



## BNS Autumn Meeting 2011

Wednesday-Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup>-3<sup>rd</sup> November 2011

Clinical Neurosciences Centre, 33 Queen Square, London, WC1N 3BG

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### On-line pre-registration:

To help us organize the catering, please let us know if you intend to come to the meeting.

Simply fill in the form here: <http://www.the-bns.org/preregistration.html>

### Registration cost:

FREE for BNS members, £10 for students and unwaged participants, £20 for all others. Please pay at the venue. Why not become a member and come for free?

<http://www.the-bns.org/membership.html>

### Conference Meal:

To be held on 2<sup>nd</sup> November at 7:30pm. Cost: £35 or £25 (students) including drinks. Payable using PayPal (via BNS website) or cheque (to "British Neuropsychological Society") to Dr. Jamie Ward, School of Psychology, University of Sussex, Falmer, Brighton, BN1 9QH.

Deadline: 1<sup>st</sup> October 2011.

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## Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> November 2011

**SYMPOSIUM: "The Challenge of Early Diagnosis of Alzheimer's Disease and other Dementias: Neuroimaging and Neuropsychological Strategies".**

Organized by **Dr. Dennis Chan** (Brighton and Sussex Medical School)

### **Freda Newcombe lecture by Ian Robertson**

**"As big a Threat as Global Warming: Can Neuropsychology help delay Cognitive Ageing?"**

Sponsored by Wiley-Blackwell

**SYMPOSIUM to mark 20th Anniversary of  
'Neuropsychological Rehabilitation'**

Sponsored by Psychology Press

Organized by **Prof. Matt Lambon-Ralph** (University of Manchester)

**Free papers and posters on the theme of neuropsychological rehabilitation**

The provisional programme can be found at: <http://www.the-bns.org/meetings.html>

**Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> November 2011**

**THE JOHN MARSHALL MEMORIAL DEBATE**  
**"Executive Functions: Divide and Conquer?"**

**Prof. John Duncan** (MRC CBU, University of Cambridge) and  
**Prof. Tim Shallice** (UCL and SISSA, Italy)

**Free papers and posters on the theme of neuropsychological rehabilitation**

**THE CALL FOR ABSTRACTS IS CLOSED**

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*We are grateful to Cambridge University Press and Wiley-Blackwell for sponsoring the BNS meetings.*

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**Call for Papers for the Spring meeting 2012**

**BNS Spring Meeting 2012**

**Wednesday and Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> and 29<sup>th</sup> March 2012**

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**10<sup>th</sup> Elizabeth Warrington Prize lecture by Sebastian Crutch (UCL)**

*"Seeing why they can't see: Neuropsychological and Neuroimaging Investigations of Visual Disintegration in Posterior Cortical Atrophy"*

**President's invited lecture by Alex Martin**

Sponsored by Cambridge University Press

**Symposium to be confirmed**

Organized by Matt Lambon Ralph

**THE CALL FOR ABSTRACTS IS NOW OPEN**

Please submit by the 10<sup>th</sup> of November 2011 a 250 word abstract structured with the following subheadings: objectives, methods, results and conclusions to Jamie Ward [jamiew@sussex.ac.uk](mailto:jamiew@sussex.ac.uk).

*We warmly thank those who made a donation to the BNS for their generosity. If you want to learn more about these donations and/or would like to make a donation, please visit our website:*

<http://www.the-bns.org/donations.html>

### **Bursaries**

Postgraduate bursaries are available toward the cost of attending the Autumn meeting 2011 (up to a maximum of £200 each). An application form can be downloaded from the BNS website [www.the-bns.org/Bursaries.htm](http://www.the-bns.org/Bursaries.htm).

Please post the completed form to:

Dr Ashok Jansari, BNS Treasurer, School of Psychology, University of East London, Stratford Campus, Water Lane, London E15 4LZ.

