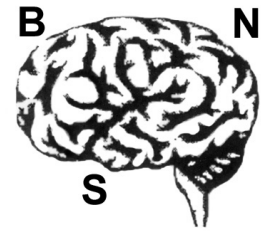


THE BRITISH NEUROPSYCHOLOGICAL SOCIETY



March 2008 Newsletter

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BNS Spring Meeting 2008

Gilliat Lecture Theatre, Institute of Neurology, Queen Square, London, WC1N 3BG
Tuesday 8th and Wednesday 9th April 2008

President's invited lectures

Marlene Berhman

Facing Facts: The psychological and neural bases of face processing

Laurel Buxbaum

Meaning and Action: Inroads at the Semantic/Motor Crossroads.

Elizabeth Warrington Prize Lecture

Dana Samson

Reading other people's mind: insights from neuropsychology

8th April: 'Developmental Neuropsychiatric Disorders'
Symposium organised by Georgina Jackson

9th April: 'Neuropsychology and Emotion'
Symposium organised by Pia Rotshtein

Cost: £5 per day. No pre-registration required, please pay at the venue.

Programme: <http://www.psychology.nottingham.ac.uk/bns/ProgSpring08.pdf>

Abstracts: <http://www.psychology.nottingham.ac.uk/bns/AbstractsSpring08.pdf>

The AGM will be held on the 9th April at Gilliat Lecture Theatre 1.00, Institute of Neurology, Queen Square, London.

The agenda for the meeting and minutes from the previous AGM are attached for members.

Bursaries

Postgraduate bursaries are available toward the cost of attending the Spring meeting (up to a maximum of £200 each). An application form can be printed from the BNS website

<http://www.psychology.nottingham.ac.uk/bns/bursaries.htm>. Please post the completed form to: Prof. Debi Roberson, BNS Treasurer, Dept. of Psychology, University of Essex, Wivenhoe Park, Colchester, CO4 2SQ.

Call for New Members

Applications for new associate and full members are invited for consideration at the next committee meeting. Application forms can be downloaded from the website <http://www.psychology.nottingham.ac.uk/bns/Membership%20rules.htm>.

Other Meetings

The first formal meeting of the **Federation of the European Societies of Neuropsychology (ESN)** to be held in Edinburgh, Scotland, 2nd -5th September 2008. This meeting is jointly hosted by the BNS and will replace our Autumn 2008 meeting. The conference is dedicated to furthering our understanding of brain-behaviour relationships and neuropsychological disorders and will cover

some important themes currently debated in Neuropsychology. We have an exciting conference program which includes keynote lectures by Professor Giacomo Rizzolatti, Professor David Milner and Professor Tim Shallice.

<http://www.fesn.eu/conference/home>

Submissions for poster and oral presentations are now being accepted online until 31st March 2008.

http://www.fesn.eu/conference/call_for_submissions

Edinburgh has one of the most beautiful cityscapes in the world and with Scotland's most famous castle dominating the city skyline, there is plenty to see and do. A number of traditional Scottish social events have also been organised including a whisky tasting and an informal evening of Scottish traditional music and dancing, which will guarantee that this conference is one to remember!

The 12th Congress of the European Federation of Neurological Societies (EFNS) Madrid, Spain, August 23-26, 2008.

The upcoming congress in Madrid brings together more than 4000 neurologists from various specialities with a full scientific programme including teaching courses, main topics, focused workshops, satellite symposia, short communications and posters. Almost all fields of neurology will be covered, and include Parkinson's disease / movement disorders, dementia, multiple sclerosis, cerebrovascular diseases, epilepsy, muscle disorders.

<http://www.kenes.com/efns/mailshots/ms5.htm?ref5=text1>

PENS Partially Supported School 2008

April 27 - May 5, 2008

Models in neuroscience: turning experiments into knowledge

<http://fens.mdc-berlin.de/pens/2008/schools/st-petersburg/>

2nd Biennial decog Conference

Clinical and Research Perspectives in Developmental Neuropsychology
28-29 March 2008

Keynote Address – Developmental prosopagnosia - Dr Brad Duchaine

Keynote Address – Follow-up of children with extremely low birth

weight: Implications for research and practice - Professor H. Gerry Taylor

The Children's Hospital at Westmead, Sydney, Australia

All enquiries to decog@chw.edu.au

European Research Network for Investigating Human Sensorimotor Function in Health and Disease

Scientific Workshop: 21st-22nd April 2008

Recent Advances in Magnetic Resonance Imaging and Lesion Reconstruction
Techniques for Understanding Human Brain Function

Venue: Hungarian Academy of Sciences, Budapest, Hungary.

Invited Speakers Include:

Masud Husain, Institute of Cognitive Neuroscience, UK

Hans-Otto Karnath, University of Tuebingen, Germany

Christopher Rorden, University of South Carolina, USA.

Attendance at this meeting is free however pre-registration is required as the number of attendees is limited. To register and to obtain further information please contact claire.Whitney@nottingham.ac.uk

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