmann Institute, Israel)

Neural codes for natural behaviors in the bat hippocampus

10.00 – 11.00 Dmitriy Aronov (Columbia University, USA)

Using food-caching birds to study the neuroscience of episodic memory

- 11.00 11.30 Group Photo and Coffee break
- 11.30 12.30 Dora Angelaki (New York University, USA)

How and why we move our eyes during navigation

12.30 - 13.00 General discussion & end of session

Wednesday Afternoon – Topic 2 / Session 2 – Chair: Dora Angelaki

16.00 – 17.00 Jacqueline Snow (University of Nevada, Reno, USA)

How stimulus realism influences human behavior and brain responses

- 17.00 17.30 *Coffee break*
- 17.30 18.30 Uri Hasson (Princeton University, USA)

Deep language models as a cognitive model for natural language processing in the human brain

18.30 – 19.30 Jody Culham (Western University, Canada)

Immersive Neuroscience: closing the loop in the study of brain and behavior

19.30 – 20.00 General discussion & end of session

Thursday, June 22

Topic 3. Calculating Brains

Organizers: Carlo Semenza & Klaus Willmes

Thursday Morning – Topic 3 / Session 1 – Chair: Klaus Willmes

09.00 – 10.00 Brian Butterworth (University College London, UK)

A deep history of the calculating brain

10.00 – 11.00 Manuela Piazza (University of Trento, Italy)

Intuitions of mathematics and their refinement with age and education

11.00 - 11.30 *Coffee break*

11.30 – 12.30 Carlo Semenza (University of Padova, Italy)

The contribution of the right hemisphere to calculation

12.30 - 13.00 General discussion & end of session

Thursday Afternoon – Free time

Excursion for those who signed up at registration. A beautiful afternoon of navigation and swimming in the protected area of Capo Carbonara.

16.15 Meet at the port

21.00 Return to port

Cost: 50 € per person. Please pay at the meeting registration desk.





Friday, June 23

Friday Morning - Topic 3 / Session 2 - Chair: Brian Butterworth

09.00 – 10.00 Andreas Nieder (University of Tübingen, Germany)

Math neurons in the human brain

10.00 – 11.00 Giorgio Vallortigara (University of Trento, Italy)

Number cognition in animal models: addressing innateness, neural circuitry and arithmetic

11.00 - 11.30 *Coffee break*

11.30 - 13.00 Business meeting

Friday Afternoon – Topic 3 / Session 3 – Chair: Carlo Semenza

16.00 – 17.00 Silvia Benavides-Varela (University of Padova, Italy)

Numerical coding in the infant brain and its interplay with language and spatial processes

17.00 - 17.30 Coffee break

17.30 – 18.30 Marie Amalric (University of Trento, Italy)

Neural bases of math conceptual development

18.30 – 19.30 Roi Cohen Kadosh (University of Surrey, UK)

Neurointervention to improve arithmetic learning and performance: successes, failures, and future directions

19.30 - 20.00 General discussion & end of session

Friday Evening – Social Dinner

20.00 Dinner at VOI Tanka Village