

ANNUAL CONFERENCE OF THE EUROPEAN ASSOCIATION OF PSYCHOLOGY AND LAW 2018

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Background of keynote speakers of the EAPL conference Turku 2018

Keynote speaker: Distinguished Professor David L. Faigman

See website

<http://www.uchastings.edu/faculty/faigman/index.php>



Keynote speaker: Dr. Karl Ask

Karl Ask is an Associate Professor of Psychology at the University of Gothenburg, Sweden. His research spans various topics in social cognition and legal psychology, with particular interest in motivational, affective, and cognitive mechanisms in investigative decision making and credibility judgments. He has published widely and trained legal professionals on these topics.



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**Keynote speaker: Associate Professor Michael Saini**

Michael A. Saini, PhD, is an Associate Professor at the Factor-Inwentash Faculty of Social Work, University of Toronto and the endowed Factor-Inwentash Chair in Law and Social Work. He is the Co-Director of the Combined J.D. and M.S.W. program and the Course Director of the 48-hour Foundations to Custody Evaluations

**Keynote speaker: Professor Gerald Young**

Gerald Young, Ph.D., C. Psych., is a Full Professor, in the Department of Psychology, Glendon College, York University, Toronto, Canada. He has written eight books, including on Malingering (2014). He is the Editor-in-Chief of *Psychological Injury and Law* [PIL]. He has won awards/ fellow status from the APA, CPA, and APS. He gives CEWs and Keynotes.



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Keynote speaker: Professor Jane L. Ireland

Professor Jane L. Ireland, Chartered Forensic Psychologist and Chartered Scientist. Professor Ireland holds a Professorial Chair at the University of Central Lancashire and is Violence Treatment Lead within High Secure Services, Ashworth Hospital, Mersey Care NHS Trust. She is elected academy fellow of the Council of the Academy of Social Sciences and fellow of the International Society for Research on Aggression (ISRA). She holds three further (visiting/honorary) professorships at Abo Akademi University in Finland, Charles Sturt University in Australia, and Cardiff Metropolitan University. Professor Ireland is currently academic lead for the Ashworth Research Centre (ARC), an NHS centre for research based within Mersey Care NHS Trust.



Keynote speaker: Dr. Itiel Dror

Itiel Dror (PhD Harvard) is a cognitive neuroscientist who is interested in the cognitive architecture that underpins expert decision making. Dror's research, published in over 100 research articles, demonstrated how contextual information can influence judgments and decision making of experts; he has shown that even fingerprint and DNA experts can reach different conclusions when the same evidence is presented within different extraneous contexts. More information is at: www.cci-hq.com



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Keynote speaker: Professor Maria Hartwig

Professor Maria Hartwig from John Jay College of Criminal Justice, CUNY. Her expertise is deception detection, and strategic interviewing techniques. She has published widely on these topics and trained a number of professionals across the world.



Keynote speaker: Dr. Robert Horselenberg

Dr. Robert Horselenberg is a legal psychologist, researcher, and expert witness specializing in legal decision-making and investigative interviews. He is an Assistant Professor at Maastricht University, in the Netherlands, and also trains legal practitioners around Europe in legal psychology. Robert is a father of 4, a lover of music, and has an appreciation for fine food and beer.



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Keynote speaker: Professor Essi Viding

Essi Viding is Professor of Developmental Psychopathology at the Division of Psychology and Language Sciences, University College London and adjunct faculty at Yale University Child Study Center. Her research combines a variety of methodologies in an effort to chart different developmental pathways to persistent antisocial behaviour. Professor Viding has received several awards for her research, including the British Psychological Society Spearman Medal and the Royal Society Rosalind Franklin Prize.



Keynote speaker: Professor Kamala London

Kamala London is a professor at the University of Toledo in the United States. Her work focuses on forensic interviews with children. She has consulted as an expert witness throughout the United States and in international cases. Her work is cited extensively in U.S. courts including twice in the U.S. Supreme Court.



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Keynote speaker: Adjunct Prof. Helina Häkkänen-Nyholm

Adjunct professor Helina Häkkänen-Nyholm is a founding partner and CEO of PsyJuridica Ltd, which is the first law firm in Europe to provide also psychological services and a Research director of forensic psychology at the University of Helsinki. Prior to founding PsyJuridica in 2010, Häkkänen-Nyholm worked for ten years as a behavioural investigative advisor at the National Bureau of Investigation. She has published widely on e.g. psychopathy, criminal behaviour and police interview.



Keynote speaker: Distinguished Prof. James Lampinen

James Lampinen is a Distinguished Professor of Psychological Science at the University of Arkansas. His research focuses on eyewitness identification, false memories, and missing person recovery efforts. He is lead author of the Psychology of Eyewitness Identification. His work has been funded by the National Science Foundation and the Laura and John Arnold Foundation.



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**Workshop instructor: Mr. Francesco Pompemma**

Mr. Francesco Pompemma is a Ph.D. candidate at Åbo Akademi University. He will defend his thesis in January 2018. He is also visiting researcher at Gothenburg University (January 2018). He teaches introductory courses in forensic psychology and in his doctoral thesis; he developed and tested a training program aimed at improving the quality of investigative interviews in alleged child sexual abuse cases using serious gaming.

