

Workshop - Language Comprehension across the Lifespan

Monday, April 9th, 2018

9:00-9:30	Registration
9:30-10:00	Welcome
10:00-11:00	Michele T. Diaz (Pennsylvania State University) Effects of task difficulty on semantic and phonological aspects of language comprehension and production in younger and older adults
11:00-11:20	Coffee break
11:20-12:20	Katinka Dijkstra (Erasmus University Rotterdam) Situation model updating in younger and older adults
12:20-13:00	Evie Malaia (FRIAS and Purdue University) Interaction of language comprehension and working memory: Cross-sectional analysis
13:00-14:00	LUNCH
14:00-15:00	Deniz Başkent (University of Groningen) Perception of voice and speaking styles in cochlear-implant users: a case study of individual differences
15:00-15:30	Adriana Hanulíková (University of Freiburg and University of Konstanz) Advantage accented? How talker identity affects speech processing across the life span
15:30-16:00	Coffee break
16:00-17:00	Antje Heinrich (University of Manchester) On the role of cognition for speech intelligibility in younger and older listeners in a range of listening situations
18:30	WORKSHOP DINNER

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9:30-10:30	Fermín Moscoso del Prado Martín (University of California, Santa Barbara) The potential of corpus analyses for studying language in aging.
10:30-11:15	Catherine McBride (FRIAS and Chinese University of Hong Kong) Speed matters for higher order literacy skills
11:15-11:45	Coffee break
11:45-12:45	Joana Acha (University of the Basque Country UPV/EHU) Cognitive markers of language development in primary school children
12:45-13:45	LUNCH
13:45-14:15	Evelyn C. Ferstl (University of Freiburg) Comprehension of pragmatic language in older adults: The case of verbal humour
14:15-15:15	Debra Titone (McGill University) How does bilingual experience over the lifespan impact natural reading and enduring changes in cognition?
15:15-15:45	Coffee break
15.45-16:30	Final Discussion: Challenges and future of lifespan and aging studies
17:00	FINGERFOOD DINNER