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## Abordări multi-disciplinare asupra psihologiei muzicii



### Workshop W20

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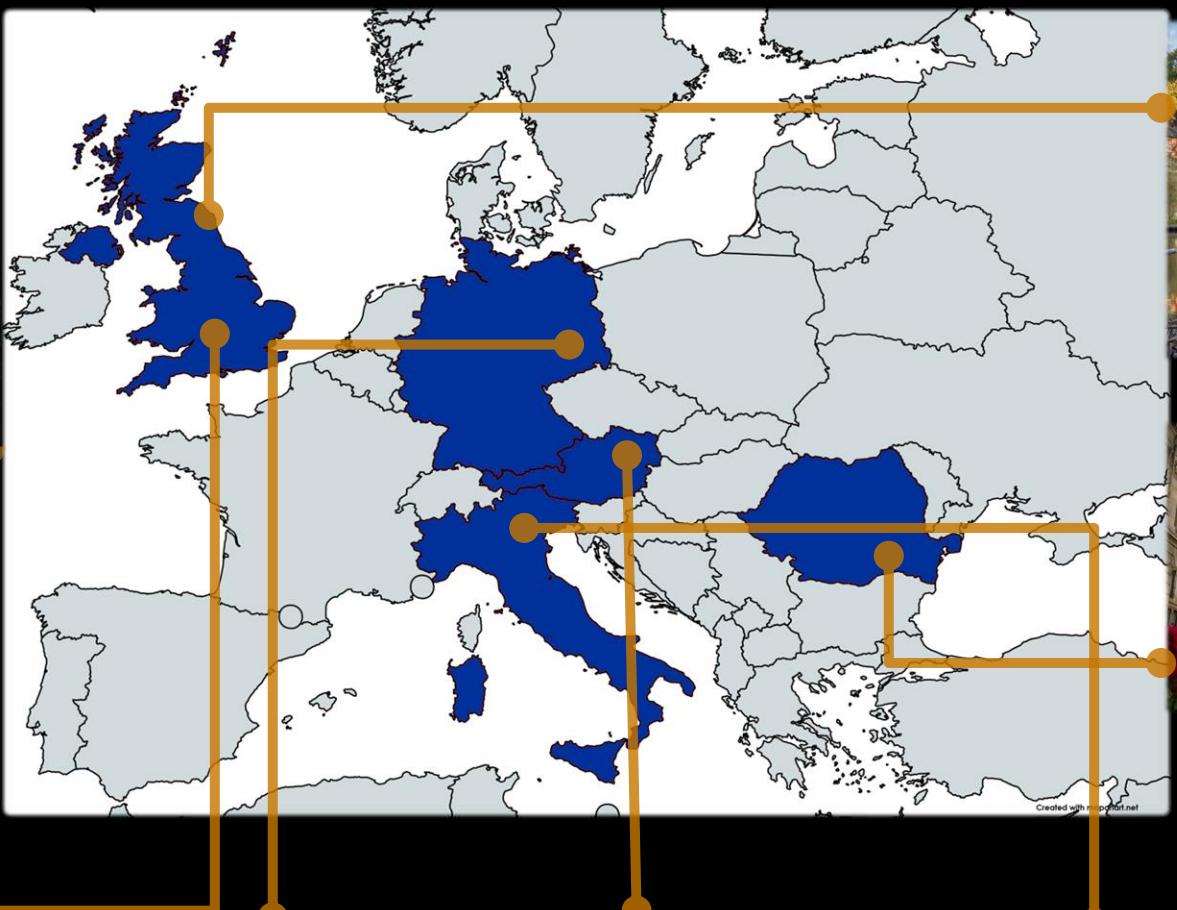
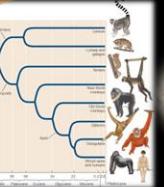
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CE: Domeniul psihologiei muzicii

CUM: Meta-research

# Muzica: doar „un model excelent”?

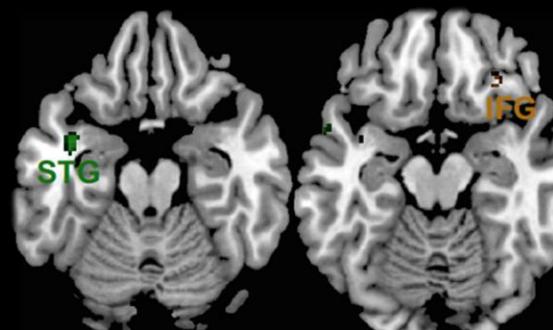
- subiecte de mare importanță pentru psihologia cognitivă (și clinică, comparativă, ..):
  - percepția auditivă și multisenzorială
  - memorie (echoică, de lucru, de termen lung, autobiografică)
  - predictie
  - creativitate
  - învățare / neuroplasticitate / reorganizare corticală
  - abilități auditiv-motorii
  - cognitia socială
  - contagierea emoțională
  - acțiune comună (joint action)
  - ..
- → un instrument util – dar și mai mult?



