

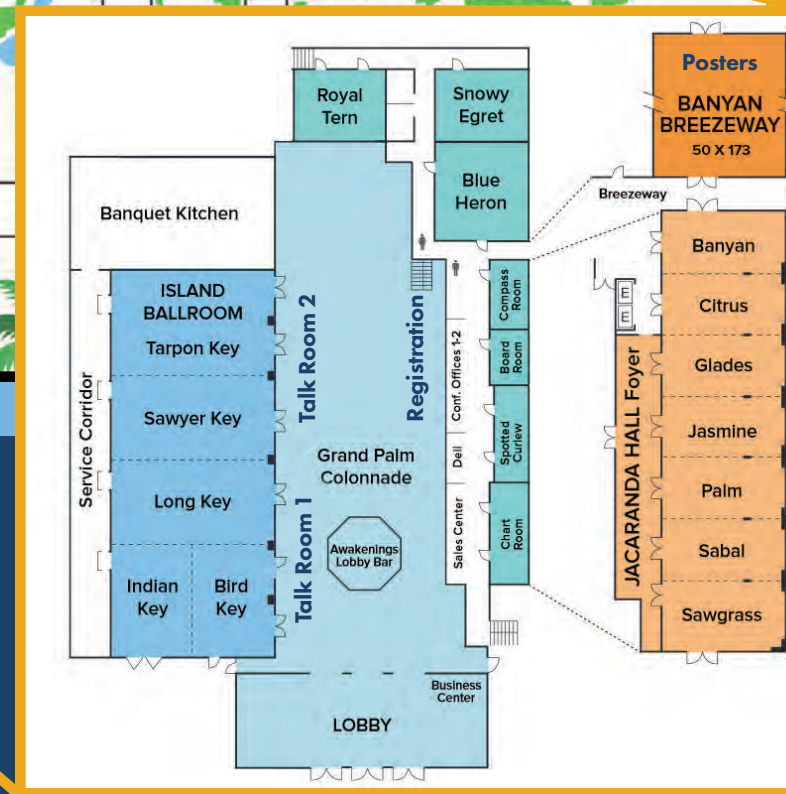
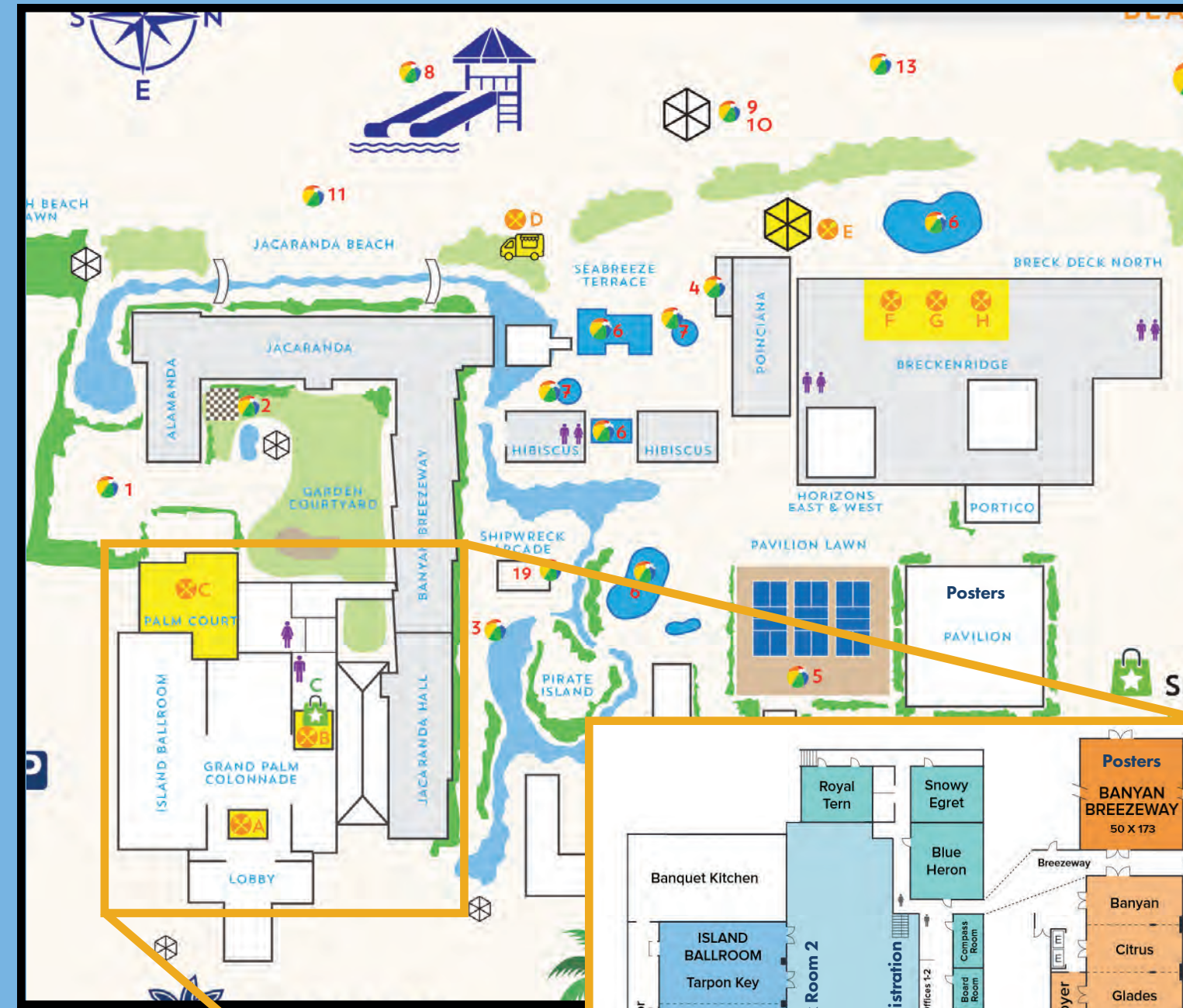
SYMPOSIA AND TALK SESSIONS

