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Neural Roots of Awareness, Emotion and Action in Man and Animals

A tribute to Larry Weiskrantz

Thursday 30th June 2016 - h 9:00

Accademia delle Scienze di Torino, Sala dei Mappamondi
Via Accademia delle Scienze 6, Torino

9:00-9:30 Welcome and Award Ceremony

9:00-9:10 Welcome Address

Gianmaria Ajani, Rector of the University of Turin

9:10-9:20 Laudatio: *"Standing on the Shoulders of a Giant"*

Marco Tamietto, University of Turin

9:20-9:30 Award Ceremony

Alessandro Vercelli, Director of the NIT

Alessandro Zennaro, Head of the Dept. of Psychology

9:30-10:00 *"A surprise before any of the others"*

Larry Weiskrantz, University of Oxford

The Symposium

Session 1: Emotion



10:00-10:30 Edmund T. Rolls

OXCNS and Warwick University, UK

"Emotion: A tribute to Larry"

10:30-11:00 Joseph E. LeDoux

New York University, USA

"Coming to Terms with Fear"



11:00-11:30 Marco Tamietto

University of Turin, Italy

"Neural Routes of Emotional (Un)awareness"

11:30-12:00 General Discussion

Chair: Gabriele Beccaria - Director of *TuttoScienze* - *La Stampa*

Session 2: Awareness and Action



13:00-13:30 Melvyn A. Goodale
University Western Ontario, Canada
*"What Content of Consciousness Are
Dependent on the Ventral and Dorsal Stream of*

13:30-14:00 Richard Passingham
University of Oxford, UK
"Awareness and Action"



14:00-14:30 Robert Kentridge
Durham University, UK
*"Does Unconscious Perception Exist: Unconscious
Perception of Object Colour"*

14:30-15:00 Beatrice de Gelder
Maastricht University, The Netherlands
"Blindvision in the Intact Brain"



15:00-15:30 General Discussion

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15:30-16:00 Coffee Break

Session 3: Blindsight and Beyond



16:00-16:30 Carlo A. Marzi
University of Verona, Italy
*"Sparks from the Dark: Neural Responses to Visual
Stimuli from a Blind Hemisphere"*

16:30-17:00 Arash Sahraie
University of Aberdeen, UK
*"Changing Reported Awareness in Blindsight and
its Implications for Vision Rehabilitation in
Cortically Blind"*



17:00-17:30 Giovanni Berlucchi
University of Verona, Italy
"Body, Brain and Mind"

17:30-18:00 General Discussion

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18:00 Larry Weiskrantz: Concluding Remarks

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