\* e.g., Popescu et al. 2022, Annals New York Academy of Sciences

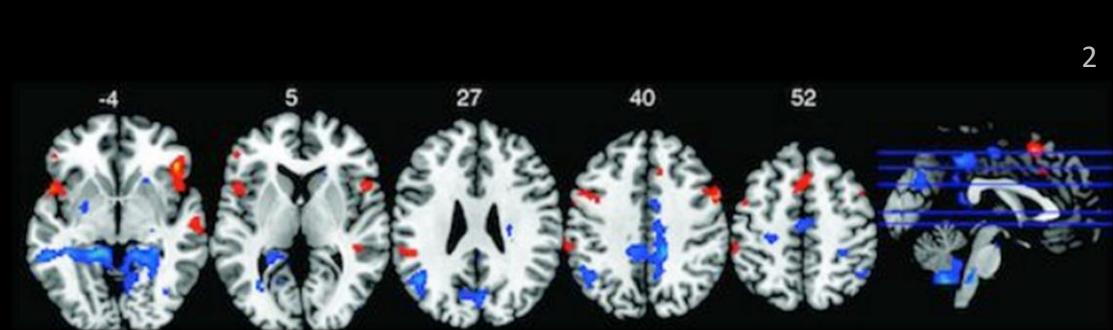
# "Ingineria inversă" a creierului muzical

## O cutie neagră cognitiva



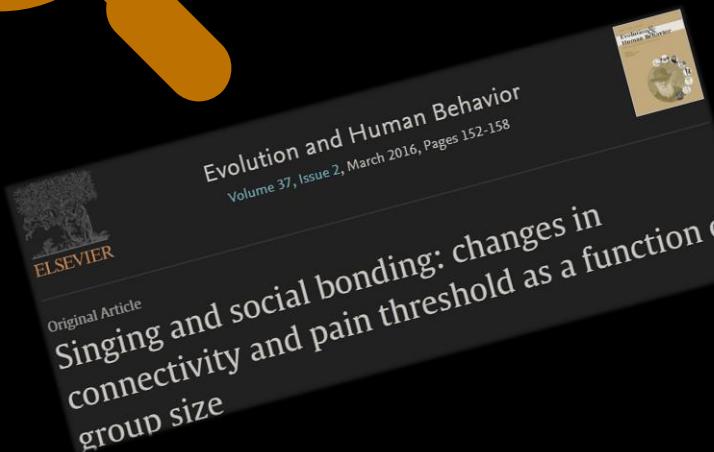
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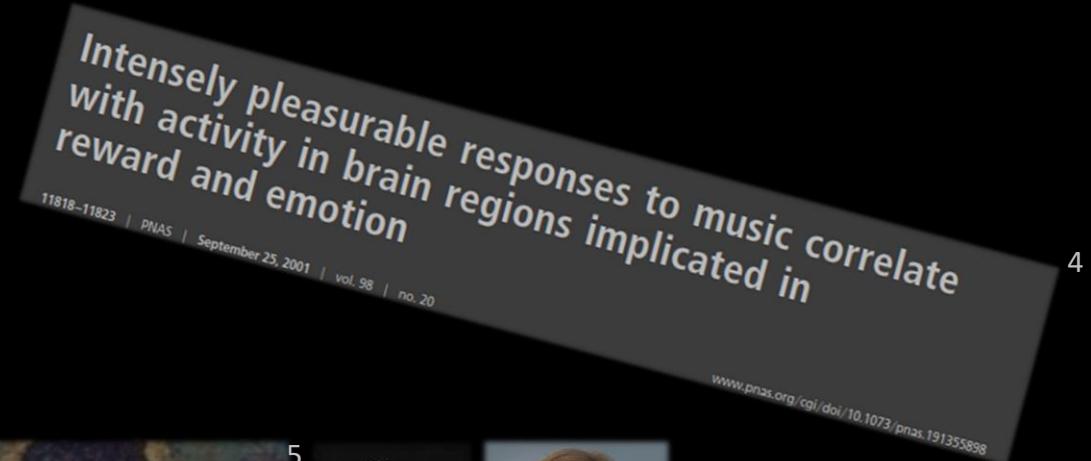


Muzicieni > Nonmuzicieni

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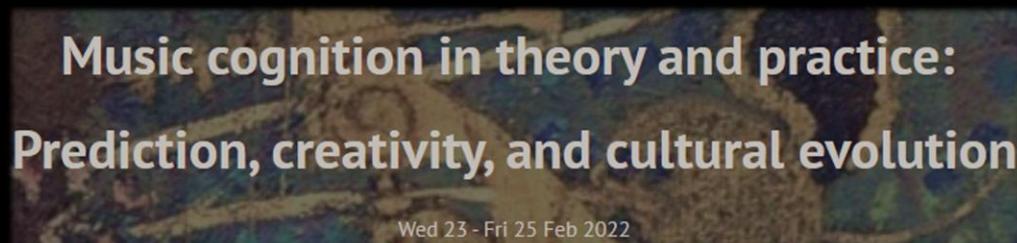


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Interdisciplinaritate!



