Origins of Logical Reasoning Workshop

York University, Toronto Ross Hall, South Tower, Room 421 May 5, 2016 - May 6, 2016

THURSDAY, MAY 5th

2:00 Welcoming Remarks
2:20 Josep Call (University of St. Andrews) "Avoiding the empty cup: Is there anything more to apes' inferential reasoning?"
3:40 Coffee Break
4:00 Michael Rescorla (University of California at Santa Barbara) "Logic, probability, and exclusion transitions"
FRIDAY, MAY 6 th
10:00 Susan Carey (Harvard University) "Does prelinguistic thought include symbols for the abstract relations same and different?"
11:20 Hayley Clatterbuck (University of Rochester) "The representational requirements for logical thought"
12:40 Lunch
2:00 Roman Feiman and Shilpa Mody (Harvard University) "The developmental origins of truth-functional negation"
3:20 Coffee Break
3:40 Christopher Peacocke (Columbia University) "What is logical inference?"
5:00 General Discussion

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