

## August 18

**19:00-21:30** Drinks and registration

## August 19

**9:00-9:30** Registration

**9:30-9:45** Welcome

**9:45-10:45** Keynote Michael Tanenhaus

**10:45-11:00** Short break

### *Situated language comprehension*

**11:00-11:20** *Using knowledge on what others know (or don't know) in discourse processing*

Kamide and Kukona

**11:20-11:40** *Temporal information density and frequency-based routinization as modulators of temporal simulation effects in English*

**Gould\***

**11:40-12:00** Coffee break

**12:00-13:30** Poster session 1

**12:45-13:30** Lunch

### *Metaphors*

**13:30-13:50** *How embodied metaphors of social distance may affect courtroom decisions*

Winter, Daguna, and Matlock

**13:50-14:10** *Figurative language processing in ASD: Incomplete or flawed situation models?*

Vulchanova, Saldaña, Chahboun, and Vulchanov

**14:10-14:30** *How sticks and stones metaphorically break bones in presidential elections*

Coe, Winter, and Matlock

**14:30-14:45** Short break

### *Language and action*

**14:45-15:05** *Interaction between symbolic gestures and communicative words during a lexical processing*

Gentilucci, De Marco, and De Stefano

**15:05-15:25** *Picturing meaning: An ERP study on the integration of left or right-handed first-person perspective pictures into a sentence context*

**De Nooijer**, Gootjes, van Gog, Paas, and Zwaan

**15:25-15:45** *Learning is better with the hands free: The role of affordance on the memory of objects*

Dutriaux and Gyselinck

**15:45-16:15** Coffee break

*Language and action*

**16:15-16:35** *Language-dependent motor cortex responses at the level of word meaning in bilinguals: A study of mu rhythm suppression*

Vukovic and Shtyrov

**16:35-16:55** *Can you handle this? How object affordances determine perspective and representation technique in spontaneous gesture production*

Masson, Goudbeek, and Krahmer

**16:55-17:15** *The role of sensorimotor knowledge in children's language processing*

Wellsby, Ansell, and Pexman

## August 20

### *Language and visual representations*

**9:00-9:20** *Are automatic conceptual cores the gold standard of semantic processing? The context-dependence of spatial meaning in grounded congruency effects*  
Lebois, Wilson-Mendenhall, and **Barsalou**

**9:20-9:40** *Why soft cotton is closer than mellow yellow: Perceptual distance predicts semantic priming effects independent of linguistic associations*  
Connell and Lynott

**9:40-10:00** *Simulating color in language comprehension*  
**Wrega**, Dijkstra, and Zwaan

**10:00-10:15** Short break

### *Language and visual representations*

**10:15-10:35** *Direction of representational shifts in memory for hue is not fixed*  
Kelly and Heit

**10:35-10:55** *Asymmetrical feature binding across language and perception*  
**Bocanegra**, Poletiek, and Zwaan

**10:55-11:15** *Perceptual simulation in blind and sighted individuals*  
Struiksma, Noordzij, Barsalou, and Postma

**11:15-11:45** Coffee break

**11:45-13:15** Poster session 2

**12:30-13:15** Lunch

### *Discourse*

**13:15-13:35** *Simulating fiction: Individual differences in simulation during literature comprehension revealed with fMRI*  
Willems and Nijhof

**13:35-13:55** *The role of grounded event representations in discourse comprehension*  
**Engelen**, Bouwmeester, de Bruin, and Zwaan

**13:55-14:15** *The effects of aging and interference on perceptual simulation during language comprehension*  
Gao and Stine-Morrow

**14:15-14:30** Short break

### *Language and emotion*

**14:30-14:50** *Emotionality is grounded in the approach-avoidance motivations: A new experimental paradigm*  
Kuperman and Warriner

**14:50-15:10** *Valence and laterality: Perceptual biases due to motor dimension of emotional words*

Milhau, Brouillet, and Brouillet

**15:10-15:30** *Are abstract concepts situated in concrete experience?*

**Pecher**, van Straaten, Teh, Merkx, Barsalou, and Zeelenberg

**15:30-16:00** Coffee break

*Language and culture*

**16:00-16:20** *Motor rituals in Islamic prayer as a test of embodied language processing*

**Aveyard**

**16:20-16:40** *The interplay of culture and communicative intention in shaping the production of iconic gestures*

Campisi and Ozyurek

**16:40-17:00** *It's good to see you again: Bilinguals rely on visual interlocutor identity as a cue for language activation*

Molnar, Martin, Ibañez, and Carreiras

**17:00-17:15** Remarks dinner

From **19:00** Conference dinner

## August 21

### *Language and space*

**9:00-9:20** *Eye movements as a predictor of language production; towards a unified account of linguistic alignment and visual priming*

Coventry, Andonova, Tenbrink, Gudde, and Engelhardt

**9:20-9:40** *Visual evidence that simulating language occurs in realistic observation*

Vinson, Zwaan, Dale, Matlock, and Engelen

**9:40-10:00** *Event structure influences on object updating: Accessing new representations in the visual world*

Williams, Kukona, and Kamide

**10:00-10:15** Short break

### *Events*

**10:15-10:35** *Putting things in place incrementally*

Van Bergen and Flecken

**10:35-10:55** *What did you expect? Event-related potentials in response to expectancy violations concerning semantic and syntactic event knowledge*

Drummer, Schaadt, and Van der Meer

**10:55-11:15** *Understanding and segmenting culturally familiar and unfamiliar events*

Defina and Majid

**11:15-11:45** Coffee break

**11:45-12:45** Keynote Jeffrey Zacks

**12:45-13:00** Closing remarks

From **13:00** Social event (optional)

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