

May 20-22, 2010

[SAND5: Statistical Analysis of Neuronal Data – In Pittsburgh!](#)  
[Walt Schneider is one of the keynote speakers.](#)

[Event website](#)

### IN PITTSBURGH!

June 3-6, 2010

[University of Pittsburgh School of Social Work Race in America: Restructuring Inequality National Conference](#)

[Event website](#)

### IN PITTSBURGH!

June 14-18, 2010

[ITS 2010: the Tenth International Conference on Intelligent Tutoring Systems](#)

[Event website](#)

June 29, 2010

[ISEE@ICLS'10 - Striking a Balance Between Free and Guided Exploration](#)

[Event website](#)

June 29-July 2, 2010

[International Conference of the Learning Sciences 2010 Learning in the Disciplines](#)

[Event website](#)

July 7-10, 2010

[Society for the Scientific Study of Reading Berlin](#)

[Event website](#)

July 25-August 6, 2010

[IES Summer Research Training Institute Northwestern University](#)

[Application here](#)

August 11-14, 2010

[Cogsci2010: Cognition in Flux Portland, OR](#)

[Event website](#)

## Shari Kubitz Keeps On Rolling

LRDC Senior Systems Analyst Shari Kubitz and her team of “Eternal Optimists,” many of whom are LRDCers, marched again this year in the National Multiple Sclerosis Society Walk on April 18, 2010. Last year, Shari and her team raised more than \$5,300 (ranking in the Top 10 fundraisers in Allegheny County for two years in a row). More information on Shari and her supporters is on her [personal website](#).

This year, although Shari has met her personal goal of working full time again, she is still a little short on her monetary goal of \$6,500. The money raised helps fund programs that benefit all in Allegheny County who live with MS.

May 17 is the deadline for donations, which can be made on-line at the [MS website](#), by sending a check (made payable to the National MS Society) to Shari at 1267 Duffield St., Pittsburgh, PA 15206, or by dropping off cash or a check (made out to the National MS Society) to room 504 LRDC.

## Recent Publications

Coburn, C. E., & Stein, M.K. (Eds.). (2010). *Research and Practice in Education: Building Alliances, Bridging the Divide*. Lanham, MD: Rowman & Littlefield.

McKeown, M. G., & Kucan, L. (Eds.). (2010). *Bringing Reading Research to Life*. New York, NY: The Guilford Press.

van Hell, J. G., & Tokowicz, N. (2010). Event-related brain potentials and second language learning: Syntactic processing in late L2 learners at different L2 proficiency levels. *Second Language Research*, 26, 43-74.

## Mark Your Calendars



June 24-26, 2010  
LRDC Board of Visitors

## Kudos. . .

Natasha Tokowicz's grad students, Alba Tuninetti got honorable mention for the National Science Foundation's Graduate Research Fellowship, and Katherine Martin was awarded a National Science Foundation Graduate Research Fellowship!

LRDC undergrads Carl Fenderson and Erin Karahuta in Chris Schunn's research group, and Jenn Bracken and Kaitlin Mainwaring in Natasha Tokowicz's group, who presented posters at the 11<sup>th</sup> Annual Psychology Department Undergraduate Student Research Poster Session recently!