Wed 23 - Fri 25 Feb 2022



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journal of cognition  
by the european society for cognitive psychology

<sup>1</sup> Brattico et al. 2016, *Frontiers Human Neurosci*

<sup>2</sup> Bermudez et al. 2009, *Cerebral Cortex*

<sup>3</sup> Weinstein et al. 2016, *Evolution and Human Behavior*

<sup>4</sup> Blood & Zatorre 2001, *PNAS*

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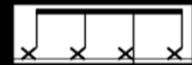
# Examinarea "cutiei negre"

## • Principalele dimensiuni muzicale, și formalismele asociate

### • Structura frazei muzicale<sup>1</sup>



### • Ritmul<sup>2</sup>

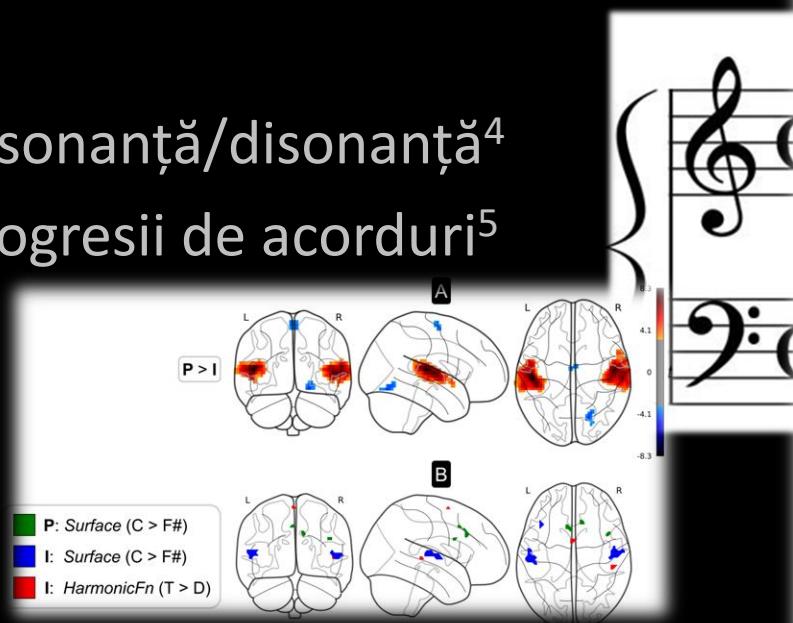


### • Expectativa melodică<sup>3</sup>

### • Armonia (verticală): consonanță/disonanță<sup>4</sup>

### • Armonie (orizontală): progresii de acorduri<sup>5</sup>

- Tensiunea tonala
- Expectative armonice: chiar și în muzica imaginată<sup>6</sup>



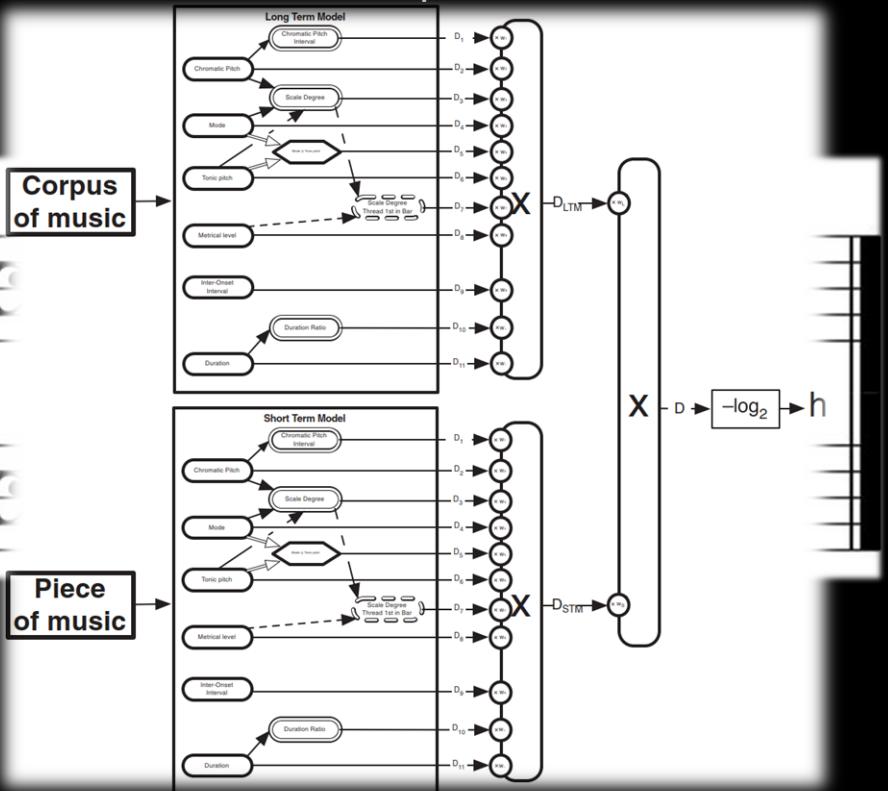
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3. Pearce, & Wiggins. (2012). *Topics in Cognitive Science*

