

Programme

LAGB Annual Meeting 2006

University of Newcastle upon Tyne

There are three parallel sessions at all times, apart during the AGM and during invited speakers' talks.

Day 1 – Wednesday 30th August

1.00-1.45 Lunch

1.45 - 2.00	Welcome and opening remarks
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Session A

2.00-2.40	Vieri Samek-Lodovici (UCL) 'Non-Culmination and its Consequences for Prosodic Phrasing'
2.40-3.20	Billy Clark (Middlesex) 'The Semantic Analysis of English Tones'
3.20-4.00	Nicole Dehe (FU Berlin & UCL) 'Mismatch between syntactic and prosodic structure - The case of parenthesis'

Session B

2.00-2.40	Gabriella Toth (Szeged) 'Some Remarks on the Functional Domain of Small Clauses'
2.40-3.20	Mirjam Rijterink (Utrecht) 'On the syntax of noun ellipsis'
3.20-4.00	Geoffrey Poole (Newcastle) 'Interpolation and the Left Periphery in Old Spanish'

Session C

2.00-2.40	Teresa Biberauer & Ian Roberts (Cambridge) 'The return of the subset principle'
2.40-3.20	Anders Holmberg, Aarti Nayudu & Michelle Sheehan (Newcastle & Durham) 'Three partial pro-drop languages'
3.20-4.00	Dimitrios Ntelitheos (UCLA) 'Participant nominalizations as (reduced) headless relative clauses'

4.00-4.30 Tea

Session A

4.30-5.10	Hiroyuki Uchida (UCL) 'Frozen Scope in Categorial Grammar'
5.10-5.50	Pierre Larrivée (Aston) 'The qualitative dimension of arbitrary selection items in English and French'

Session B

4.30-5.10	Koji Kawahara (York) 'Fragmental answers of negative concord and the theory of ellipsis'
5.10-5.50	Marina Kolokonte (Newcastle) 'Bare Argument Ellipsis and Polarity in Modern Greek'

Session C

4.30-5.10	Fredrik Heinat (Lund) 'A unified account of pronouns and reflexives'
5.10-5.50	Ute Bohnacker & Christina Rosen (Lund & Växjö) 'V2 declaratives in L2 learner production: transfer of syntax vs information structure'

6.30-7.30 Dinner

7.30 -9.00

Henry Sweet Lecture 2006:	Nick Evans (Melbourne) 'The pleasures and pains of careful articulation: stable nasal-stop clusters in Australian languages as a typological conundrum'
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9.00 Wine reception in the Hatton Gallery sponsored by Blackwell Publishing

Day 2 – Thursday 31st August

Session A	
9.00-9.40	Maggie Tallerman (Newcastle) ‘The evolution of the lexicon: arguments against holistic protolanguage’
9.40-10.20	Kenny Smith (Edinburgh) ‘Explanatory adequacy and cultural evolution’
10.20-11.00	Stefan Hoefler (Edinburgh) ‘Modeling pragmatic aspects of language evolution: the case of articulation bottleneck’
Session B	
9.00-9.40	Laurie Bauer (Victoria University of Wellington) ‘How LAZY are the outputs of fortition?’
9.40-10.20	Chang-beom Park (Essex) ‘Vowel harmony under the item-and-process view: the Optimality Theoretic approach to Korean ideophones’
10.20-11.00	Ricardo Bermúdez-Otero (Manchester) ‘The phonology of cliticization in Stratal Optimality Theory’
Session C	
9.00-9.40	Thorstein Fretheim (Norwegian University of Science and Technology) ‘A relevance-theoretic analysis of unless’
9.40-10.20	Kasia Jaszczolt (Cambridge) ‘Towards a Typology of Defaults in Utterance Interpretation’
10.20-11.00	Noel Burton-Roberts (Newcastle) ‘Cancellation and intention’

11.00-11.30 Coffee

Session A	
11.30-12.10	Judith Broadbent (Roehampton) ‘Secondary Contraction’
12.10-12.50	Robert Truswell (UCL) ‘Event Structure and Extraction from Adjuncts’
Session B	
11.30-12.10	Arthur Merin & Irina Nikolaeva (Konstanz & Oxford) ‘Exclamative as a Universal Speech Act Category’
12.10-12.50	Kristin Börjesson (Leipzig) ‘Literal meaning as conventional but non-grammatical meaning’
Session C	
11.30-12.10	Glenda Newton (Cambridge) ‘Do we need postsyntactic movement? A new analysis of Old Irish compound verbs’
12.10-12.50	Kristin M. Eide (Norwegian University of Science and Technology) ‘Finiteness: the <i>haves</i> and the <i>have nots</i> ’

