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Linguistics

October 20-21, 2014 @ Deichmann Building (18) Sarah Tadmor Hall

Monday, October 20

- 10:00 - 10:30 Registration and Coffee
10:30 - 10:50 Welcoming remarks
- 10:50 - 11:50 **Invited Speaker: Ora Matushansky**
CNRS/Université Paris-8 and UiL
OTS/Utrecht University
Against PredP
- 11:50 - 12:10 Coffee Break
- 12:10 - 12:50 **Claudia Maienborn & Johanna Herdtfelder**
Universität Tübingen
*Causal modification of adjectival
predicates: Combinatorics and
interpretation*
- 12:50 - 13:30 **Yoad Winter**, Utrecht University
The intersectivity of distal PP modifiers
- 13:30 - 14:40 Lunch
- 14:40 - 15:20 **Lior Laks**, Bar Ilan University
*The cost of change: Plural formation of
loan words in Arabic*
- 15:20 - 16:00 **Jean Lowenstamm**
Université Paris-Diderot
*German umlaut, compositionality, and
non-compositionality*
- 16:00 - 16:20 Coffee Break
- 16:20 - 17:00 **Lavi Wolf**
The Hebrew University of Jerusalem
It's probably certain
- 17:00 - 17:40 **Edit Doron & Aynat Rubinstein**
The Hebrew University of Jerusalem
Varieties of alternative unconditionals

18:30 DINNER

Tuesday, October 21

- 10:30 - 11:30 **Invited Speaker: Rajesh Bhatt**
UMass Amherst
*Polar questions and disjunction:
clues from Hindi-Urdu 'kyaa'*
- 11:30 - 11:50 Coffee Break
- 11:50 - 12:30 **Elitzur Bar-Asher Siegal & Nora Boneh**
The Hebrew University of Jerusalem
Non-core datives in Modern Hebrew
- 12:30 - 13:10 **Aya Meltzer-Asscher, Jennifer Mack, Elena Barbieri & Cynthia K. Thompson**
Tel Aviv University and Northwestern University
How the brain processes argument structure: Evidence from fMRI
- 13:10 - 13:30 **Business Meeting**
- 13:30 - 14:40 Lunch
- 14:40 - 14:50 Celebrating 30 years of IATL
- 14:50 - 15:30 **Björn Köhnlén**, Leiden University
Distinctive tone is not always lexical tone: A foot-based analysis of the tone accent contrast in Stockholm Swedish
- 15:30 - 16:10 **Noam Faust**
The Hebrew University of Jerusalem
The effect of a null pronoun on morpho-phonology: Donyms in Modern Hebrew
- 16:10 - 16:30 Coffee Break
- 16:30 - 17:10 **Svetlana Dachkovsky**
University of Haifa
Grammaticalization of facial intonation: The case of squint in ISL relative clauses
- 17:10 - 17:50 **Olga Kagan & Lavi Wolf**
Ben-Gurion University of the Negev and The Hebrew University of Jerusalem
Gradability versus modality: Almost in English and Russian



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