

Linguistic & Cognitive Foundations of Meaning

18th – 21st May 2021

Invitation

Due to global pandemic conditions, DUCOG 2021 will take place online between May 18-21.

Language and cognition are intimately linked, but debates about the exact nature of their relationship still occupy a central focus in cognitive science. Meaning provides an important window onto the interface between language and broader cognition: on one hand, language can be viewed as mapping onto pre-existing concepts, on the other hand, language can be thought of as a set of cues to meaning. Our invited program brings together an interdisciplinary set of speakers with diverse theoretical perspectives and empirical approaches to discuss issues at the interface of language and cognition within the domain of meaning.

Due to the online format, we are introducing two streams for contributed presentations. One stream will involve a selected number of live talks to the whole conference audience; while the other, bigger stream will involve asynchronous presentations with pre-loaded presentation materials and the possibility for focused exchanges with presenters.

[Conference programme](https://ducog.cecog.eu/programme)

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Invited talks

Marina Bedny
John Hopkins University
USA

Susan Carey
Harvard University
USA

Emmanuel Chemla
CNRS, LSCP, Ecole Normale Supérieure
France

Jennifer Culberston
University of Edinburgh
UK

Jean-Rémy Hochmann
CNRS, Institut des Sciences Cognitives Marc
Jeannerod
France

Gary Lupyan
University of Wisconsin-Madison
USA

Paul Pietroski
Rutgers University
USA

Uli Sauerland
Leibniz-Zentrum Allgemeine Sprachwissenschaft
Germany

Alexis Wellwood
University of Southern California
USA

Organisers

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