1.00-2.00 Lunch

Session A	
2.00-2.40	Ute Bohnacker (Lund) ‘Placing verbs and particles in L2 Swedish’
2.40-3.20	Eugenija Romanova (Tromsø) ‘Two behaviours of the same prefix’
3.20-4.00	Anna Asbury, Berit Gehrke & Veronika Hegedus (Utrecht & Tilburg) ‘One size fits all: prefixes, particles, adpositions and cases as members of category P’
Session B	
2.00-4.00	TEACHING LINGUISTICS TO UNIVERSITY STUDENTS: Integrating Teaching and Research in Practice. A session organised jointly by the LAGB and the Subject Centre for Language, Linguistics and Area Studies. Find out how Harry Potter can be used to help students analyse Faroese clause structure, how undergraduates can learn typology by using the electronic World Atlas of Language Structures and how students can learn about the relation between theory and data through group work. Participants will include Billy Clark (Middlesex), Caroline Heycock (Edinburgh) and Kristine Hildebrandt (Manchester).
Session C	
2.00-2.40	Bill Palmer (Surrey) ‘Passive possession in Oceanic’
2.40-3.20	Oliver Bond & Bethwyn Evans (SOAS & Manchester) ‘Negation in Marovo: a historical perspective’
3.20-4.00	William van der Wurff (Newcastle) ‘Ineffable negative imperatives: a functional proposal’

4.00-4.30 Tea

4.30-6.00	LAGB Annual General Meeting – all members are welcome to attend (agenda will be circulated separately)
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6.30-7.30 Dinner

7.30-9.00	Language Tutorial: Iwaidja, Nick Evans (Melbourne) – part one
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Day 3 – Friday 1st September

Session A	Special Session on Dynamic Syntax
9.00-9.40	Ronnie Cann (Edinburgh) Introduction to Dynamic Syntax
9.40-10.20	Nancy C. Kula & Lutz Marten (Leiden & SOAS) ‘On the feeding relation between phonology and syntax: Phonological phrasing in Bemba relatives’
10.20-11.00	Ronnie Cann & Matthew Purver (Edinburgh & Stanford) ‘Context, ellipsis and grammaticality’
Session B	
9.00-9.40	Barry Heselwood (Leeds) ‘Simultaneity, ordering and the phonotactic structure of onsets in English’
9.40-10.20	Melanie Bell (Cambridge) ‘English compound nouns revisited: an analogical account of stress assignment’
10.20-11.00	Ekaterina Samoylova (Oxford) ‘Whisper down the alley – acoustic cues for tone perception of whispered English vowels’
Session C	
9.00-9.40	David Willis (Cambridge) ‘Reanalysis and directionality’
9.40-10.20	Riitta-Liisa Valijärvi (Uppsala) ‘Degree of grammaticalisation of deverbal adpositions in Finnish’
10.20-11.00	Penny Scott (Newcastle) ‘Morphologization in West Saxon adjectives’

11.00-11.30 Coffee

Session A	Special Session on Dynamic Syntax (continued)
11.30-12.10	Eleni Gregoromichelaki (KCL & Edinburgh) ‘Quantificational Subordination in Conditionals: a DS Account’
12.10-12.50	Anna McCormack (SOAS) ‘Multiple object constructions in Tswana’
Session B	
11.30-12.10	Ivan Garcia-Alvarez (Salford) ‘Non-monotonicity in the semantics of exception phrases’
12.10-12.50	Leora Bar-El (SOAS) ‘The progressive and the readings it induces’
Session C	
11.30-12.10	Kerstin Hoge (Oxford) ‘A Curious Incident of German Wh-Infinitivals’
12.10-12.50	Anne Abeilé & Robert D Borsley (Paris 7 & Essex) ‘Comparative correlatives and parameters’

