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Psychology

2022 Conference



February 17th – 19th 2022
Brisbane, Australia

Queensland Brain Institute (QBI)
The University of Queensland



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Welcome!

Welcome to only the second meeting of the Australasian Society for Philosophy and Psychology. This three-day conference, hosted by The University of Queensland, runs from February 17th to 19th.

The Australasian Society for Philosophy and Psychology was formed in 2017 to promote interaction in Australasia among philosophers and psychologists, broadly construed to include anyone interested in scientific study of the mind, and scholars in related fields on issues of common concern (including but not limited to neuroscience, linguistics, computer science, and anthropology).

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Venue Information

The ASPP 2022 conference is a hybrid event hosted at The University of Queensland. The physical venue is the Auditorium of the QBI Building on St Lucia Campus (Building 79).

The event will also be streamed online for those registered to attend via Zoom.

Volunteers are here to help, so if you have any questions please ask or type your question into Zoom.

KEYNOTES



A/Prof David Pizarro (Cornell) - *Disgust, Distaste, and Social Judgment*
Thursday 17th, 8.30am

Presidential Address - Prof Jolanda Jetten (UQ)
Thursday 17th, 1.30pm



Prof Matthew Hornsey (UQ) *Rejection of Science*
Thursday 17th, 2.30pm

Prof Steven Laureys (Liège University) *At the Edge of Consciousness*
Friday 18th, 9.00am



Prof Muireann Irish (U. Sydney) *Constructing the self across
past and future contexts*
Friday 18th, 1.30pm

Prof Tim Crane (Central European U.) *What is a theory of
consciousness?*
Friday 18th, 4.00pm



Dr Jennifer Windt (Monash) *Spontaneous thought in
wakefulness and sleep*
Saturday 19th, 10.00am

Thursday 17th		Friday 18th		Saturday 19th	
8.45am	Welcome & Acknowledgement of Country	8.30am	BLITZ SESSION #3		
8.50am	KEYNOTE - A/Prof David Pizarro	9.00am	KEYNOTE - Prof Steven Laureys	9.00am	Shalini Gautam
9.30am	BLITZ SESSION #1	9.40am	Tarli Young	9.20am	Belén Álvarez
10.00am	Brandon Yip	10.00am	Micah Goldwater	9.40am	Sarah Bonell
10.20am	Morning tea (20 mins)	10.20am	Morning tea (20 mins)	10.00am	KEYNOTE - Dr Jennifer Windt
10.40am	Eliane Deschrijver	10.40am	Symposium #3 - The major transitions in cognitive evolution	10.40am	Morning tea (20 mins)
11.00am	Symposium #1 - The compensating mind			11.00am	Symposium #4 - Cognitive science of belief in misinformation
		12.00pm	BLITZ SESSION #4		
12.30pm	Lunch (1 hour)	12.30pm	Lunch (1 hour) AGM 1.00-1.30pm	12.40pm	Lunch (30 mins)
1.30pm	Presidential Address - Prof Jolanda Jetten	1.30pm	KEYNOTE - Prof Muireann Irish	1.10pm	Jess Crimston
2.10pm	John Sutton	2.10pm	Jim Schirmer	1.30pm	Ruben E. Laukkonen
2.30pm	KEYNOTE - Prof Matthew Hornsey	2.30pm	Iwan Williams	1.50pm	Niccolo Negro
3.10pm	Afternoon tea (20 mins)	2.50pm	Ted Nannicelli	2.10pm	Tom Cochrane
3.30pm	Symposium #2 - Scaffolding across the lifespan	3.10pm	BLITZ SESSION #5	2.30pm	Omid Ghasemi
		3.40pm	Afternoon tea	3.00pm	Social Event - St Lucy's (UQ)
5.10pm	BLITZ SESSION #2	4.00pm	KEYNOTE - Prof Tim Crane		
6.00pm	Social Event - Pizza Café (UQ)	4.40pm	Pablo Franco		
		5.00pm	Michael Newall		
		5.20pm	Ritsaart Reimann		
		6.00pm	Social Event - TBD		

Symposium 1 - The compensating mind: New approaches to cognitive and physical offloading

Jonathan Redshaw (Chair), Catherine MacColl, Kristy Armitage, Adam Bulley, Thomas Suddendorf

Symposium 2 - Scaffolding across the lifespan: Philosophical and psychological perspectives on external structures for memory and cognition

Celia Harris (Chair), Richard Menary, Penny Van Bergen, Samuel Jones, Richard Heersmink

Symposium 3 - The Major Transitions in Cognitive Evolution

Andrew Barron (Chair), Rachael Brown, Marta Halina, Colin Klein

Symposium 4 - Cognitive science of belief in misinformation

Robert M. Ross (Chair), Mathew D. Marques, Li Qian Tay, John Cook, Yangxueqing Jiang

