



Memory Day 2015

Memory and Skill Across Time

Keynote Speakers:

David Kirsh UC San Diego | Qi Wang Cornell University
Pamela O. Long MacArthur Fellow | Chris Button University of Otago



6 – 9 December 2015
Barclay Theatre | Otago Museum



Free registration via
otago.ac.nz/englishlinguistics/memoryday2015

Programme

Sunday 6 December

Port Chalmers Town Hall, Grey Street, Port Chalmers

4:00 pm Introduction and welcome: Lyn Tribble, Amanda Barnier, John Sutton

4:15-5:00 **Keynote 1: Chris Button** (University of Otago)
Motor skill learning is a nonlinear process: Implications for pedagogy

5:15-6:45 **Panel 1: Memory, Skill, and Methods Across Disciplines**

Kath Bicknell (Cognitive Science, Macquarie)
Performance under pressure: skill, memory and interdisciplinary research

Rachel Yuen-Collingridge (Ancient History, Macquarie)
Disciplinary expertise in encountering the Past: Memory Studies and Historiography

Vana Webster (Cognitive Science, Macquarie)
Are we on the same page?: Exploring group strategy coordination as a collaborative memory skill developed over time

Kourken Michaelian (Philosophy, Otago)
The scope of memory: Is consciousness of subjective time essential to remembering?

7:00-9:00 pm Barbeque/Reception (Carey's Bay)

Monday 7 December

Barclay Theatre, Otago Museum, Great King Street

9:00-10.15am **Welcome** from University of Otago Vice Chancellor Harlene Hayne

Keynote 2: Qi Wang (Cornell)
Personal remembering across time and culture

10:15-10:30 Comfort break

10:30-12:00 **Panel 2: Memory and Skill in Development**

Peter Rendell (Psychology, Australian Catholic University)
Contrasting age-related prospective memory performance in laboratory and naturalistic settings

Damian Scarf (Psychology, Otago)
Mental time travel across development

Donna Rose Addis (Psychology, Auckland)
Autobiographical memory conjunction errors in young and older adults

Karen Salmon (Psychology, Victoria)
The longitudinal relationships between overgeneral memory and adolescents' psychological functioning

12:00–1:00 LUNCH – Own arrangements

1:00-3:00 **Panel 3: Forensic Memory**

Maryanne Garry (Psychology, Victoria)
Introduction

Ryan Burnell (Psychology, Victoria)
How ordered questions bias eyewitnesses

Cassandra Burton-Wood (Psychology, Victoria)
Saving and erasing memories

Andrea Taylor (Psychology, Victoria)
Eyewitnesses who feel more powerful may be harder to mislead

Brittany Cardwell (Psychology, Otago)
Nonprobative photos rapidly cause false beliefs about the past

Megan Parry (Psychology, Victoria)
The secret life of passwords

3:00-3:30 Afternoon tea (catered)

3:30-5:00 **Panel 4: Remembering, Collaboration, and Skill**

Catherine Browning (Cognitive Science, Macquarie)
Collaborative prospective memory in strangers and couples: The disastrous effect on keeping track of time

Rochelle Cox (Cognitive Science, Macquarie)
Using hypnosis to create amnesia, disrupt temporal sequencing, and elicit confabulation

Sophia Harris (ARC Centre for Cognition and its Disorders, Macquarie)
Recall strategies in collaborative remembering: How can we quantify collaborative skill?

Katya Numbers (Cognitive Science, Macquarie)
Age and the social contagion of false memory

5:15-6:30 **Keynote 3: David Kirsh (UCSD)**
Thinking with our bodies and other things

7:30 **DINNER** at Madam Woo, 115 Lower Stuart Street, Dunedin

Tuesday 8 December

Barclay Theatre, Otago Museum, Great King Street

9:00-10:15 **Keynote 4: Pamela O. Long** (MacArthur Fellow)
Engineering, topography, and the lure of antiquity in late sixteenth-century Rome

10:15-11:00 Morning tea (catered)

11:00-12:00 **Panel 5: Māori, Skill and Memory**

Poia Rewi (Te Tumu, Otago)
Etched in the Forehead

Michael Stevens (History & Art History, Otago)
'Something Māori to talk about': An embodied approach to Mātauranga

12:00-1:00 LUNCH – Own arrangements

1:00-3:00 **Panel 6: Memory and Skill Across Media**

Karen Pearlman (MMCCS, Macquarie)
Woman with an editing bench: Vertov, Svilova and extended mind

Anthony Robins (Computer Science, Otago)
Artificial neural networks and catastrophic forgetting

Neil Vallely (English & Linguistics, Otago)
Memory in transit: The skill of way-making

James Tregonning (English & Linguistics, Otago)
Crossing the line: Skill automaticity and politicised violence in video games

Mark Houlahan (English, Waikato)
Rites of memory and cultural enskilling: New Zealand's Shakespeare in the Great War

3:00-3:30 Comfort break

3:30-5:15 **Panel 7: History, Skill and Memory**

Malcolm Choat (Ancient Cultures Research Centre, Macquarie)
Memory, history and scribal practice in late Antique Egypt

Terence Doyle (Medicine, Otago)
Giordano Bruno and the Renaissance theory of Memory

Aidan Norrie (English & Linguistics, Otago)
Child actors' skill in Elizabethan entertainments

Evelyn Tribble (English & Linguistics, Otago)
Thinking with the body in Early Modern England

5.15 DINNER – Own arrangements

Wednesday 9 December

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9:00-10:00 **Panel 8: Remembering Together**

Celia Harris (Cognitive Science, Macquarie)
Conversational remembering as skilled action

Amanda Barnier (Cognitive Science, Macquarie)
Memory collaboration and conversational skill across a lifetime: Early thoughts on the impact of hearing loss

10:00-11:00 **Memory and Skill Across Time: Overview and Discussion**

John Sutton (Cognitive Science, Macquarie)