

The



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Gestalt Theory
and its Applications

granted the



Wolfgang Metzger Award 2026



to

Prof. Dr. Ivana Bianchi

University of Macerata

in recognition of her research and publications on

The Perception of Similarity, Difference and Opposition

The award ceremony and the laureate's lecture are scheduled for September 16, 2026, as part of the 24th Conference of the Society for Gestalt Theory and its Applications in Berlin.

Prof. Dr. Marianne Soff
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Award Committee

Berlin, 16.9.2026



This award - presented by the international multidisciplinary Society for Gestalt Theory and its Applications (GTA) - is named in honor of our late honorary chairman Prof. Dr. Dr. h.c. Wolfgang Metzger who was one of the most eminent exponents of the second generation of the Berlin school of Gestalt theory.