BLITZ 1 - Ariel Zeleznikow-Johnston, Liam Miller, Ally Jones, Elizabeth Fisher

BLITZ 2 - Kari McGregor, Tony Cheng, Anna Zinn

BLITZ 3 - Anna Rabinovich, Joshua May, Danielle Postorivo, Nathan Higgins

BLITZ 4 - Cai-Li Lin, John O'Dea, Chiu Shao-Chi, Aniko Kusztor

BLITZ 5 - Adam Bradley, Lukas Thürmer, Alexander Gillett, Wendy Higgins



Thursday, February 17th

	Speaker	Title	Format
8.45am	Welcome	<i>Welcome and Acknowledgement of Country</i>	
8.50am	KEYNOTE - A/Prof David Pizarro (Cornell)	<i>Disgust, Distaste, and Social Judgment.</i>	Zoom
9.30am	BLITZ SESSION #1		
	Ariel Zeleznikow-Johnston (Monash)	<i>Theoretical and empirical developments towards a category-theoretic framework for phenomenal holism</i>	In-person
	Liam Miller (UQ)	<i>Play as a Response to Anxiety</i>	In-person
	Ally Jones (UQ)	<i>Experiences of Regret and Relief in Children</i>	In-person
	Elizabeth Fisher (Monash)	<i>Asymmetry in Colour Similarity</i>	In-person
10.00am	Brandon Yip	<i>What is Moral Disgust?</i>	In-person
10.20am	Morning tea (20 mins)		
10.40am	Eliane Deschrijver	<i>Negotiating realities: evolving relational mentalizing towards social homophily</i>	Zoom
11.00am	Symposium #1 - Jonathan Redshaw (Chair/UQ)	<i>The Compensating Mind: New Approaches to Cognitive and Physical Offloading</i>	In-person
11.05am	Catherine MacColl (UQ)	<i>Children offload working memory operations by combining stimuli in the world</i>	In-person
11.25am	Kristy Armitage (UQ)	<i>Children boost their cognitive performance with a novel offloading technique</i>	In-person
11.45am	Adam Bulley (USyd)	<i>Children devise and selectively use tools to offload future cognitive demands</i>	In-person
12.05pm	Thomas Suddendorf (UQ)	<i>Physical offloading: The case of mobile containers</i>	In-person
12.30pm	Lunch (1 hour)		
1.30pm	Presidential Address - Prof Jolanda Jetten (UQ)		In-person
2.10pm	John Sutton	<i>Place and Memory: cognitive maps, wayfinding, and remote spatial memory</i>	Zoom
2.30pm	KEYNOTE - Prof Matthew Hornsey (UQ)	<i>Rejection of Science</i>	In-person
3.10pm	Afternoon tea (20 mins)		
3.30pm	Symposium #2 - Celia Harris (Chair)	<i>Scaffolding across the lifespan: Philosophical and psychological perspectives on external structures for memory & Enculturating the Self: Narrative Interactions in Development</i>	TBD
3.30pm	Richard Menary (Macquarie)		
3.50pm	Penny Van Bergen (Macquarie)	<i>Memory scaffolding in family and educational contexts: The roles of family and non-family scaffolding agents</i>	TBD
4.10pm	Samuel Jones (Macquarie)	<i>Carpool Karaoke: Extended Music Listening Systems</i>	TBD
4.30pm	Richard Heersmink (Monash)	<i>Preserving narrative identity for dementia patients: Distributed memory systems</i>	TBD
4.50pm	Celia Harris (Western Sydney)	<i>Cognitive scaffolding in aged care: Can elaborative reminiscing conversations enhance memory?</i>	TBD
5.10pm	BLITZ SESSION #2		
	Kari McGregor (UQ)	<i>When we are not who we think we are: The role of self-discrepancy in moral injury</i>	In-person
	Tony Cheng (NCCU)	<i>Two Kinds of NCC</i>	Zoom
	Anna Zinn (Exeter)	<i>Can we prevent social identity switches - A linguistic social identity study</i>	Zoom
6.00pm	Social Event - Pizza Café (UQ)		

