

# LCT Summer School 2022

29.08. - 02.09.2022 Saarland University

## Program

Location: German Research Center of Artificial Intelligence (DFKI) on Saarland University Campus. Unless stated otherwise sessions will take place at "Reuse".

Coffee breaks: ~10:30-11:00 | 15:30-16:00 at DFKI Foyer

Lunch: ~12:30-14:00 at Saarland University Cafeteria

### Sunday 28 August

19:00 Semi-official get together in Saarbrücken (voluntary)

Location: Staden | Ulanen-Pavillon beer garden at the river

### Monday 29 August

09:00 Registration at DFKI

09:30 **Welcome**

Josef van Genabith (LCT) and Ivana Kruijff Korbayova (LCT)

10:00 "Hi, I'm \_\_\_"

13:00 Teambuilding: Journey to Space

by Astwerk: Uwe Daude, Veronika Leiblein and Linda Gehring

17:30 Social evening

### Tuesday 30 August

09:00- **Hands-on session\***

12:30 Abstracts and tasks see additional material

14:00 Parallel session: **Mindfulness Workshop** / Self-organized Networking

by Dr. Dipl.-Psych. Philipp Wiegmann

Mindfulness has been scientifically proven to be an effective method for stress regulation and the enhancement of the quality of life in general. By practicing mindfulness we learn how to live in the present moment, regulate our inner state,

and become more aware of what is happening inside ourselves, around us and in our relationships. The ability to concentrate improves in a gentle manner. In the workshop the theoretical concept of mindfulness will be explained and we will do exercises that can easily be integrated in our daily lives. Everyone is welcome, people who already have experience in mindfulness-practices as well as people without any knowledge, who are just curious about it.

More information about psychological counselling at Saarland University:

<https://www.studentenwerk-saarland.de/en/Beratung/Einzelgesprache>

#### 16:00 Project presentations

Raffaella Bernardi (UT): Adaptive Multimodal Conversational Agents

Dominik Macháček (CUNI): Multi-Source Speech Translation

Gosse Minnema (RuG): SocioFillmore: Discovering Perspectives

Yasser Hamidullah (DFKI): Sign Language Translation

Günter Neumann (DFKI): 3SC - Semantic Search for Science Communication

Ivana Kruijff (DFKI): Spoken Dialogue Processing for Emergency Response

\*Note: Please bring your own laptop if possible. Students on site select which group they would like to join on Monday at registration. Remote participants will get access links to all sessions.

### Wednesday 31 August

09:00 **How to get rejected at Stanford: PhD Application Process**

by Vilém Zouhar

09:30 **Life beyond LCT Graduation**

Panel discussion with Claire Gardent, Simon Ostermann, Soniya

Vijayakumar and Vilém Zouhar

10:30 Group Picture

11:30 **Working in the EU**

by EMA representative B Prashant Kumar

14:00 **Writing Center Workshop: Research & Argumentation**

by Danielle Kopf-Giammanco

16:00 **Local coordinators Q&A (UL, CU, USAAR)**

18:00 Pizza night

### Thursday 1 September

07:45 Meeting point on Campus: "Bus terminal"

Parking area close to building E 3.1 [https://www.uni-](https://www.uni-saarland.de/fileadmin/upload/footer/lageplan/saarbruecken.pdf)

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Please carry your ID or passport with you in case of checks!

- 08:00 Departure to Strasbourg
- 10:15 European Parliament Tour
- 12:00 Free time in Strasbourg
- 16:45 Meeting point: "Place de l'Étoile" (bus terminal)
- 17:00 Departure to Saarbrücken

## Friday 2 September

- 09:00 Local coordinators Q&A (RUG, UBC, UM, UT)
- 11:30 Election: LCT Student Representative
- 12:30 Wrap-Up and Closing

## Hybrid Sessions: mainly via Microsoft Teams

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**The following sessions involve Zoom meetings as well: Hands-on groups 2-4, local coordinators (access will be shared on Monday)**