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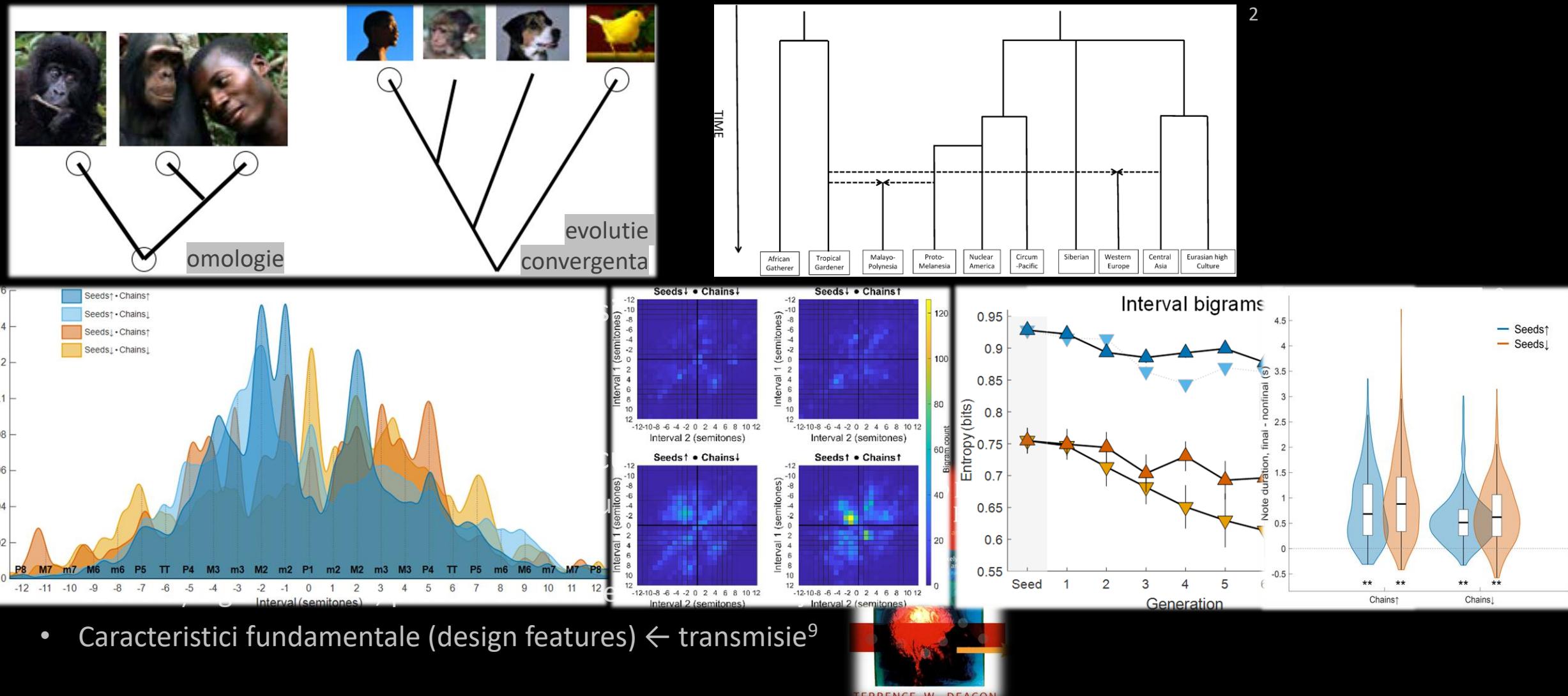
### IDYOM: modelare probabilistica<sup>3</sup>



5. Rohrmeier & Koelsch (2013). *PNAS*

6. Popescu, Farrugia, et al. (2023), *Scientific Reports* (under review)

# Originile evolutive ale muzicii



- Caracteristici fundamentale (design features) ← transmisie<sup>9</sup>

<sup>1</sup> Fitch & Popescu 2019, *Science*

<sup>2</sup> Savage 2019, *Palgrave Communications*

<sup>3</sup> Savage 2015, *PNAS*

<sup>4</sup> Popescu et al. 2021, *Behavioral and Brain Sciences*

<sup>5</sup> Deacon 1998, *MIT Press*

<sup>9</sup> Popescu et al., *eLife* (under review)

