

A Post-CNS Symposium

Biological and Environmental Factors that Impact Multilingualism

This symposium will discuss endogenous and exogenous sources of variability relevant to cross-linguistic and cross-cultural studies of language and literacy. At the endogenous level, we will discuss the impact of cognitive model selection and hierarchical neural oscillations on language processing, and links between music and language. At the exogenous level, we will discuss variability in language exposure and environmental factors (e.g. socioeconomic status [SES], environmental exposures). We also examine the challenges inherent in quantifying and predicting language capacity across diverse groups.

OTHER SPEAKERS & DISCUSSANTS: Blair Armstrong (U Toronto), Manuel Carreiras (BCBL), Ram Frost (Hebrew), Nicole Landi (U Conn), Nicola Molinaro (BCBL), Ken Pugh (Haskins), Jay Rueckl (U Conn), Nandini Singh (NBRC), Denise Wu (NCU)

Co-Organized By: Fumiko Hoefft (UCSF), Roeland Hancock (UCSF) and Jason Zevin (USC)

KEYNOTES

Systems

David Poeppel (NYU/MPIAE)

Cognitive Models

Michael C. Frank (Stanford)

Linguistic Background

Elizabeth Peña (UT Austin)

Music & Language

Ani Patel (Tufts)

Environment

Brenda Eskenazi
(UC Berkeley)

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