Show notes for Episode 126


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Song: Armageddon by Prism

Skeptical News:

International Space Station to be ‘sunk’ after 2020, see here

US National Debt “Crisis”

https://www.cia.gov/library/publications/the-world-factbook/field
http://www.cbo.gov/ftpdocs/120xx/doc12039/HistoricalTables%5F
http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/United_States_federal_budget
http://www.usdebtclock.org/

Double Standards of Terrorism:


Interview:

Dr. Susana Martinez-Conde
http://www.smcranialcorrelate.com/

Dr. Stephen Macknik

http://macknik.smcranialcorrelate.com/node/16

http://www.slightsofmind.com/

Skeptical Highlights:

Skeptics in the Pub in Kitsilano – Wednesday, August 3 · 7:30pm at the The Billy Bishop Legion.

In addition – Skepticamp 2011 rehearsal event will take place at 6pm at the Billy Bishop an hour or so before Skeptics come by for 6pm. – See Facebook Event Here

Friday Illusion: Shifty shadow alters an object’s path

New Scientist TV has this cool illusion. The video shows a ‘ball’ (actually just a round image) traveling across a grid plane beneath the ball. This shadow is manipulated to give the perception that the path of the ball is not constant...although it is.


We heard about the Neurobiology of magic, but I have a book about the magic of neurobiology. I’ve been reading “An neurobiologist. This book is a collection of some case studies and explores some of the amazing things our brains do to...