# Muzica si limbajul (M&L): o „relație specială”

- M&L: capacitate cognitive distinctive

- Afinități profunde

- Evolutive

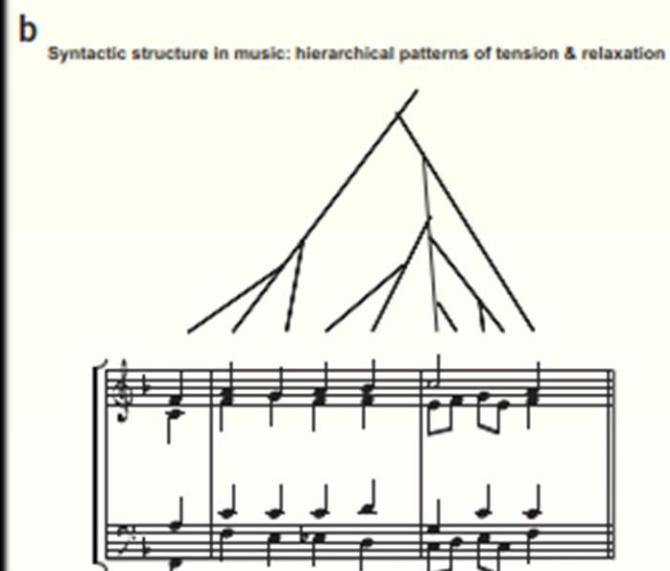
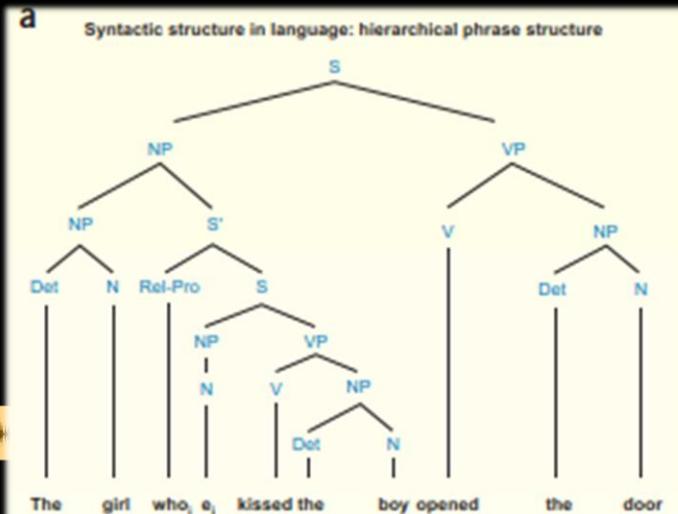
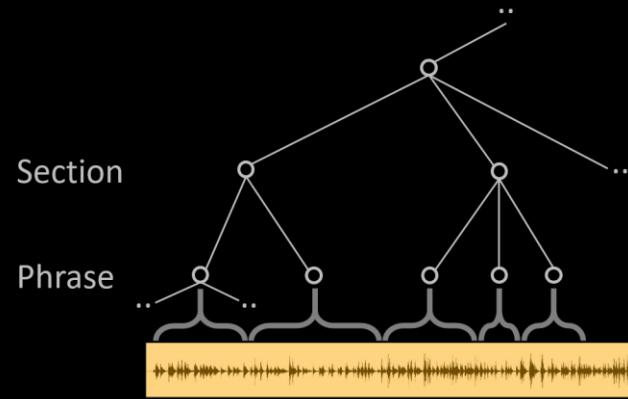
M: „evoluat pentru a fermeca sexul opus”

L: „derivata din abilitati muzicale in-prealabil dezvoltate”<sup>1</sup>

- *Muzilimba*<sup>2</sup>

- Structurale

- Elemente constitutive dispuse ierarhic<sup>3</sup>
  - Sintaxa M&L: unele resurse neuronale partajate<sup>4,5</sup>



