

Provisional Timetable for the **11th British Dyslexia Association's International Conference**, 12th - 14th April 2018, Telford, UK



BDA International Conference
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This timetable will evolve as our conference draws near, so please keep checking for more information. We reserve the right to amend this timetable and it will be subject to changes. Updated
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THURSDAY A.M.

Time	Auditorium	Room 1	Room 2	Room 3	Room 4	Room 5	Room 6	Room 7
7:44 - 9:30	Registration and coffee							
9:30 - 9:45	Opening address from BDA CEO							
9:45 - 10:30	Keynote 1 - Professor Van Daal: A longitudinal study of self-teaching in learning to read and spell							
	Symposium	Spoken Research Papers	Spoken Research Papers	Spoken Research Papers	Workshops	Workshops	Workshops	Masterclasses
10:30-11:15	Professor Gathercole - Understanding educational under-achievement	Kirby - The history of dyslexia	Vousden - An evaluation of a teaching assistant led balanced reading intervention for Yr1 children in the UK	McMurray - The identification and assessment of dyslexic-type difficulties in mainstream primary schools	Hartman - Teaching analogue time to dyslexics: a fresh, new technique	Jenny Lay-Flurrie, Microsoft Masterclass - Making Accessibility Matter - the Microsoft Disability Inclusion Journey	Esposito - Practitioner enquiry spelling project	Chinn and Hornigold - Dyscalculia and Practical Solutions
11:15-12:00		McVeigh - Examination access arrangements: Considering differences in JCQ and Equality Act terminology	Morgan - Implicit teaching strategies for dyslexics using a visual phonics approach					
		Charles - Can't spell, can't teach? Stakeholder attitudes towards primary trainee teachers with dyslexia	Styles - Evaluating the effectiveness of support interventions for dyslexic learners in multiple environments	Krejcová - Feuerstein's deficit cognitive functions theory and dyslexia profiles	Mc Murray - The importance of integrating phonemic, orthographic and morphemic knowledge when learning to spell	Harrison - Universal design of information and communication technologies for students with dyslexia	Lennon - Reading and co-operative learning: how this supports dyslexic readers	
12:00 - 13:00	Lunch and posters							

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13:00-13:45	Keynote 2 - Professor Savage - Novel recent approaches to early reading intervention							
	Symposium	Spoken Research Papers	Spoken Research Papers	Workshops	Workshops	Workshops	Workshops	Masterclasses
13:50 - 14:35	Carroll - The roles of hearing and speech in dyslexia : evidence from four large samples	Leppänen - Neurocognitive signatures of Internet reading in fluent and dysfluent readers	Kyle - Is remedial reading intervention more effective in first grade than in second grade?	MacKay - Get it right for dyslexia - get it right for all. Research based strategies for inclusion	Shantha-Ram: 'Promoting positive mental health: Relating dyslexia teachers' values to organisational initiatives'		Garner - Ensuring dyslexia students are prepared for life after school	Savage - Using the ABRACADA BRA web-technology to mobilize knowledge about effective early literacy teaching
14:35 - 15:20		Antzaka - Can playing action video games modulate attentional components involved in reading?	Murdoch - Explicit vocabulary instruction and intervention for young children	MacKay - "Can't write, won't write - and you can't make me". Strategies and solutions for reluctant writers	McCarron - Outcomes of a transition program for middle school children with Dyslexia	Hayes - Waiting to Fail: Better training - better teaching in the early years	Harrison - Evaluating validity of test performance in children and adolescents with dyslexia	
15:20 - 15:50	Coffee break and posters							
15:50 - 16:35	Keynote 3 - Professor Ansari: Building blocks of mathematical competence: evidence from brain and behaviour							
18:00 - 20:00	Drinks reception and networking							
20:00	Day 1 Close							

FRIDAY A.M.

