



**Program Schedule**  
**August 7, 2013**

**Venue:**

George Vari Engineering and Computing Centre, Room ENG-LG14  
245 Church Street, Ryerson University

**Schedule:**

- 08:30 am-09:00 am Registration
- 09:00 am-09:10 am Welcome
- 09:10 am-10:10 am Keynote: **David Temperley**
- 10:10 am-11:10 am **John A. Burgoyne & Henkjan Honing:** *Does MIR need to be more catchy?*  
**Norman D. Cook, Akifumi Kitamura, & Takashi X. Fujisawa:** *Visual display of the acoustical properties of harmony*  
**Michael Schutz:** *Computer aided analysis of musical corpora*
- 11:10 am-11:20 am Break
- 11:20 am-12:25 pm Speed poster talks (see page 2)
- 12:25 pm-01:15 pm Lunch
- 01:15 pm-02:15 pm Keynote: **Marcus Pearce**
- 02:15 pm-03:35 pm **Oriol Nieto, Morwaread Farbood, Juan Pablo Bello:** *A perceptually based evaluation of music boundaries*  
**Valorie N. Salimpoor et al.:** *How the brain processes new music: Implications for understanding individual preferences*  
**Naresh Vempala:** *Neural network models of musical emotion*  
**Glen Kappel:** *Collaboration between the SMART lab and WaveDNA*
- 03:35 pm-03:55 pm Break
- 03:55 pm-04:35 pm **Jessica Thompson:** *Reconstructing musical audio features from continuous single-trial EEG*  
**Johanna Devaney:** *Cognitively motivated representations of symbolic music*
- 04:40 pm-06:00 pm Poster session



## **Speed poster talks:**

1. **Rachna Raman & W. Jay Dowling**  
Bach, Mozart, and Beethoven - Listeners' perception of similarities and differences in their music
2. **Chunyang Song, Andrew J.R. Simpson, Christopher A. Harte, Mark B. Sandler, Marcus T. Pearce**  
Rhythm context affects rated syncopation
3. **Valorie N. Salimpoor, Robert J. Zatorre, Douglas Eck, Anthony R. McIntosh**  
Improving music recommendation by incorporating user characteristics
4. **David M. Weigl, David Sears, Catherine Guastavino**  
Examining the reliability and predictive validity of beat salience judgements
5. **Takashi X. Fujisawa, Norman D. Cook, Akifumi Kitamura**  
Harmonic tension
6. **Alex Andrews, Gabe Nespoli, Frank A. Russo**  
FeatureFinder: a powerful signal processing tool
7. **Matevž Pesek & Matija Marolt**  
Compositional hierarchical model for music understanding
8. **Finn Upham**  
Rocking out in a chair: Physiological signal processing to detect dancing activity in a seated listener
9. **Bill Kapralos**  
Perceptual-based rendering and virtual environments: Increasing the perception of visual fidelity with customizable sound