PROPERTY MAP

WELCOME TO VSS 2026



	TALK ROOM 1	TALK ROOM 2
FRIDAY, MAY 15	<p>8:00 – 10:00 am Symposium: Intuitive physical reasoning in brains, minds, and machines</p> <p>10:30 am – 12:30 pm Symposium: What makes a task naturalistic? Towards a theory-inspired approach to studying visually guided behaviour</p> <p>1:45 – 3:45 pm Symposium: Beyond Prediction: Interpretable Brain Encoding Models for Understanding Vision</p> <p>4:15 - 5:45 pm Attention 1</p>	<p>Symposium: Rhythms of Vision: How Neural Oscillations Structure Perception and Attention</p> <p>Symposium: Reimagining the binding problem(s) for the 21st century</p> <p>Symposium: The quest for 'the average person' in vision science: promise and pitfalls</p> <p>Perceptual Organization: Neural mechanisms</p>
SATURDAY, MAY 16	<p>8:15 – 9:45 am Eye Movements: Neural dynamics, perceptual changes</p> <p>10:45 am – 12:30 pm Spatial Vision: Neural mechanisms, modeling</p> <p>2:30 – 4:15 pm Functional Organization of Visual Pathways 1</p> <p>5:15 – 7:00 pm Scene Perception</p>	<p>Perceptual Organization: Segmentation and grouping</p> <p>Face and Body Perception: Mechanisms</p> <p>Temporal Processing</p> <p>Visual Working Memory: Influences, models</p>
SUNDAY, MAY 17	<p>8:15 – 9:45 am Attention 2</p> <p>10:45 am – 12:30 pm Multisensory Processing</p> <p>2:30 – 4:15 pm Development</p> <p>5:15 – 7:15 pm Perceptual Training, Learning and Plasticity</p>	<p>Object Recognition</p> <p>Visual Working Memory: Space, features</p> <p>Face and Body Perception: Emotion, identity</p> <p>Action</p>
MONDAY, MAY 18	<p>8:15 – 9:45 am Attention 3</p> <p>10:45 am – 12:15 pm Visual Search: Attention, mechanisms, models</p>	<p>3D Shape and Space Perception</p> <p>Visual Memory: Encoding, retrieval, capacity</p>
TUESDAY, MAY 19	<p>8:15 – 9:45 am Visual Search: Real-world scenes, objects</p> <p>10:45 am – 12:15 pm Visual Memory: Individual differences, imagery</p> <p>2:45 – 4:30 pm Theory</p> <p>5:15 – 7:15 pm Color, Light and Materials</p>	<p>Functional Organization of Visual Pathways 2</p> <p>Decision Making</p> <p>Eye Movements: Mechanisms, naturalistic viewing</p> <p>Motion: Neural mechanisms, models and illusions</p>