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8:30 - 9:30	Registration and coffee							
9:30 - 10:15	Keynote 4 - Professor Casanova: Dyslexia and Autism: Neuroanatomical findings pointing towards a spectrum of cognitive abilities							
10:15 - 10:30	Coffee break and posters							
	Symposium	Spoken Research Papers	Spoken Research Papers/ Workshops	Spoken Research Papers	Spoken Research Papers/Workshops	Spoken Research Papers/Workshops	Workshops	Masterclasses
10:30 - 11:15	Nicolson - Positive Dyslexia at school, university and work	Sumner- Comparing handwriting performance in dyslexia and developmental coordination disorder Griffiths- Teaching for neurodiversity: training teachers to see beyond labels	Bernabini- Broader phenotype of Developmental Dyscalculia Mubarak - Overcoming educator's barriers in ICT adoption to kick-start digital literacy in dyslexia learners	Dewle- Use of fluency-based intervention to improve reading comprehension of ESL elementary students McVeigh-Verbal fluency in immersion- educated emerging bilinguals	Vataja - The development of literacy skills among monolingual and bilingual children in early school years Nikolopoulos: STEM - ducation for students with Math's deficits whose problem is working memory Risberg - Early identification of reading and writing difficulties among monolingual and bilingual pupils	Romagnoli - Tackling the impact of PCSK6 on brain asymmetry in dyslexia:an image-genetics study Beelen - Pre-reading and early reading neuroanatomical anomalies in developmental dyslexia	Muter - How to develop diagnostic formulations for children with specific learning difficulties	Cochrane - Hints and tips for a successful APC renewal – how to avoid any pitfalls in your application
11:15 - 12:00		Almurtaji- Examining influences of behavioural patterns, self-efficacy and resilience on academic achievement Solity - Levelling or banding reading books: the rhetoric and reality Stella- Eye movements in dyslexia:an analysis of sentence comprehension and underlying risk factors	Steffert - Neurofeedback as an effective intervention for dyslexia	Lallier- Dichotic listening: a window into bilingualism reading development Niolaki - English-only and English additional language (EAL) children with and without a spelling difficulty	Trott - The impact of dyscalculia and dyslexia on Maths anxiety	Benson - Dyslexia and the imagery-language connection: theory, research, practice		
12:00 - 13:00	Lunch and posters							

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13:00 - 13:45	Keynote 5 - Professor Fisher: A genomic perspective on speech, language and reading							
	Symposium	Spoken Research Papers	Workshops	Workshops	Workshops	Spoken Research Papers	Spoken Research Papers / Workshops	Masterclasses
13:50 - 14:30		<p>Akyurek - Executive functions of gifted children with dyslexia</p> <p>Van Viersen - Pathways into literacy: The effects of early oral language abilities and family risk for dyslexia</p> <p>Knowles - Evidence-based developmental dyslexia: findings from a literature review</p>	Peer - Overcoming barriers to early reading: dyslexia/ deafness / poor listening and auditory processing	Garner - Recognising and supporting dyslexia in EAL students	Moore - Using music to support children with dyslexia	<p>Franzen - Electrophysiology reveals different processing of multisensory perceptual evidence in adult dyslexia</p> <p>Leather - Identifying processing deficits in dyslexia adults : executive functioning and verbal working memory</p>	Reid - Working memory, learning strategies and classroom approaches	BDA - In the service of building a dyslexia friendly society
14:30 - 15:15	Breadmore - Morphological skills and their relationship with literacy and dyslexia	<p>Biotteau-Dyslexia is more than just a reading child syndrome</p> <p>Solity - Systematic synthetic phonics: A possible cause of pupils' literacy difficulties</p> <p>Saleh- The preference-based teaching approach for children with dyslexia and challenging behaviour</p>	Hickmott - Turning dyslexic and other neuro-divergent strengths into skills to improve literacy and numeracy	Stacey: Dyslexic working memory: Is it poor or over worked? Can mindfulness help?	Daunt - Reasonable adjustments in music exams for neuro-diverse candidates: best practice guidelines	<p>de Bree - Reading and spelling performance in grade two: Cognitive precursors and comorbidity</p> <p>Van Witteloostuijn - Online and offline measures of visual statistical learning in children with and without dyslexia</p> <p>Rankin - Would interventions/ accommodations be useful for pupils with dyslexia who have drawing difficulties?</p>	MacKay - Dyslexia and the memory lite classroom	
15:15 - 15:45	Coffee break and posters							
15:45 - 16:30	Keynote 6 - Professor Ehri: Acquisition of sight word reading, spelling memory, and vocabulary learning: the role of orthographic mapping							
16:30 - 18:30	Mayor's reception, networking and exhibitors							
18:30	Day 2 close							

