Conference Program

Thinking with Hands, Eyes and Things. TRENDS IN INTERDISCIPLINARY STUDIES. An International Avant-Conference 2013, November 7-10, Torun, Poland

Thursday November 7th		
16.00-18.30	18.30-18. 45 – BREAK	18. 45
How Radical is Enactivism? The Book Symposium with DANIEL HUTTO and ERIK MYIN		Meeting with The Interdisciplinary Research Center Humanities/Art/Technology
Chairperson: Tomasz Komendziński. Additional papers by Michael Kimmel and Marcin Milkowski		

Friday November 8th		Saturday November 9th		Sunday November 10th	
9.00-9.45 - REGISTRATION 9.30-9.45 - COFFEE 9.45-10.00 Welcoming words 10.00-11.00 DAVID KIRSH Thinking outside the Brain: how we use our body and nearby objects for thought Keynote Lecture		9.00-9.15 – COFFEE 9.15-10.15 ANTHONY P. CHEMERO Against Smallism and Localism Keynote Lecture		9.00-9.15 – COFFEE 9.15-10.35 Symposium with J. KEVIN O'REGAN Why things feel the way they do: the sensorimotor approach to understanding phenomenal consciousness Chairperson: Etienne B. Roesch	
11.00-11.15 – COFFEE BREAK		10.15-10.30 – COFFEE BREAK		10.35-10.50 – COFFEE BREAK	
11.15-11.45 Regina Elisabeth Fabry – Reading and Enculturated Cognition: An Action-Oriented Predictive Processing Account	11.15-11.45 Dariusz Zapała – Sensorimotor rhythms (SMR) oscillations during motor imagery and voluntary modulation. From social cognition to brain-computer interfaces	10.30-11.00 Magdalena Brodziak – A time for art. A cognitive deposit of chronology in artistic construction of opus	10.30-11.00 Andrzej W. Nowak – Navigating with GPS, relatives and maps. Embodiment of sociohistorical inequalities and distributed cognition	10.50-11.20 Georg Theiner – The symbol un-grounding problem	10.50-11.20 Leon Ciechanowski – Sense of agency in embodied action. Is this phenomenon forcing us to redefine enactivism?
11.45-12.15 Gyan Prakash – The Nature of Thinking Thoughts	11.45-12.15 Bibianna Bałaj - Visual scanning of figurative and abstract paintings. Research of naïve in the field of art	11.00-11.30 Patricia Grosse – Augustine's Impossibly Disembodied Reason: Looking Back to Look Forward	11.00-11.30 Dorota Wysok – Trends in Neuropsychology: From neural to social network. Implications for mental health	11.20-11.50 Marcin Miłkowski – Abstract Representations as Material Symbols	11.20-11.50 Juan Diego Morales – The emergence of mind from action and behavior
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12.30-13.00 Adam Toon - Situating science	12.30-13.00 Lucas Bietti – Embodied and distributed remembering	11.45-12.15 Mariusz Kozak – From Heidegger's Hammer to Air Guitar: Understanding Music with the Body	11.45-12.15 Andrzej Kapusta – Mental disorder, delusions and embodiment	12.05-13.05 JOANNA RĄCZASZEK-LEONARDI Thinking with Hands, Eyes, Things and Others Keynote Lecture	
13.00-13.30 Katarzyna Stadnik – Human cognition: Situated or social?	13.00-13.30 Matthew Crippen – Dewey's Phenomenology and Embodiment Theory in the Cognitive Sciences	12.15-12.45 Gregory Sandstrom – An Ear for an Eye: The Story of Human Extension 12.45 -13.15 Michael Kimmel – Improvised interaction in embodied dyads: a mixed methods approach to Tango Argentino	12.15-12.45 Zsuzsanna Kondor – Theoretical Controversies – Terminological Biases 12.45 -13.15 Danuta Chmielewska-Banaszak – Psychological Researches Supporting a Thesis of Embodied Cognition		
13:30-14.45 – LUNCH BREAK		13.15-14.30 – LUNCH BREAK		13.05-14.20 – LUNCH BREAK	
14.45-15.45 CHRISTOPHER BABER Thinking Through Tools: what can tool use tell us about Distributed Cognition? Keynote Lecture		14.30-15.30 RICHARD MENARY <i>The Enculturated Brain</i> Keynote Lecture		14.20-14.50 Michał Cieśla – Implicit learning study using social networks	14.20-14.50 Magdalena Rembowska-Płuciennik - Fellows we live by. Literary character as a tool for thinking and problem-solving