WORKSHOPS, SOCIALS, AND SATELLITES

<p>Thursday, May 14</p> <p>Computational and Mathematical Models in Vision (MODVIS) 9:00 am – 6:00 pm, Blue Heron <i>VSS Satellite</i></p> <p>Friday, May 15</p> <p>US Funding Workshop 12:45 – 1:45 pm, Banyan/Citrus</p> <p>Lemonade and a Scavenger Hunt: A Newcomer and Undergrad Social 6:00 – 7:30 pm, Banyan/Citrus</p> <p>Opening Night Reception 7:30 – 9:30 pm, RumFish Beach</p> <p>Saturday, May 16</p> <p>Canadian Vision Science Social 12:30 – 2:30 pm, Palm/Sabal/Sawgrass <i>VSS Satellite</i></p> <p>Virtual Reality and Eye Tracking for Research 12:45 – 2:15 pm, Blue Heron <i>VSS Satellite</i></p> <p>AI in Science: Opportunities and Boundaries 12:45 – 2:15 pm, Banyan/Citrus</p> <p>Keynote Address given by Michael Chiang <i>Sponsored by Apple</i> AI, data science, vision research, and eye care: perspectives from the National Eye Institute 7:30 – 8:30 pm, Talk Room 1–2</p> <p>Daniel Ts'o Commemoration 8:30 – 9:30 pm, Pirate Island</p> <p>Sunday, May 17</p> <p>Neurodiversity in Academia: A "Fireside Chat" with Brian Anderson 12:30 – 2:30 pm, Palm/Sabal/Sawgrass</p> <p>In-silico replications 12:45 – 2:15 pm, Blue Heron <i>VSS Satellite</i></p> <p>Visual Snow Meet-Up 12:45 – 2:15 pm, Horizons West <i>VSS Satellite</i></p> <p>VISxVISION Workshop 12:30 – 2:30 pm, Banyan/Citrus <i>VSS Satellite</i></p> <p>CSHL Vision Courses Meet-up 7:30 – 9:00 pm, Snowy Egret <i>VSS Satellite</i></p> <p>FoVea Workshop: What Is This Job Anyway? 7:30 – 9:00 pm, Banyan/Citrus <i>VSS Satellite</i></p>	<p>Monday, May 18</p> <p>VSS Awards Session Davida Teller Award, Ken Nakayama Medal, Young Investigator Award 12:30 – 2:00 pm, Talk Room 2</p> <p>3MT® Competition for Students and Postdocs 2:00 – 3:00 pm, St. Petersburg High School</p> <p>Demystifying Peer Review: Editorial Insight and Perspectives 2:00 – 3:30 pm, Banyan/Citrus</p> <p>Re:Vision: A community replication initiative 2:00 – 5:30 pm, Blue Heron <i>VSS Satellite</i></p> <p>PURSUE Workshop 2:00 – 6:00 pm, Horizons West <i>VSS Satellite</i></p> <p>Public Lecture by Bevil Conway: What is beauty? 3:00 – 4:00 pm, Dali Museum</p> <p>Meet the Professors 4:00 – 5:30 pm, Banyan Breezeway</p> <p>Demo Night <i>Sponsored by Meta</i> 7:00 – 10:00 pm, Talk Room 1–2</p> <p>Tuesday, May 19</p> <p>VSS Business Meeting 12:15 – 1:15 pm, Talk Room 2</p> <p>phiVis: Philosophy of Vision Science Workshop 1:00 – 2:45 pm, Banyan/Citrus <i>VSS Satellite</i></p> <p>Connect with Industry 1:15 – 2:45 pm, Spotted Curlew, Blue Heron, Snowy Egret</p> <p>Synchronizing and Coordinating Multiple Data Acquisition Devices <i>VSS Satellite</i> 1:15 – 2:45 pm, Horizons West</p> <p>Visibility Social 8:30 – 10:00 pm, Banyan/Citrus</p> <p>Chill Vision 9:00 pm – 2:00 am, Palm/Sabal/Sawgrass</p> <p>Club Vision 10:00 pm – 2:00 am, Talk Room 1–2</p>
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EXHIBITORS

