THIRTY-THIRD ANNUAL INTERDISCIPLINARY CONFERENCE

Teton Village, Jackson Hole, Wyoming

February 3 – February 8, 2008 Organizer: George Sperling, University of California, Irvine

Proceedings

Sunday, February 3: 5:15 - 5:55 pm***Reception***Registration, Snacks, and Refreshments. The Inn, Room 230

Sunday, February 3: 6:00 - 8:00 pm***First Night Miscellany The Inn, Rimrock Room
Richard Shiffrin, Indiana U. Infomercial on Cross-Country Skiing.
Jeff Mulligan, NASA Ames. Current Trends in Operator State Assessment.
Erica Okada, U. Hawaii. Prospective Reflection Versus Memory of Time Expenditures.
Adina Roskies, Dartmouth College. Folk Intuitions About Freedom and Moral Responsibility.
Zhong-Lin Lu, USC. Perceptual Mechanisms and Learning in Anisometropic Amblyopia.

Monday, February 4: 3:45-4:15 pm The Inn, Room 230, Reception

Monday, February 4: 4:20 – 8:00 pm Brain Mechanisms

Bart Krekelberg, *Rutgers U.* Neural Mechanisms of Speed Perception.
John Reynolds, *Salk Inst.* Mapping the Microcircuitry of Attention: Attentional Modulation Varies Across Cell Classes in Visual Area V4.
Duje Tadin, *U. Rochester.* The Mechanisms of Figure-Ground Segregation in Visual Motion Perception.
Steve Shevell, *U. Chicago.* Lateral Inhibition Mediated by Object Segmentation, not Receptive-Field Organization.
Xiaoping Hu, *Emory U. & Georgia Tech.* Assessing Brain Connectivity with fMRI.
Paul Sajda, *Columbia U.* EEG-Informed fMRI Reveals Spatiotemporal Characteristics of Perceptual Decision Making.

Tuesday, February 5: 4:00 – 8:00 pm Individual Differences in Sensory Perception (Organizer: David Peterzell)
David Peterzell, UC San Diego. Identifying Sensory Processes Using Individual Differences in Color Vision.
Michael Webster, U. Nevada, Reno. Adaptation and Perceptual Norms.
Del Lindsey & Angela Brown, Ohio State U. Diversity in Color Naming in the World Color Survey.
Jeremy Wilmer, U. Penn. Isolating Mechanisms of Stereopsis, Motion Perception, and Oculomotor Control With Individual Differences.
Dennis McFadden, U. Texas, Austin. Group and Individual Differences in the Inner Ear.
Ulman Lindenberger, Max Planck Inst. Between- and Within-Person Differences in Evidence Accumulation.

Wednesday, February 6: 4:00 – 8:00 pm Aging; Perception 2

Misha Pavel & Holly Jimison, Oregon Health & Science U. Unobtrusive Assessment of Cognitive Functions Using Computer Games. Tom Busey, Indiana U. Temporal Processing in Hearing, Vision and Touch: Effects of Aging.
Bill Geisler, U. Texas, Austin. Uncertainty Minimization: A Principled Approach for Analyzing Natural Tasks and Scene Statistics. Zygmunt Pizlo, Purdue U. 3D Shape: Its Unique Place in Visual Perception.
Ben Backus, SUNY. A Bayesian Model of Cue Combination For Perceptually Dichotomous Behavior.
George Sperling, UC Irvine. Deriving the Parameters of Attention Filters that Select and Reject Visual Inputs.
**Brief Business Meeting: Where do we go next year?

Thursday, February 7: 4:00 – 8:00 pm Auditory Attention (Organizer: Shihab Shamma); Perception 3 Shihab Shamma, *U. Maryland.* Encoding Task Rules and Performance in Auditory and Frontal Cortex of the Ferret. Barbara Shinn-Cunningham, *Boston U.* Suppressing Irrelevant (and Relevant) Auditory Objects in Complex Auditory Scenes. Mounya Elhilali, *Johns Hopkins U.* Foreground and Background at the Cocktail Party – Interaction Between Attention & Auditory Pop-Out. James Elder, *York U.* A Bayesian Multi-Scale Model of Perceptual Organization. Alex Petrov, *Ohio State U.* The Dynamics of Perceptual Learning in Nonstationary Contexts: Data and Model. Chia-huei Tseng, *National Taiwan U.* Covert Attention Enhances Auditory Loudness.

Friday, February 8: 4:00 – 8:00 pm Cognition and Memory

Patricia Cheng, UCLA. Explaining Why We Don't Think Barometric Readings Cause Storms, and Beyond.
Tim McNamara, Vanderbilt U. The Role of Environmental Geometry in Orientation and Reorientation.
Barbara Dosher, UC Irvine. The Decay of Perceptual Representations in Iconic Memory.
Lynne Reder, Carnegie Mellon U. How Midazolam Can Help Us Understand Human Memory.
Roger Ratcliff, Ohio State U. Modeling Confidence Judgments in Recognition Memory.
Angela Nelson & Richard Shiffrin, Indiana U. Modeling the Co-Evolution of Event Memory and Knowledge: Effects of Experience.

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Attendees

Javier Garcia, UC Irvine Izidor Gertner, CUNY Arvin Hsu, UC Irvine Pamela Jeter, UC Irvine George Kachergis, Indiana U. Bethany Kordella, Ohio State U. Maria Kozhevnikov, George Mason U. Jessica Love, Ohio State U. Eric Mais, U. Hawaii Gail McKoon, Ohio State U. Bennet Murdock, U. Toronto Jeffrey Starns, Ohio State U. Corey White, Ohio State U.