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16.00-16.30 Natalia Juchniewicz – The crisis of hands? The scientific/artistic "fabrication" of facts and artifacts	16.15-16.30 Ken Pepper – Sensory Substitution: A Merleau-Pontian Account	15.45.16.15 Orestis Palermos – Loops, Constitution, and Cognitive Extension	15.45.16.15 Marek Pokropski – Timing Together. The Problem of Intersubjective Temporality in the Phenomenology and Cognitive Sciences	Ivelin Sardamov – March of the Analysts: Existential Overload and the Limits of Understanding in the Social Sciences	Przemysław Nowakowski – Fragile, fallible but extended self
16.30-17.00 Agnieszka Bandura & Jerzy Luty - What (if anything) makes art special? On aesthetic behavior in evolutionary aesthetics, prehistoric art and everyday life 17.00-17.30 Joanna Malinowska — Biocultural constructivism: how culture becomes a structure of our brains	16.45-17.00 Błażej Skrzypulec – Ontological Correlates of Visual Representations 17.15-17.30 Knud Thomsen – The Ouroboros Model embraces its sensory-motoric foundations	16.15-16.45 Barbara Trybulec – Mind Embedded or Extended? The tension in the Theory of The Situated Mind	16.15-16.45 Manuela Ungurenau – Cultural origins of experiences with word meaning	15.20-15.50 Katarzyna Chajbos – Emotions in social science: a troublesome supplement or a convenient indicator? Discussion about practical adaptation of emotions in research exemplified by shame	15.20-15.50 Marcin Trybulec – Thinking through mind and media. The extensions of man reconsidered
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17.45.19.05 Symposium with ROBERT K. LOGAN Language and Media as Extensions of the Mind Chairperson: Georg Theiner		17.00-17.40 – POSTER SESSION Giuseppe Leonardi – Recurrence methods in the study of human discourse Bartosz Majchrowicz – The more I act the more I perceive – dynamics of experience in distal-to-tactile sensory substitution (Co-authors: M. Łukowska, W. Kałwak, M. Wierzchoń) Marcin Zaród – Non-formal science and technology. Preliminary participant observation study of Kombinat (Fab-Lab Łódź) Lisa Guthrie – The Hands that Do the Thinking: Interactivity in Mental Arithmetic Aleksandra Frej, Joanna Konstanty, Łukasz Blechar – TBA		16.05-17.25 Symposium with ALAN COSTALL Canonical Affordances Chairperson: Krystyna Bielecka	
19.05 The Old Town welcomes!		17.40-17.55 – COFFEE BREAK		17.25-17.40 – COFFEE BREAK	
		17.55-19.10 DISCUSSION PANEL		17.40-18.10 Minakshi Das – Thinking Like a Video Gamer: A Philosophical Study of Understanding Embodied Subjectivity	17.40-18.10 Archana Barua – Way of Thinking Differently: An Attempt at Thinking with Hands
		19.20 The Conference Banquet			18.10-18.40 Marcin J. Schroeder – Localization of Cognitive Mechanisms
				18.40-18.55 – COFFEE BREAK	
				18.55-19.55 Digging into Blogging Workshop On the role of science blogging	g (and other tools for electroni

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communication, and interaction) in the development of academic thought

19.55 Closing words