BRAIN VISION LLC	Booth 12	VPIXX TECHNOLOGIES	Booths 1 & 2
CORTECH SOLUTIONS, INC.	Booth 13	WEARABLE SENSING	Booth 14
EXPONENT	Booth 3	WORLDVIZ VR	Booth 16
J.S. HELD	Booth 11	ZETO INC.	Booth 10
MAGSTIM EGI	Booths 7 & 8		
NIRX MEDICAL TECHNOLOGIES, LLC	Booth 4		
ROGUE RESEARCH INC.	Booth 9		
SR RESEARCH LTD	Booths 5 & 6		
TOBII	Booth 15		

Exhibit Hours

Saturday, Sunday, Tuesday, 8:00 am – 5:30 pm
Monday, 8:00 am – 12:30 pm

Registration Hours

Thursday, 4:00 – 7:00 pm
Friday, 7:00 am – 6:00 pm
Saturday, Sunday, 7:30 am – 6:45 pm
Monday, 7:45 am – 2:30 pm
Tuesday, 7:45 am – 7:30 pm

Social and Quiet Lounge Hours

Social Lounge in Royal Tern, Quiet Lounge in Compass
Friday, Saturday, Sunday, 7:00 am – 10:00 pm
Monday, 7:00 am – 2:30 pm
Tuesday, 7:00 am – 10:00 pm

