



**Workshop**

**Southern France Primate  
Behavioural Socio-Ecology  
Meeting**

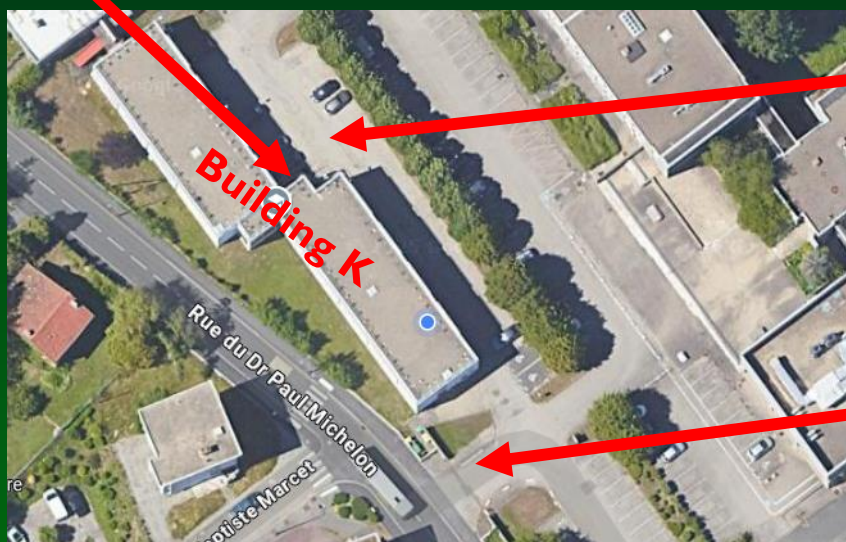
**Tuesday, 13<sup>th</sup> May – Wednesday, 14<sup>th</sup> May 2025  
ENES, University Jean Monnet, Saint-Etienne**



# Workshop at the ENES, University Jean Monnet, Saint Etienne 23 rue du Dr. Paul Michelon, Building K



Building entrance (logo on the door)



Parking

Entrance  
to the  
university

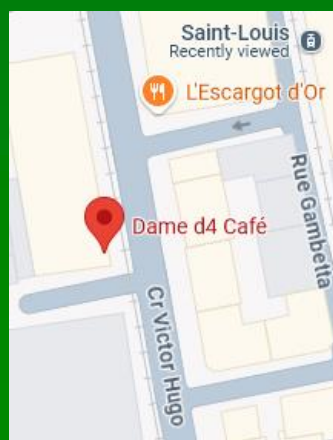


Buses

M4

Bus stop from the train station:  
“Faculté des Sciences”

Tuesday, 13<sup>th</sup> May at 19:00 – Dinner at “Dame d4 café”  
2 Cr Victor Hugo, 42000 Saint-Étienne



Trams

T1

T3

Tram stop:  
“Saint-Louis”

Food and one drink provided

## **Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> May**

**14:15-14:30: Introduction (Florence Levrero)**

**14:30-16:00: Conservation & Tool Use**

Pawel Fedurek

Marine Cuvilliez

Derry Taylor

Oscar Node-Langois

**16:00-16:30: Coffee Break**

**16:30-18:00: Socioecology**

Elise Huchard

Judith Monade

Bertha Roura-Torres

Eleonore Rolland

Mahaut Resche-Rigon

**19:00 Diner (Dame d4 café)**

## **Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> May**

**09:15-9:30: Welcome**

**9:30-11:00: Vocal communication complexity**

Cédric Girard-Buttoz

Arthur Touchais

Auriane le Floch

Antoine Valet

Léo Perrier

**11:00-11:30: Coffee Break**

**11:30-12:30: Vocal emotional communication**

Floriane Fournier

Amandine Merenciano

Mathilde Kovaleff

**12:30: Lunch Provided**



## Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> May, 14:30-16:00

*14:30-15:00*

Towards an impactful conservation intervention to eliminate deadly snare traps - *Pawel Fedurek*

*15:00-15:15*

Impact of illegal human activity on chimpanzee behaviour  
*Marine Cuvilliez*

*15:15-15:30*

Hierarchical structure in hominoid tool-use and communication - *Derry Taylor*

*15:30-15:45*

Chimpanzee tool use development and non-functional practice - *Oscar Nodé-Langois*

*15:45-16:00*

*General discussion*



A photograph of two baboons perched on a rocky, light-colored outcrop against a clear blue sky. The baboon on the left is facing forward, looking slightly to the left, with its long tail curled over its back. The baboon on the right is sitting and looking towards the left.

**Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> May, 16:30-18:00**

*16:30-16:45*

The reproductive benefits of intimidation by male baboons  
*Elise Huchard*

*16:45-17:00*

Acoustic features of male “wahoo” dominance vocalizations  
in chacma baboon - *Judith Monade*

*17:00-17:15*

Early life adversity predicts physical development in young  
mandrills- *Berta Roura-Torres*

*17:15-17:30*

Maternal effects on offspring survival in wild chimpanzees  
*Eleonore Rolland*

*17:30-17:45*

The social microbiome in mandrills (and baboons)  
*Mahaut Resche-Rigon*

*17:45-18:00*

*General discussion*

# Vocal communication complexity



**Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> May, 9:30-11:00**

*09:30-09:45*

Potential for vocal learning of sequences in chimpanzees  
*Cédric Girard-Buttoz*

*09:45-10:00*

Vocal production complexity during approaches in  
chimpanzees - *Arthur Touchais*

*10:00-10:15*

Variations in the structure of sooty mangabey alarm  
sequences depend on predator type - *Auriane Le Floch*

*10:15-10:30*

Role models promote conformity in chimpanzee signal  
usage - *Antoine Valet*

*10:30-10:45*

Dynamics of vocal communication: a meta-analytic approach  
to language diversification - *Léo Perrier*

*10:45-11:00*

*General discussion*





**Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> May, 11:30-12:30**

*11:30-11:45*

The role of nonlinear phenomena in vocal emotional expression and perception in bonobos - *Floriane Fournier*

*11:45-12:00*

The effects of laughter on behavioral responses in bonobos: an intra- and interspecific study- *Amandine Merenciano*

*12:00-12:15*

Isolation and anesthesia affect mandrill contact call acoustic properties- *Mathilde Kovaleff*

*12:15-12:30*

*General discussion*