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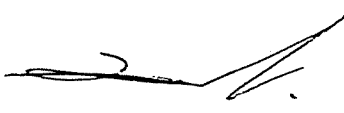
Dr. Alan Baddeley
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Dear Alan

This is just in reply to your most interesting invitation to talk to the first Summer School of the European Society for Cognitive Psychology. This is obviously a most attractive occasion, from which I would expect to learn a lot, quite apart from the general value to the subject of organising such an assembly of European research students, and gaining the increase in scientific advance that comes with critical mass.

I am therefore very glad to accept provisionally; but may I give you a final confirmation about Christmas time? The reason is that I have other commitments which I have to honour but where the dates have been left rather open. Naturally however I hope that all may be well!

Yours sincerely



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Dr. Alan Baddeley
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Re.: European Society for Cognitive Psychology

Dear Professor Baddeley,

Thank you very much for the provisional invitation to give a lecture about the development of memory on the occasion of the first Summer School next year. I am willing to accept and would be grateful to get further informations after everything is clear concerning the final programme and the necessary funding.

Best wishes,

F. Zinn



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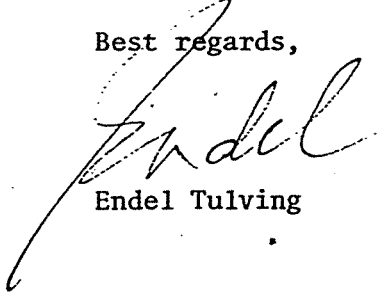
May 20, 1986

Dear Alan:

Your plan for the first summer school of the European Society for Cognitive Psychology sounds great, and I am happy to accept your invitation to be one of the seven lecturers--provisionally. Sorry for the delay in getting back to you, but initially I was not too keen on spending a whole week in a strange place with unknown plumbing facilities, or any kind of facilities, and had to be persuaded to take a more positive stance by my wife Ruth. I tend to think of myself as too old for these sorts of things and therefore, given a chance, prefer to stay home whenever possible, but Ruth thought that going to a monastery next summer, even if temporarily, would be good for my soul. She also said that I owed it to your Society, not only as a cognitive psychologist but as an expatriate European. And who am I to argue with authority? Hence the delayed but positive decision.

Under the circumstances I would not mind attending the joint meeting of EPS and CPA in Oxford, either, and would like to request, therefore, that my stint at the summer school be scheduled for the early part of its duration, ideally the very first week, so as to leave sufficient time for a leisurely journey from Starnbergsee to Oxford.

Best regards,


Endel Tulving

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May 13, 1986

Dear Professor Baddeley:

I have received your letter of April 24 and I am delighted about your kind offer to give a one hour lecture during your first Summer School on Cognitive Psychology. It is an excellent idea to realize such a Summer School, and I hope that you will receive the necessary funds. I think highly of the other invited speakers, and I would like definitely to say: yes, I accept with pleasure.

Although it may be a little early I would like to ask you what kind of paper you prefer: a very specialized one, concerning our analyses and computer simulation of specific kinds of inductive and analogical reasoning or a more broader approach on interactions and the specificity of cognitive psychology vs. artificial intelligence (either with examples from the own research).

Concerning the funds: I guess you know the European Research Foundation. I have learned that they grant some kind of supports, especially for enterprises as yours.

Yours sincerely,

Friedrich Klux
Prof. Dr. F. Klux

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p.s.: Under a more classical point of view I can say that my research concerns the efficiency of knowledge representation and use. We are trying to analyse human cognitive capabilities so much in detail that they are simulatable by (highly efficient) computers. Specific objects are the gestalt organization of perceptual structures, relation detection in (and between) conceptual structures and mappings between them (as they are relevant for analogical reasoning).

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May 14, 1986

Alan Baddeley, Chairman
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Thanks for inviting me to lecture at the Summer School of the European Society for Cognitive Psychology. This sounds like a great idea, and I am delighted to come. I hope this can be timed so that I can combine it with the Advisory Board meeting in Munich. The exact timing is not that important - I shall spend a few days with family in Austria anyway.

Let me know how plans develop!

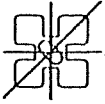
Sincerely,

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11 May 1986

Dear Alan,

Thank you for the provisional invitation to the Summer School. It seems like a very interesting occasion. The idea of having 4.5 hours to present the connectionist work on memory is very appealing.

Unfortunately, I am moving (yet again!) from CMU to Toronto on July 1 1987, so my life will be rather hectic at that time. I am tempted to provisionally accept and pull out later if it all gets too chaotic, but you may feel that this is unsatisfactory for you. Perhaps we could fix a fairly early deadline (like January 1987) by which time I will decide one way or the other. If this is all too messy, I suggest you try Jay McClelland or Dave Rumelhart.

Yours sincerely,

Geoff
Geoffrey Hinton