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WHY WORDS MATTER **LESSONS FROM NEUROANATOMY**

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This talk will outline a computational brain architecture that places the physical regulation of the body at the core of all experiences and perceptions. The talk will explain the brain-basis of why humans are social animals and introduce the implications for social discourse. In the process, we will discuss the possibility that mere words can have a physical impact on the human brain and body.

Date September 24, 2018

Time 4:00-5:00 pm

Location Livak Ballroom Dudley H. Davis Center The University of Vermont

Reception immediately following in the Fireplace Lounge

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