<sup>1</sup> Darwin 1871

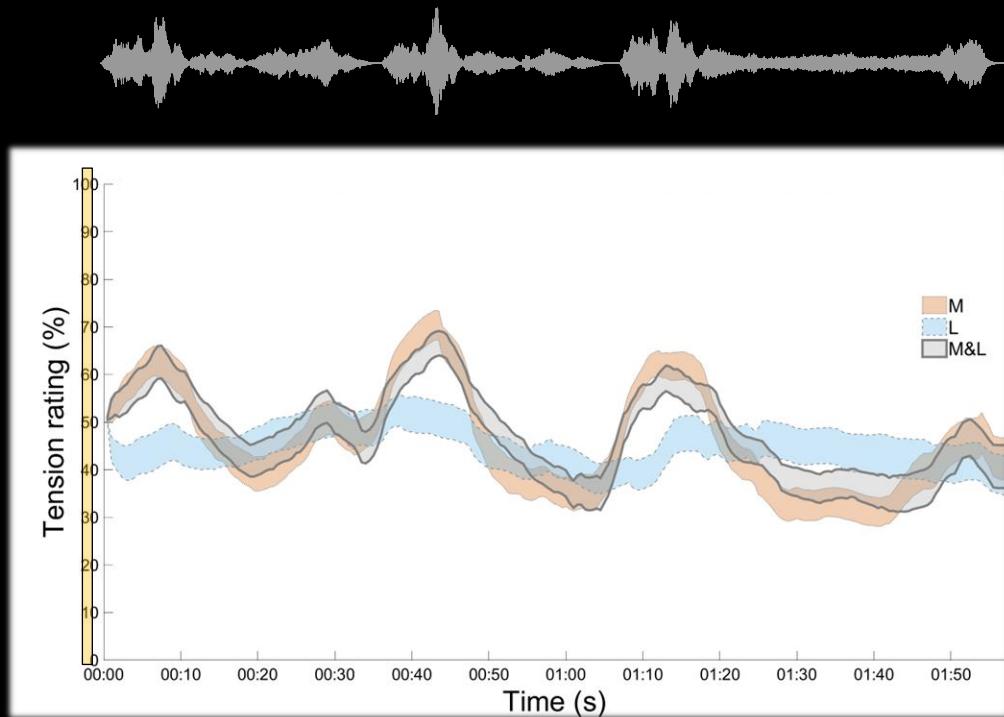
<sup>2</sup> Brown 2000, MIT Press

<sup>3</sup> Lerdahl & Jackendoff 1983, MIT Press

<sup>4</sup> Koelsch et al. 2005, *J of Cognitive Neuroscience*; Kunert et al. 2015, *PLoS ONE*

<sup>5</sup> Popescu & Fitch 2020, *Brain & Beh Sci*

# Emotia in muzica corală drept M-tensiune x L-tensiune



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**3. O süßer Mai!**  
L. Achim v. Arnim

**Etwas gehalten**

Soprano: O sü - ßer Mai, der Strom ist frei, ich steh verschlossen, mein Aug ver - dros - sen;  
Alt: O sü - ßer Mai, der Strom ist frei, ich steh ver - schlossen, mein Aug, mein Aug ver - dros - sen;  
Tenor: O sü - ßer Mai, der Strom ist frei, ich steh ver.schlossen, mein Aug, mein Aug ver.drossen;  
Bass: ver - schlossen, mein Aug, mein Aug ver.dros - sen;

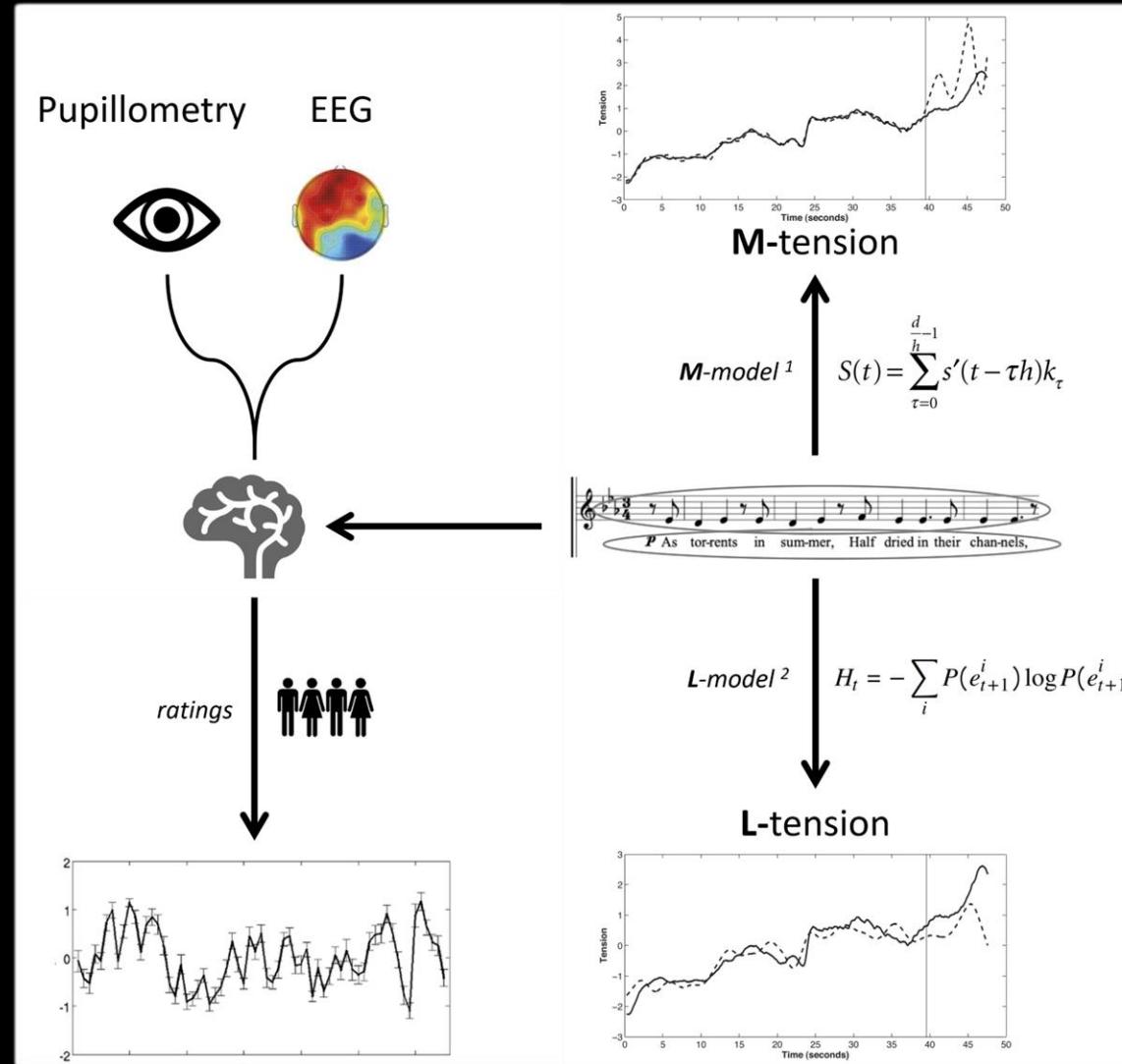
12: ich seh nicht deine grüne Tracht, nicht deine buntgeblümte Pracht, nicht dein Himmelblau,  
ich seh nicht deine grüne Tracht, nicht deine buntgeblümte Pracht, nicht dein Himmelblau,  
ich seh nicht deine grüne Tracht, nicht deine buntgeblümte Pracht, nicht dein Himmelblau,

