





AnHuTrAp workshop

Cambridge/Oxford/Düsseldorf/Marseille Research Workshop on Animal-Human Translational Approaches to Decision-Making in Neuroeconomics October 7-8, 2021

Venue: AMU-AMSE, 5 boulevard Maurice Bourdet, 13001 Marseille

- October 7: amphithéâtre (3rd floor)
- October 8: amphithéâtre (3rd floor) to 12.35 and meeting room (2nd floor) from 14.00

October 7

Open to the public (within the limits of available places)

14.00-14.45	Tobias Kalenscher, Institute of Experimental Psychology, Düsseldorf Purchasing power of effort in rat consumers - Budget effects on price elasticity depend on anterior cingulate cortex integrity
14.45-15.30	Christelle Baunez, Institut Neurosciences Timone, Marseille The subthalamic nucleus in decision making under various conditions in rats, monkeys, and human subjects
15.30-15.45	Coffee break
15.45-16.30	Wolfram Schultz, Dept of Physiology, Development and Neuroscience, Cambridge <i>Economic risk and outlier rewards</i>
16.30-17.00	General discussion and coffee break

October 8

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	10.00-10.35	Simone Ferrari-Toniolo, Dept of Physiology, Development and Neurosc., Cambridge <i>Probability weighting and utility coding in orbitofrontal neurons</i> - presentation online
	10.35-11.00	Yue Hu, Institute of Experimental Psychology, Düsseldorf From Chocolate milk to Victoria secret: a comparative study of primary reward consumption under budget constraints
	11.00-11.25	Coffee break
	11.25-12.00	Stéphane Luchini or Patrick Pintus , Aix-Marseille School of Economics, Marseille <i>Decision-making in rats is sensitive to rare and extreme events</i>
	12.00-12.35	Andrea Brovelli, Institut Neurosciences Timone, Marseille Functional connectivity during decision making
	12.35-14.00	Lunch break
	14.00-17.00	Research groupe meeting







Themes and Objectives of the Research Group

How the evolutionary roots of human decision-making processes relate to choice mechanisms and to their neural substrates in animals has been a traditional subject matter for biology, psychology and neuroscience. However, social sciences have hardly explored such a methodological approach to gain a better understanding of both how people make decisions and how societies get organized.

The interdisciplinary research group on Animal-Human Translational Approaches (AnHuTrAp) aims at advancing the research frontier on decision-making by building bridges between approaches developed in evolutionary ecology, neurobiology psychology and economics. The three teams from Cambridge/Oxford, Düsseldorf and Marseille are currently conducting research based on a translational approach that combines the use of animal (rats and monkeys) as well as of human models and that develops experimental methods to do so.

Research Group Members

Cambridge/Oxford team

- Wolfram Schultz and Simone Ferrari-Toniolo Department of Physiology, Development and Neuroscience, Churchill College, University of Cambridge
- Fabian Grabenhorst Department of Experimental Psychology, University of Oxford

Düsseldorf team

 Tobias Kalenscher and Yue Hu - Institute of Experimental Psychology, Heinrich Heine University Düsseldorf

Marseille team

- Christelle Baunez and Mickaël Degoulet Institut Neurosciences Timone
- Stéphane Luchini and Patrick Pintus Aix-Marseille School of Economics