

Conference program

20th May, Friday

10:00–10:15 Opening

10:15–11:15 **Invited talk**

Arie Kruglanski – Epistemic and Affective Responses to Cognitive Inconsistency: The Validation-Satisfaction Model

11:15–11:30 Coffee break

First session (11:30–13:00)

11:30–12:00

Małgorzata Kossowska – Disconfirmed expectations may lead to both simple and complex cognitions: The role of motivation toward closure

12:00–12:30

Marcin Bukowski – Can inconsistency promote flexibility? The case of various uncontrollability experiences

12:30–13:00

Małgorzata Goćłowska – Schema-violation preference associates with greater creativity

13:00–14:00 Lunch

14:00–15:00 **Invited talk**

Bogdan Wojciszke – Striving for Consistency Shapes Responses to Other's Outcomes and Immoral Behavior

15:00–15:15 Coffee break

Second session (15:15–16:45)

15:15–15:45

Mirosław Kofta – Personal Inconsistency and Outgroup Attitudes: How Induction of Self-uncertainty Modifies Authoritarian Response to Immigrants.

15:45–16:15

Immo Fritsche – Group-Based Defenses as Extended Primary Control: Social Responses to Threatened Control Are Not (All) About Uncertainty Reduction

16:15–16:45

Felix Czepluch – Threat to control may facilitate vigilance for norm-related information

16:45–17:15 Coffee break

17:15–18:15 **Invited talk**

Andrzej Nowak – Coherence and trust

Dinner at 19:30, restaurant Konfederacka 4, ul. Konfederacka 4

21st May, Saturday

9:15–10:15 **Invited talk**

Piotr Winkielman – Consistency in context: Fluency and consistency as a function of mental task, rather than a stimulus

10:15–10:30 Coffee break

Third session (10:30–13:00)

10:30–11:00

Skylar Brannon – What is (in)consistent? Lay perceptions of inconsistency in impression formation

11:00–11:30

Hannah Nohlen – A facial EMG study on the role of inconsistency and evaluative context in shaping affective responses to ambivalence

11:30–12:00

Marret Noordewier – The temporal dynamics of surprise

12:00–12:30

Yoram Bar-Tal – The need for certainty (NC): its effect on cognitive consistency

12:30–13:30 Lunch

13:30–14:30 **Invited talk**

Rex Wright – Effort Processes in Cognitive Dissonance Reduction

14:30–14:45 Coffee break

Fourth session (14:45–16:45)

14:45–15:15

Ulrich von Hecker – Spatial representation of coherence

15:15–15:45

Torun Lindholm – Social influences on dissonance reduction in medical decision making

15:45–16:15

Katarzyna Jaśko – “Say it isn’t so”. Reliability of the source and openness to inconsistent information

16:15–16:45

Katarzyna Cantanero – Need for meaning and individual differences

16:45–17:15 Coffee break

17:15–18:15 **Invited talk**

Cindy Harmon-Jones – The Action-Based Model of Dissonance

Dinner at 19:30, Albertina Restaurant and Wine, ul. Dominikańska 3

22nd May, Sunday

9:00–10:00 **Invited talk**

William B. Swann – Moving beyond “single-slice” conceptualizations of affect: A process model of the interplay of positivity and self-verification strivings

10:00–10:15 Coffee break

Short Presentations (10:15–11:00)

David Vaidis – Looking for a Minimal Paradigm: Is Exposure to Discrepancy Generative of Cognitive Dissonance

Paweł Strojny – When expectancy-inconsistent information reduces uncertainty better. The role of need for cognitive closure and cognitive capacity

Ewa Szumowska – ‘When the going gets tough, the tough get going’: Motivation towards closure and effort investment in performance of cognitive tasks

11:00–11:30 Coffee break

11:30–12:30 **Invited talk**

Travis Proulx – Meaning Maintenance Model: The Five 'A's of Meaning Maintenance

12:30–13:30 Lunch

Sixth session (13:30–15:00)

13:30–14:00

Wijnand Van Tilburg – Finding Meaning in Ideology: Going to Political Extremes in Response to Boredom

14:00–14:30

Michał Parzuchowski – From love to magic: Motivational and cognitive determinants of individual differences in sympathetic magic in close relationships

14:30–15:00

Piotr Dragon – Exploring the relation between warmth and competence in social perception: a connectionist modeling approach

15:00–15:15 Closing

Posters*

Helmut Appel – Undecided, uncommitted. The role of dissonance reduction for indecisiveness

Sebastian Cancino-Montecinos – Cognitive dissonance leads to an abstract mindset

Gabriela Czarnek – The Moderating Impact of Effort Engagement on Stereotyping in Older Age

Aneta Czernatowicz-Kukuczka – Religiosity as a self-regulation tool: The role of religiosity and working memory in dealing with uncertainty

Agnieszka Strojny – I do not change my mind if I'm not sure - the joint effect of need for closure and cognitive resource limitation on fundamental attribution error

Paulina Szwed – From arousal to relief. Prejudice as a self-regulatory mechanism

* There is no separate poster session. However, all posters will be available during the whole meeting.