### **Registration fees and on-line pre-registration**

BNS members who paid their subscription fees can now benefit from FREE registration. Simply provide your name at the registration desk at the venue. In order to help us organise the catering, please let us know if you intend to come. To do so, simply fill in the form on the BNS website: <http://www.the-bns.org/preregistration.html>

### **Call for nominations for the 11<sup>th</sup> Elizabeth Warrington Prize**

BNS members are invited to submit nominations for the 11<sup>th</sup> Elizabeth Warrington Prize. The prize is awarded in recognition of the achievements of a neuropsychologist at an early stage in their career (see item 12 of the BNS Constitution, <http://www.the-bns.org/constitution.html>). A CV and letter of support should be submitted by the 1st of October 2011 via email to [n.edelstyn@psy.keele.ac.uk](mailto:n.edelstyn@psy.keele.ac.uk) or regular mail to Dr Nicky Edelstyn, School of Psychology, Keele University, Keele, Staffordshire ST5 5BG.

### **Committee Member Changes**

As of spring 2011, Nicky Edelstyn has become Meetings Secretary. Sarah MacPherson and Beth Jefferies replace Jamie Ward and Anna Woollams as Ordinary committee members. Marjan Jahanshahi is the Joint BNS and BPS/Division of Neuropsychology member. The composition of the current committee can be found on the BNS website <http://www.the-bns.org/committee.html>.

### **Nominations for two Ordinary Committee Members and Treasurer**

Applications are invited for the post of BNS treasurer and two ordinary members, to take up position following the Spring BNS meeting 2012. Please send a full academic CV and complete a short application form (downloaded from the BNS website <http://www.the-bns.org/committee.html> ) to Dr Nicky Edelstyn, BNS Membership Secretary, by the 1st of October 2011 to be considered at the Autumn committee meeting.

### **New members**

The BNS warmly welcomes the following new BNS members: Dr Samrah Ahmed Ali (University of London), Prof Michael Anderson (University of Cambridge), Dr Richard Binney (University of Manchester), Dr Roshan Das Nair (Nottingham University Hospitals NHS Trust), Dr John Hudson (University of Lincoln), Dr Sabah Kahn (National Hospital, Queens Square), and Fionnuala Murphy (University of Cambridge).

We are also very pleased to welcome Miss Lindsey Hull (University of Manchester), Mr Thomas Sheperd (Keele University), Miss Aimée Titchen (Keele University), Miss Jennifer Thomson (University of Manchester), and Miss Elizabeth Walters (University of Bradford) as associate members.

### **Call for New Members**

Applications for new associate and full members are invited for consideration by the BNS committee. Application forms can be downloaded from the BNS website [www.the-bns.org/Membership.htm](http://www.the-bns.org/Membership.htm) and need to be sent by the 1st of October 2011 to be considered at the Autumn committee meeting. Please send the forms to:

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### **Membership Handbook**

The new BNS membership handbook will soon be made available electronically. If your title, contact details and/or interests have changed compared to the information provided in the 2006 Handbook, and you have not informed yet the BNS Membership Secretary about the changes, please email the new details to Nicky Edelstyn at [n.edelstyn@psy.keele.ac.uk](mailto:n.edelstyn@psy.keele.ac.uk). If you would like to check whether the current details in the BNS database are correct, please contact Nicky Edelstyn as well.

### **Journal of Neuropsychology - Best Paper Prize**

The JNP is offering an annual Prize for best paper of the year, and BNS members are encouraged to submit their work to JNP. The selection procedure will include a first step by which the JNP editorial board in consultation with the BNS and BPS/Division of Neuropsychology (DoN) will shortlist a subset of papers. The JNP editor, BNS president and DoN chair will then choose the winner amongst the papers put forward.

### **Other Meetings**

Please note that the advertisements of meetings that may be of interest to members are updated throughout the year on the BNS website:

[http://www.the-bns.org/other\\_meetings.html](http://www.the-bns.org/other_meetings.html)

Workshop on 'The developing brain: perspectives from typical and atypical development' that will be held at the Carmen de la Victoria (opposite the Alhambra Palace), Granada, Spain from 15th-17th September 2011.

Attendance at the meeting is free but registration is required (go to [www.erni-hsf.eu/granada2011/](http://www.erni-hsf.eu/granada2011/)). Please note that registration is now open. A number of bursaries are available for junior scientists.

3<sup>rd</sup> Scientific meeting of the Federation of European Societies of Neuropsychology

The website of the Federation of European Societies of Neuropsychology, will take place in the Congress Centre, Basle, Switzerland from the 7<sup>th</sup> to the 9<sup>th</sup> of September 2011. For further information please visit the website <http://www.fesn.eu/>

Sent via email to BNS members: Minutes of the AGM 2011

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