

LABORATORY OF PSYCHOLOGY AND NEUROCOGNITION

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Grenoble Alpes
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SAVOIE
MONT BLANC Brain Cognition Behavior Cognitive neuroscience Computational neuroscience Psychology

KEY FIGURES:

51 
permanent researchers
and lecturers

19 
technical and
administrative staff

67 
PhD students and
postdoctoral researchers

90 
publications per year
(on average)

27 
patents over the last
5 years

OVERVIEW

The *Laboratory of Psychology and NeuroCognition* (LPNC) stands at the crossroads of experimental psychology, cognitive science, cognitive neuroscience, neuropsychology, and cognitive modeling (AI). It has a rich history of multidisciplinary collaborations focused on better understanding cognitive functions (memory, language, vision, emotion, movement, learning) and modeling cognitive processes across the lifespan, from infancy to old age. The lab also studies both typical and atypical development (e.g., autism, dyslexia, dyspraxia).

RESEARCH TOPICS

- **Body representation and sense of movement.** Sensorimotor adaptation and spatial perception. Representation of verticality.
- **Role of sensory experience in cognitive development.** Cognitive and procedural learning. Self-regulation processes in development and learning.
- **Language:** social function of communication. Speech segmentation. Oral and written language development. Cognition: reading acquisition, aging, neurodegenerative diseases. Inner speech, dialogical thinking, agency, autonoësis. Language in interaction. Lexical association and self-esteem.
- **Memory:** mnnesia (memory processes per se), episnesia (reflective processes such as metacognition).
- **Vision and emotion:** visual sensory input. Active vision and eye movements. Proactive vision and emotional experience. Perceptual awareness and metacognition.

