

# SCIENTIFIC MEETING

Collective intelligence, forms, functions & evolution across species, societies, & industries

## DAY 1

Wednesday, May 15

9:00 - 9:30

Coffee break

9:30 - 10:00

Introduction - the evolution of collective intelligence  
*Edmond Seabright (Universite Mohammed VI Polytechnique)*

### Session 1

#### CI for non-human animals

10:00 - 10:30

Collective and associative learning in insect colonies  
*Takai Sasaki (University of Georgia)*

10:30 - 11:00

Clever vermin? Collective intelligence in rats and roaches  
*Bruce Rawlings (Durham University)*

11:00 - 11:30

Coffee break

11:30 - 12:00

A comparative study of cooperative sustainability: collective resource management in chimpanzees and children  
*Rebecca Koomen (University of Dundee)*

12:00 - 12:30

Collective reasoning enables animal collectives to achieve benefits not available to individuals  
*Chris Krupenye (Johns Hopkins University)*

12:30 - 13:00

Joint Q&A for Speakers in Session 1

13:00 - 14:00

Lunch

### Session 2

#### CI and Social Structures

14:00 - 14:30

Inter-group connectivity and collective intelligence in humans and chimpanzees  
*Andrea Migliano (University of Zurich)*

14:30 - 15:00

Social Structure as Predictors of Collective Decision-Making Efficiency in Human Groups  
*Bhavya Vadavalli (Boston University)*

15:00 - 15:30

Coffee break

15:30 - 16:00

Engineered Social Worlds: Symbolic Material Culture and Collective Intelligence  
*Francesco D'Errico (CNRS, University of Bordeaux)*

16:00 - 16:30

Joint Q&A for Speakers in Session 2

16:30 - 17:00

Coffee break

17:00 - 18:00

Open Discussion Day 1: Collective intelligence: Establishing a consensus on definitions, boundaries and framework.  
*Discussant and Chair: Andy Whiten (University of St. Andrews)*

18:00 - 19:00

Poster Session I and Tea

20:00 - 21:00

Dinner at campus hotel



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## DAY 2

Thursday, May 16

9:00 - 9:30

Coffee break

## Session 3

## CI, complexity, and collective problem-solving

9:30 - 10:00

Collective Intelligence and Problem-Solving in Early Childhood  
*Bahar Köymen (University of Manchester)*

10:00 - 10:30

Exploring solutions to the tragedy of the commons: efficiency traps and emissions cuts  
*José Segovia-Martin (Université Mohammed VI Polytechnique)*

10:30 - 11:00

Coffee break

11:00 - 11:30

Evolution of collective problem-solving strategies  
*Maria Pykälä (University of Lausanne)*

11:30 - 12:00

Intentionality, Collective Intelligence, and the Evolution of Complexity  
*Joseph Tainter (Utah State University)*

12:00 - 12:30

Joint Q&amp;A for Speakers in Session 2

12:30 - 14:00

Lunch and Poster Session II

## Session 4

## Mechanisms for Improving CI

14:00 - 14:30

Aggregating non-binary judgments: Collective consistency, truth-tracking, and non-manipulability  
*Christian List (Ludwig Maximilians University)*

14:30 - 15:00

Asymmetrical social copying drives behavioural cascades following a shock event  
*Mehdi Moussaid (Université Mohammed VI Polytechnique)*

15:00 - 15:30

Coffee break

15:30 - 16:00

Synthetic and integrative approaches to intelligence in social contexts  
*Geoff Mulgan (University College London)*

16:00 - 16:30

Joint Q&amp;A for Speakers in Session 4

16:30 - 17:00

Coffee break

17:00 - 18:00

Open Discussion Day 2: Improving cross-disciplinary conversation around CI.  
*Discussant and Chair: Monique Borgerhoff Mulder (University of California Davis)*