SATURDAY A.M.

Time	Auditorium	Room 1	Room 2	Room 3	Room 4	Room 5	Room 6
8:30 - 9:30	Registration and coffee						
9:30 - 10:15	Keynote 7 - Professor Kirby: Dyslexia – into and in employment – latest understanding from research and practice						
10:15 - 10:30	Coffee break and posters						
	Symposium	Spoken Research Papers/Workshops	Spoken Research Papers/Workshops	Workshops	Spoken Research Papers	Workshops/Spoken Research Papers	Parent event
10:30 - 11:15	McLoughlin - Dyslexia in adulthood: practice to evidence and back to practice	Loveland-Armour - Dyslexia: what university students wish their primary school teachers knew	Beetham - Workplace dyslexia & SPLDs - productivity, engagement and well-being	Aston - Addressing the emotional repercussions of dyslexia	Dutton - Ups and downs of co-production with parents to develop and evaluate Cambridgeshire Dyslexia Guidance	Samsudin - Metacognitive strategies for transitioning post-secondary students	Parent event
11:15- 12:00		Loveland-Armour - University sympathetic marking policy - inclusive practice, othering or somewhere between?	Nalavany - Relationship between emotional experience and work self-efficacy among adults with dyslexia		Mavrommatis - Mavrommati's pictorial method for teaching English spelling to dyslexics		
		Sunday - How dyslexics will rule the future	Hewlett - Recruitment and retention of adult dyslexic employees - commission report and next steps	Dechef-Tweddle - Beyond the layers: strategies supporting academic success in students with mental health issues.	Harrison - Influence of age vs grade-based norms on diagnosis of dyslexia in postsecondary and graduate clients	Owen - Exploring potential markers of bilingual literacy abilities in Welsh	Parent event
12:00 - 13:00	Lunch and posters						

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13:00 - 13:45	Keynote 8 - Professor Gabrielli: Cognitive Neuroscience of dyslexia: from biology to remediation ¹						
	Symposium	Spoken Research Papers	Spoken Research Papers	Symposium	Spoken Research Papers	Workshops	Workshops
13:45 - 14:30	Malpas - Adults and employment	Falzon - 'A pebble in my shoe': dyslexic students and their views of examinations Leong - Exploring the classroom practices of English exam skills for school children with dyslexia	McLoughlin - Dyslexia and professional medical training	Maassen - ERP – precursors of early and advanced reading acquisition (MMR and print tuning)	Akyurek - Home environment and executive functions in children with dyslexia McCormack-Colbert - Perceptions of support for learners with dyslexia in France and Wales	Styles - Evaluating the effectiveness of support interventions for adults with dyslexia in the workplace	
14:30 - 15:15		Fidler - Reading comprehension, detail retention and inference making among adult students with dyslexia	Jacobs - Dyslexia and syllogistic reasoning in adults : differences in strategy usage Knight - Educating educators - dyslexia		Mesa - A language and reading intervention for Spanish-speaking children in a rural and isolated community	Leather - Working with working memory in the workplace	Minto (Microsoft) - Use of Technology
15:15 - 15:45	Coffee break and posters						
15:45 - 16:30	Keynote 9 - Professor Gathercole: Supporting learners: Where does the evidence lead us?						
16:30 - 16:45	Closing ceremony						
16:45 - 18:15	Networking						
18:15	Conference close						