19: zur Erd ich schau. O sü - ßer Mai, mich las - se frei, wie den Ge -  
zur Erd, zur Erd ich schau. O sü - ßer Mai, mich las - se frei, wiedenGe - sang  
zur Erd, zur Erd ich schau. O sü - ßer Mai, mich las - se frei, wiedenGe - sang,  
O sü - ßer Mai, mich las - se frei, wiedenGe - sang, wie

The musical score includes four staves: Soprano, Alt, Tenor, and Bass. Measure numbers 111, 12, and 19 are indicated. The vocal parts sing in German. The score is annotated with dynamic markings like **f**, **p**, **espr. mf**, and **Etwas gehalten**. Yellow ovals highlight specific notes in the vocal lines across the three measures shown.

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concept de nivel (prea) înalt maschează interacțiunile de granulație fină → necesar nivelul neuronal



<sup>1</sup> Ruiz-Marcos et al. 2020, *Joint Conference on AI Music Creativity*

<sup>2</sup> Wilmot & Keller 2020, *Proceedings of the 58th Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics*

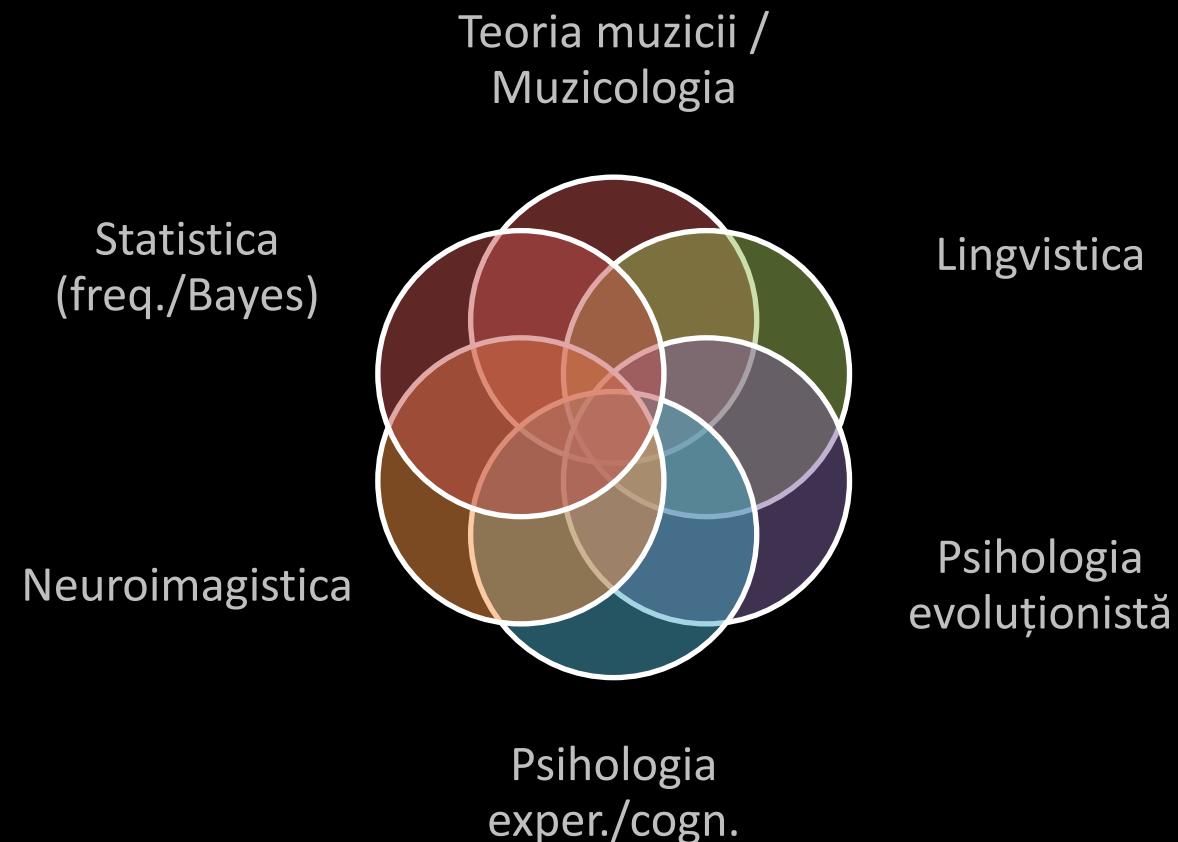
# CE: Domeniul psihologiei muzicii

CUM

- Inter-/multi-disciplinaritate
- "Early" career
- Meta-research
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## Inter-/multi-disciplinaritate

"Music as a bio - psycho - socio - cultural phenomenon" (David Huron)



# Inter-/multi-disciplinaritate

## Coordonarea unei astfel de echipe

Neural representations of harmonic function in musical imagery

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REVIEW

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## Melodic Intonation Therapy for aphasia: A multi-level meta-analysis of randomized controlled trials and individual participant data

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## Jack of all trades, master of (n)one



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# Fricile si sperantele unui "early career" researcher

- Presiuni aflate intr-un "arms race against [our] time"

- Publish (or perish)
  - The citation game
    - articol > capitol
    - open-access > paywall
    - short report > articol standard
- Didactica
- Finantare (third-party funding)
- "Translatare"



- Resursa finita a timpului / atentiei

- Continut (CE) vs meta (CUM) – *si mai* jack of all trades!
- FOMO ← nu accepti cereri de peer-review
