NVG Meeting 2021

Wednesday November 24

Time	Activity	Location
10:00-17:00	PhD Workshop	Zaal 552
17:00-18:00	Registration	
18:00	Dinner	
19:00	Welcome - Drinks	Bar

20:30-21:30	Dobberke Evening Lecture	Lamoraal
	(ZOOM/VIDEO)	zaal
	Mirjam Knörnschild (Museum of Natural History, Berlin)	
	Vocal production learning in bats – from babbling pups to singing	
	adults (Chair Wendt Müller)	

Thursday November 25

Time	Activity	Location
Session 1	Social Behaviour (in groups) (Chair Wendt Müller)	Lamoraal
		zaal
	Keynote Lecture	
9:30-10:00	Lysanne Snijders Getting social with guppies: social facilitation of food	
	patch discovery in the wild	
10:00-10:15	Peter Korsten Extra-pair mating as an inbreeding avoidance strategy	
	in blue tits?	
10:15-10:30	Paolo Panizzon Laterality and Personality in the Threespined	
	Stickleback	
10:30-10:45	Alexander Kotrschal Artificial selection for schooling behaviour and its	
	effects on cognitive abilities	

10:45-11:15 Coffee

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Session 2	Individual variation (Chair Lysanne Snijders)	Lamoraal
		zaal
11:15-11:30	Camille Leblanc Inherited differences in brain size and brain shape in	
	a polymorphic fish, the Arctic charr (Salvelinus alpinus)	
11:30-11:45	Camille Troisi No evidence for consistency of performance within	
	spatial cognition tasks, and within behavioural flexibility tasks, in great	
	tits	
11:45-12:00	Chris Tyson Diel rhythms of subtropical bulbuls as revealed by	
	automated radio telemetry	
12:00-12:15	Marjolein Meijdam Early bird or late night owl? Individual variation in	
	great tit chronotypes	

12:15	Lunch (take away)
12:30-14:00	Beach Walk Time

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Session 3	Animal Cognition (Chair Peter Korsten)	Lamoraal
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	Keynote Lecture	
14:30-15:00	Frederick Verbruggen Inhibition of impulsive and inappropriate	
	actions: A novel 'eco-devo' approach	
15:00-15:15	Utku Urhan Inter and intraspecific comparison of cognitive abilities in	
	three closely related Paridae species	
15:15-15:30	Krista van den Heuvel Heritability and repeatability of spatial reversal	
	learning performance in captive great tits (Parus major)	
15:30-15:45	Zhi-Yuan Ning The cognitive mechanisms underlying the interaction of	
	syllable structure and syllable sequence in birdsong perception	

15:45-16:15 Coffee

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Session 4	Early development (Chair Frederick Verbruggen)	Lamoraal
		zaal
16:15-16:30	Bawan Amin The development of animal personality in a wild large mammal	
16:30-16:45	Bernice Sepers Experimental brood size effects on DNA methylation,	
	biometry and personality in wild great tits.	
16:45-17:00	Yuqi Wang Can embryos modification of maternal signals influence	
	their prenatal development: a study on hormones	
17:00-17:15	Flavia Berlinghieri The effect of light during embryonic development	
	on laterality and personality in Western rainbowfish (Melanoteania	
	australis)	

17:30-19:00	Posters
18:00-19:00	General Assembly (Members of the NVG)
19:00-20:00	Dinner

20:00-21:00	BRILL Baerends lecture – sponsored by BRILL Publishers	Lamoraal
		zaal
	Steve Nowicki (Duke University)	
	Categorical perception and the evolution of signaling systems (Chair	
	Marc Naguib)	

21:00-22:00 Drinks

Friday November 26

14:00-

Time for a final beach stroll

Time	Activity	Location
Session 5	Animal Communication (Chair Katharina Riebel)	Lamoraal
		zaal
	Keynote Lecture	
9:30-10:00	Emily Burdfield-Steel (University of Amsterdam) Chemicals and	
	colours: uncovering the chemical signals maintaining a colour	
	polymorphism	
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10:00-10:15	Alexander Schlatmann No evidence for olfactory kin discrimination in	
10.15.10.00	begging blue tit nestlings	
10:15-10:30	Jeroen Hubert Does sound pull a mussel?	
10:30-10:45	Judith Smit Direct effects of multisensory pollutants on calling	
	behaviour in frogs	
10:45-11:45	Coffee	
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Session 6	Animal Communication (Chair Emily Burdfield-Steel)	Lamoraal
		zaal
11:45-12:00	Andrew Cronin Direct and Indirect Influences of Multisensory	
	Pollution on Sexual Communication	
12:00-12:15	Hans Slabbekoorn North Sea soundscapes from a fish perspective	
12:15-12:30	Hugo Loning The short range of wild zebra finch song and its	
	ecological implications	
12:30-12:45	Matia Muñoz Similitudes and differences in the acoustic allometry of	
	tetrapods	
12:45-13:00	Kat Bebbington Partner retention as a mechanism to reduce sexual	
	conflict over parental care	
13:00	Lunch	
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14:00 14:00	Prizes End of the meeting	