

# Surprise: An Interdisciplinary Workshop

June 10-12, 2020

Wednesday

June 10th:

## GREETINGS

Eastern Standard Time [EST]: 9:00AM-9:15AM

Israel Daylight Time [IDT]: 4:00PM-4:15PM

1. **CHRISTOPHER MILLER** (CUNY, Staten Island)

*"A Brief Literary History of Surprise"*

EST: 9:15AM-10:00AM | IDT: 4:15PM-5:00PM

15 minute break

2. **ERAN ELDAR** (Hebrew University)

*"Why Mood Tracks Surprises"*

EST: 10:15AM-11:00AM | IDT: 5:15PM-6:00PM

15 minute break

3. **DIMITRIS PINOTSIS** (City, University of London)

*"Where is Surprise Represented in the Brain?"*

EST: 11:15AM-12:00PM | IDT: 6:15PM-7:00PM

Thursday

June 11th:

4. **Yael GREENBERG** (Bar-Ilan University)

*"Alternative-Sensitive Operators in Natural Language as Indirectly Deriving Surprise Effects"*

EST: 9:15AM-10AM | IDT: 4:15PM-5PM

15 minute break

5. **ROGER WHITE** (MIT)

*"Surprise and Stability"*

EST: 10:15AM-11:00AM | IDT: 5:15PM-6:00PM

15 minute break

6. **DAN BARAS** (Hebrew University) and **Oded NA'AMAN** (Hebrew University)

*"What is Surprising?"*

EST: 11:15PM-12:00PM | IDT: 6:15PM-7:00PM

Friday

June 12th:

7. **MICHAEL DEIGAN** (Yale) and **JUAN S. PIÑEROS GLASSCOCK** (University of Toronto)

*"Surprise as an Epistemic Emotion"*

EST: 9:15AM-10AM | IDT: 4:15PM-5PM

15 minute break

8. **ELIZABETH MARGULIS** (Princeton)

*"Surprise and Music"*

EST: 10:15AM-11:00AM | IDT: 5:15PM-6:00PM

## CONCLUDING REMARKS

EST: 11:00AM-11:15AM | IDT: 6:00PM-6:15PM

Pre-recorded presentations will be available online from May 27th.

Discussion will assume familiarity with the presentations.

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**Discussions will be held on ZOOM.**

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