Friday, February 18th

	Speaker	Title	Format
8.30am	BLITZ SESSION #3 Anna Rabinovich (Exeter) Joshua May (U. of Alabama, Birmingham) Danielle Postorivo (UQ) Nathan Higgins (Monash)	<i>Lay theories of social progress and collective action</i> <i>Harnessing Moral Psychology to Reduce Meat Consumption</i> <i>Chronic stress implications for treatment-resistant depression and dementia</i> <i>Clinical trial researchers perspectives on the barriers to continued access invasive neural devices</i>	Zoom Zoom Zoom In-person
9.00am	KEYNOTE - Prof Steven Laureys (Liège University)	<i>At the Edge of Consciousness.</i>	Zoom
9.40am	Tarli Young (UQ)	<i>The Ethical Road to Wellbeing: Examining the effects of Ethical Framework Clarity on Psychological Wellbeing</i>	In-person
10.00am	Micah Goldwater (U. Sydney)	<i>Causal and moral thinking about preventative health measures</i>	Zoom
10.20am	Morning tea (20 mins)		
	Symposium #3 - Andrew Barron (Chair)	<i>The major transitions in cognitive evolution</i>	
10.40am	Marta Halina (Cambridge)	<i>Associative Learning as a Null Model</i>	Zoom
11.00am	Rachael Brown (The ANU)	<i>Mapping Out The Landscape: A Multi-dimensional Approach To Behavioural Innovation</i>	In-person
11.20am	Andrew Barron (Macquarie)	<i>Cognition with Large and Small Brains</i>	In-person
11.40am	Colin Klein (The ANU)	<i>Explaining Neural Transitions through Resource Constraints</i>	In-person
12.00pm	BLITZ SESSION #4 Cai-Li Lin (National Yang Ming Chiao Tung U.) John O'Dea (U. of Toyko) Chiu Shao-Chi (National Yang Ming Chiao Tung U.) Aniko Kusztor (Monash)	<i>Suffering and pluralism</i> <i>Are there really five senses?</i> <i>Behaviorist's Dilemma in Mindreading: Underestimated Animals</i> <i>Unreal experiences: altered visual perception in people with more frequent episodes of derealisation</i>	Zoom Zoom Zoom Zoom
12.30pm	Lunch (1 hour)		
1.00pm	AGM		
1.30pm	KEYNOTE - Prof Muireann Irish (U. Sydney)	<i>Constructing the self across past and future contexts</i>	TBD
2.10pm	Jim Schirmer (UQ)	<i>Virtue in psychotherapy: how philosophy and psychology could unravel therapist effects</i>	In-person
2.30pm	Iwan Williams (Monash)	<i>Meditation & Conceptual Attenuation</i>	In-person
2.50pm	Ted Nannicelli (UQ)	<i>Art, Agency, and Appreciation in the Era of Artificial Intelligence</i>	In-person
3.10pm	BLITZ SESSION #5 Adam Bradley (Lingnan University) Lukas Thürmer (Paris-Lodron U. of Salzburg) Alexander Gillett (Macquarie) Wendy Higgins (Macquarie)	<i>Thinking What You Feel</i> <i>Costly Consequences of Group Criticism: The Behavioral Intergroup Sensitivity Effect</i> <i>Skilled perception in the Cicada Hunting Community</i> <i>Is the Reading the Mind in the Eyes Test a well-validated measure of social cognition?</i>	Zoom Zoom Zoom Zoom
3.40pm	Afternoon tea (20 mins)		
4.00pm	KEYNOTE - Prof Tim Crane (Central European U.)	<i>What is a theory of consciousness?</i>	Zoom
4.40pm	Pablo Franco (U. Melbourne)	<i>Human computation through the lens of computational complexity theory</i>	Zoom
5.00pm	Michael Newall (U. South Australia)	<i>Impossible Colours</i>	In-person
5.20pm	Ritsaart Reimann (Macquarie)	<i>The Evolution of Vaccine Discourse</i>	Zoom
6.00pm	Social Event - TBD		

Saturday, February 19th

	Speaker	Title	Format
9.00am	Shalini Gautam (UQ)	<i>Counterfactual thinking and moral judgements in children</i>	In-person
9.20am	Belén Álvarez (UQ)	<i>Identifying different 'types' of participants in the Chilean Student movement: A latent transition analysis of Participation, Identity</i>	In-person
9.40am	Sarah Bonell (U. Melbourne)	<i>Women's lived experiences of stigmatisation after cosmetic surgery: A qualitative investigation</i>	Zoom
10.00am	KEYNOTE - Dr Jennifer Windt (Monash)	<i>Spontaneous thought in wakefulness and sleep</i>	Zoom
10.40am	Morning tea (20 mins)		
	Symposium #4 - Robert M. Ross (Chair)	<i>Cognitive science of belief in misinformation</i>	
11.00am	Mathew D. Marques (La Trobe)	<i>Democracy and belief in conspiracy theories in New Zealand</i>	Zoom
11.20am	Li Qian Tay (U. of Western Australia)	<i>A Comparison of Prebunking and Debunking Interventions for Implied versus Explicit Misinformation</i>	Zoom
11.40am	John Cook (Monash)	<i>Using facts, logic, and humor to counter misconceptions about COVID-19 epidemiological models</i>	Zoom
12.00pm	Yangxueqing Jiang (The ANU)	<i>Climate science endorsers experience an Illusory Truth Effect for both climate science aligning and skeptic aligning claims</i>	Zoom
12.20pm	Robert M. Ross (Macquarie)	<i>Do political partisans believe alternative facts?</i>	Zoom
12.40pm	Lunch (30 mins)		
1.10pm	Jess Crimston (UQ)	<i>What are the odds? Examining pre-schoolers understanding of possibility and probability in a future-oriented task.</i>	In-person
1.30pm	Ruben E. Laukkonen (Vrije Universiteit)	<i>From many to (n)one: Meditation and the plasticity of the predictive mind</i>	In-person
1.50pm	Niccolo Negro (Monash)	<i>Abductive reasoning in consciousness science</i>	Zoom
2.10pm	Tom Cochrane (Flinders)	<i>The Will to Live</i>	Zoom
2.30pm	Omid Ghasemi (Macquarie)	<i>Logical Intuition Is Not Really About Logic</i>	Zoom
3.00pm	Social Event - St Lucy's (UQ)		

Location

Queensland Brain Institute Auditorium
(Building 79)
UQ, St Lucia

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