  - revista non-OA → SciHub → castigator: Elsevier & co.

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## The Importance of Recognizing Reviewers

 The Source By: Penny Freedman, Thu Sep 24 2020

Peer review is an important part of the publishing process. Journals would not be able to publish the research that they do without the dedication of peer reviewers. Serving as the checkpoint to academic credibility, reviewers provide crucial feedback for authors and editors that influences the future of a paper's publication status. With the world facing an unprecedented time of crisis, the work of reviewers is more essential than ever.

We asked researchers about their experience as peer reviewers. We hope their stories provide a sounding board for others, and offer insight into a process that almost all researchers will take part in during their career.

 We spoke to Tudor Popescu, who is convinced about the need for more transparency in the work of reviewers. As a postdoc based at the University of Vienna, he has been reviewing for approximately five years, most frequently reviewing in experimental psychology and cognitive neuroscience journals, at a rate of 5-10 papers per year.

Why do you review?

## Cum publicam & ce "dezvaluim"

- Zeitgeist: desfacerea cutiei negre / open-source



- opt-out, in loc de opt-in
  - donarea organelor (cf AT vs DE)
  - badge of pride 🚆 / shame
    - #flugscham
    - no raw data on OSF
      - exceptii rezonabile: jena de a publica cod putin-elegant sau putin-concis
      - timpul nostru vs timpul cititorului (Abstract)

# Intoarcerea?

- Empirical evidence vs untestable theories
  - plural of "anecdote" ≠ "data"
  - correlation ≠ causation
  - ...



Vs.



Google Scholar search results for "evidence for efficacy of hydroxychloroquine".

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- nevoie de o auzi "in direct" (muzica, si limbajul)
  - "what you see is all there is" (Kahneman)

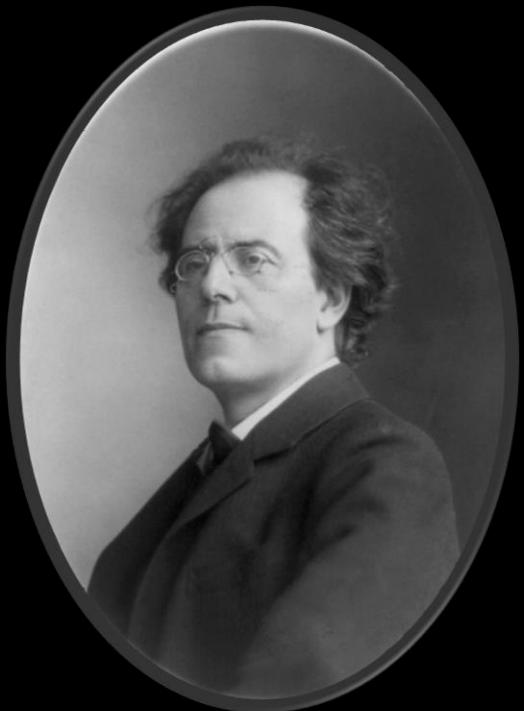
# Intoarcerea?



- admin "printre randuri", referinte culturale, ..
- *blue skies research* in Romania?
- L1 vs (L2, L3, ..)

*" Solang ich mein Erlebnis in Worten zusammenfassen kann,  
gewiß keine Musik hierüber machen würde. "*

– Gustav **Mahler** , 1909



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