POSTER SESSIONS

SCHEDULE-AT-A-GLANCE

	BANYAN BREEZEWAY	PAVILION
FRIDAY, MAY 15 3:45 – 6:00 pm	Visual Working Memory: Performance, influences Multisensory Processing: Motor Multisensory Processing: Visual-tactile Eye Movements: Cognition Eye Movements: Pursuit, vergence Face and Body Perception: Social cognition 1 Temporal Processing: Duration and timing perception Functional Organization of Visual Pathways: Cortical visual processing 1	
SATURDAY, MAY 16 8:30 am – 12:30 pm	Perceptual Training, Learning and Plasticity: Psychophysics Visual Working Memory: Interactions with long-term memory Visual Working Memory: Interference, attention Scene Perception: Models, natural image statistics Scene Perception: Intuitive physics Undergraduate Just-In-Time 1	Object Recognition: Reading 3D Shape and Space Perception: Cues, integration 3D Shape and Space Perception: Surfaces, objects Attention: Neural Functional Organization of Visual Pathways: Cortical visual processing 2 Face and Body Perception: Models Decision Making: Perception 1 Action: Navigation, locomotion Action: Miscellaneous
2:45 – 6:45 pm	Spatial Vision: Clinical Perceptual Training, Learning and Plasticity: Rehabilitation Visual Search: Search strategies, clinical Visual Search: Attention, memory, decision-making Pre-Data-Collection Poster Session 1	Attention: Endogenous, exogenous Attention: Features, objects Perceptual Organization: Features, parts, wholes, objects Visual Memory: Objects, features Color, Light and Materials: Material perception Color, Light and Materials: Affect, cognition Theory Multisensory Processing: Recalibration, temporal
SUNDAY, MAY 17 8:30 am – 12:30 pm	Color, Light and Materials: Adaptation, contrast, lightness, brightness Perceptual Organization: Ensembles Perceptual Organization: Individual differences, aesthetics Scene Perception: Neural mechanisms Scene Perception: Spatiotemporal factors Undergraduate Just-In-Time 2	Functional Organization of Visual Pathways: Subcortical, clinical Functional Organization of Visual Pathways: Neuroimaging 3D Shape and Space Perception: Miscellaneous Eye Movements: Individual differences, visual preference Eye Movements: Mechanisms, perception, fixational Eye Movements: Saccades Face and Body Perception: Wholes, parts, configurations, features Decision Making: Perception 2
2:45 – 6:45 pm	Visual Memory: Long-term memory Visual Memory: Encoding and retrieval, capacity Spatial Vision: Natural images, texture Spatial Vision: Neural mechanisms Spatial Vision: Crowding, eccentricity	Color, Light and Materials: Neural mechanisms Eye Movements: Models, remapping Eye Movements: Pupillometry Visual Search: Features, scenes, real-world stimuli Visual Search: Neural mechanisms, models, eye movements Attention: Inattention, attentional blindness Attention: Spatial Attention: Individual differences
MONDAY, MAY 18 8:30 am – 12:30 pm	Object recognition: Categories Object Recognition: Features, parts Face and Body Perception: Social cognition 2 Face and Body Perception: Individual differences Face and Body Perception: Bodies Functional Organization of Visual Pathways: Retinotopy, population receptive fields Pre-Data-Collection Poster Session 2	Spatial Vision: Binocular vision Eye Movements: Natural, complex tasks Eye Movements: Clinical Action: Reaching Action: Grasping, affordances Decision Making: Actions, metacognition Motion: Illusions Motion: Optic flow, in-depth, biological, higher-order Perceptual Training, Learning and Plasticity: Statistical learning Perceptual Training, Learning and Plasticity: Category learning
TUESDAY, MAY 19 8:30 am – 12:30 pm	Perceptual Training, Learning and Plasticity: Neural mechanisms Perceptual Training, Learning and Plasticity: Neuroimaging, neurostimulation Perceptual Organization: Intuitive physics Perceptual Organization: Grouping Scene Perception: Ensemble Scene Perception: Virtual reality Scene Perception: Categorization, memory Visual Working Memory: Models, neural	Attention: Capture 1 Attention: Models Temporal Processing: Neural mechanisms, models Motion: Mechanisms, models Action: Pointing, tracking Action: Perception, recognition Multisensory Processing: Cross-modal interactions Face and Body Perception: Development, clinical Development
2:45 – 6:45 pm	Visual Memory: Imagery Visual Memory: Mechanisms, models, individual differences Face and Body Perception: Neural mechanisms Face and Body Perception: Emotion Undergraduate Just-In-Time 3	Visual Working Memory: Spatial Visual Working Memory: Objects, features Object Recognition: Models Perceptual Organization: Neural mechanisms, models Attention: Capture 2 Attention: Temporal Attention: Reward Multisensory Processing: Audiovisual

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7:00 am		MORNING COFFEE & CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST					
8:00 am		SYMPOSIUM: Intuitive physical reasoning in brains, minds, and machines	MORNING COFFEE & CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST	MORNING COFFEE & CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST	MORNING COFFEE & CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST	MORNING COFFEE & CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST	
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11:00 am		SYMPOSIUM: What makes a task naturalistic? Towards a theory-inspired approach to studying visually guided behaviour	COFFEE BREAK	COFFEE BREAK	COFFEE BREAK	COFFEE BREAK	
12:00 pm		SYMPOSIUM: Reimagining the binding problem(s) for the 21st century	Spatial Vision: Neural mechanisms, modeling	Multisensory Processing	Visual Search: Attention, mechanisms, models	Visual Memory: Encoding, retrieval, capacity	Visual Memory: Individual differences, imagery
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