Workshop: Current Topics in Loudness September 15th and 16th, 2014, Insa-Lyon, France

The aim of this two-day workshop is to identify new perspectives for research on loudness. It will combine lectures, discussions and debates on various topics related to loudness. The workshop is open to a limited number of participants and is organized within the framework of the LoudNat project sponsored by the National Research Agency (ANR).

Lectures : what do we know about loudness ?

- Essential Psychoacoustical Elements of Loudness Discovery // Mary Florentine (US)
- Quantification of binaural loudness gain using simple reaction time // Wolfgang Ellermeier and J. Schlittenlacher (Ger)
- On the prediction of binaural loudness for directional, stationary sound sources // Michaël Vannier (Fr)
- Interaction between loudness and auditory scene analysis: A review of the revisited literature // Nicolas Grimault (Fr)
- Can reverse correlation methods be used to determine the spectral weighting of loudness? // Walt Jesteadt (US)
- How do listeners judge the loudness of time-varying sounds? Spectro-temporal weights for loudness // Daniel Oberfeld (Ger)
- Global loudness of non-stationary sounds : methods and perceptual processes // Emmanuel Ponsot and Patrick Susini (Fr)
- Intensity Dynamics and Loudness Change: Methods and Mechanisms // Kirk Olsen (Aus)
- From artificial to complex stimuli: Challenges for models for time-varying loudness // Jan Rennies, J. Hots and J. L. Verhey (Ger)

Information

Registration will open soon on the website of the French Acoustical Society // www.sfa.asso.fr

The registration fee is 50 euros for students and 100 euros for non-students. It includes coffee breaks and lunches for the two days. INSA-Lyon can be easily reached from the railway station or the international airport // More details soon on the website.

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