1.00-2.00 Lunch

Session A	Special Session on Dynamic Syntax (continued)
2.00-2.40	Nhlanhla Twala, Ruth Kempson & Lutz Marten (SOAS & KCL) ‘Siswati clefts: Online Context Construction’
2.40-3.20	R. Kempson, M. Bouzouita, R. Cann (KCL & Edinburgh) ‘Rethinking functionalism: Syntactic Change as Calcifying Pragmatic Strategies’
3.20-4.00	Yicheng Wu (Hong Kong University) ‘An alternative version of Universal Grammar’
Session B	LINGUISTICS IN EDUCATION SPECIAL SESSION: ‘How can linguists help schools?’ with contributions by Julie Blake (Villiers Park Education Trust) on the English Language A-level, Sue Barry (Manchester Metropolitan) on phoneme-grapheme correspondences for primary literacy, James Burch (St Martin’s College) on Foreign Languages and Mick Connell (School Improvement Adviser for Rotherham) on English 5-16.
Session C	
2.00-2.40	Janneke ter Beek (Groningen) ‘A-movement out of control clauses: evidence from NPIs’
2.40-3.20	Seongsook Choi (Sussex) ‘Multiple aspectual projections in Korean’
3.20-4.00	Bill Haddican (York) ‘The structural deficiency of verbal proforms’

4.00-4.30 Tea

Session A	
4.30-5.10	Liliane Haegeman (Université Charles de Gaulle, Lille III/ STL - UMR 8163 CNRS) ‘The neuter pronoun <i>tet</i> in West Flemish and the cartography of subject positions’
5.10-5.50	Nikolas Gisbourne (Edinburgh) ‘Dependencies are constructions’
Session B	
4.30-5.10	Maria Flouraki ‘Aspectual shifts constrained’
5.10-5.50	Edward Wilford (Cambridge) ‘A unified analysis of Breton <i>ober</i> ’
Session C	
4.30-5.10	SJ Hannahs (Newcastle) ‘Welsh vowel mutation and underlying distinctions’
5.10-5.50	Katsumasa Shimizu (Nagoya Gakuin University) ‘Representation of laryngeal features of obstruents’

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9.00 Wine reception in the foyer of the Percy Building, hosted by the School of English Literature, Language and Linguistics, University of Newcastle upon Tyne

Day 4 – Saturday 2nd September

Session A	Special Session linked to Linguistics Association Lecture
9.00-9.40	Andrew Spencer (Essex) ‘Does Hungarian have a case system?’
9.40-10.20	Gabriela Caballero (Berkeley) ‘Multiple exponence of derivational morphology in Rarámuri (Tarahumara)’
10.20-11.00	Nigel Vincent & Kersti Börjars (Manchester) ‘Paradigms, periphrases and change’
Session B	
9.00-9.40	Umberto Ansaldi (Amsterdam) ‘Social and structural principles of high contact environments. An integrated framework’
9.40-10.20	Sebastian Rasinger (Anglia Ruskin University) “And all the time Bengali speaking”: evaluating the emergence of Benglish’
10.20-11.00	Jeanette Sakel (Manchester) ‘Constraints on borrowing: Romance influence on Mosáten and Pirahã’
Session C	
9.00-9.40	Yadgar Karimi (Allameh Tabatabaii University, Teheran) ‘Kurdish Ezafe construction: Implications for DP structure’
9.40-10.20	Anna Asbury (Utrecht) ‘Towards a typology of morphological Case: Syntactic structure of partitive/genitive’
10.20-11.00	Seiki Ayano (Mie) ‘A subclass of adjectives in Japanese and the multi-level nominalization’

11.00-11.30 Coffee

11.30-1.00	The Linguistics Association Lecture 2006: Sharon Inkelas (UC Berkeley) ‘The flip side of blocking: multiple exponence in agglutinating languages’
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1.00-2.00 Lunch

Session A	Special Session linked to Linguistics Association Lecture (continued)
2.00-2.40	Oliver Bonami & Gilles Boyé (Université Paris7 & UMR7110 & UMR5610 & Université Nancy 2) ‘What is realized by realization morphology?’
2.40-3.20	Andrew Spencer & Catherine Taylor (Essex) ‘Maximising stems’
3.20-4.00	Alan Scott (Manchester) ‘The role played by polysemous derived nouns in the lexicon’
Session B	
2.00-2.40	Cathryn Donohue (University of Nevada) ‘Towards a typology of causee case marking’
2.40-3.20	Jacqueline Laws (Reading) ‘Split intransitivity in Mandarin’
3.20-4.00	Pritty Patel (UCL) ‘Split Agreement and Ergativity in Kutchi’

4.00 Close
