

## Program Sinn und Bedeutung 26 – University of Cologne, 8-10 September 2021

8. September	Zoom Host Wednesday Room 1: Ingmar Brillmayer	Zoom Host Wednesday Room 2: Max Bonke	Zoom Host Wednesday Room 3: Cornelia Ebert
10:45-11:00	– WELCOME –		
	<b>Wednesday – Room 1 – Morning Session</b> <i>Chair: Kristina Liefke</i>	<b>Wednesday – Room 2 – Morning Session</b> <i>Chair: Heiko Seeliger</i>	<b>Wednesday – Room 3 – Morning Session</b> <i>Chair: Sophie Repp</i>
11:00-11:45	<i>Eszter Ronai and Ming Xiang</i> <i>The University of Chicago</i> Explaining scalar diversity with predictability of alternatives	<i>Torgrim Solstad and Oliver Bott</i> <i>Bielefeld University</i> Cataphoric presuppositions	<i>Manfred Sailer</i> <i>Goethe-University Frankfurt (a.M.)</i> Use-conditional licensing of strong NPIs
11:45-12:30	<i>Chao Sun and Richard Breheny</i> <i>Leibniz-Centre General Linguistics (ZAS), University College London</i> What the inference task can tell us about the comprehension of scalars and numbers: An investigation of probe question and response bias	<i>Felix Frühauf</i> <i>Universität Konstanz</i> German rationale clauses under attitude verbs	<i>Juliane Schwab and Mingya Liu</i> <i>Osnabrück University, Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin</i> Attenuating NPIs in indicative vs. counterfactual conditionals
<b>Lunch break</b>			
	<b>Wednesday – Room 1 – Afternoon Session</b> <i>Chair: Ingmar Brillmayer</i>	<b>Wednesday – Room 2 – Afternoon Session</b> <i>Chair: Sarah Zobel</i>	<b>Wednesday – Room 3 – Afternoon Session</b> <i>Chair: Viola Schmitt</i>
13:45-14:30	<i>Adina Camelia Bleotu, Anton Benz and Nicole Gotzner</i> <i>University of Bucharest, Leibniz-Centre General Linguistics (ZAS),</i> Romanian 5-year-olds derive global but not local implicatures with quantifiers embedded under epistemic adverbs: Evidence from a shadow-playing paradigm.	<i>Alexander Wimmer and Robin Hörnig</i> <i>Universität Tübingen</i> Present counterfactuals and the indicative-subjunctive divide	<i>Giuseppe Magistro</i> <i>Ghent University</i> The rise and fall of illocutionary negation: the semantic reanalysis of Venetan 'miga'
14:30-15:15	<i>Nicole Gotzner and Anton Benz</i> <i>Universität Potsdam, Leibniz-Centre General Linguistics (ZAS)</i> Implicatures in (non-) monotonic environments	<i>Alexandros Kalomirois and Florian Schwarz</i> <i>University of Pennsylvania</i> Presupposition projection from 'or' vs 'and' - an experimental comparison	<i>Maïke Züfle and Roni Katzir</i> <i>Heidelberg University, Tel Aviv University</i> An evolutionary model-based approach to the missing o-corner
15:30-16:30	INVITED TALK: <b>Michael Franke (Osnabrück University): What's a good question?</b>		
<b>Coffee break</b>			
	<b>Wednesday – Room 1 – Evening Session</b> <i>Chair: Berit Gehrke</i>	<b>Wednesday – Room 2 – Evening Session</b> <i>Chair: Mingya Liu</i>	<b>Wednesday – Room 3 – Evening Session</b> <i>Chair: Florian Schwarz</i>
17:00-17:45	<del><i>CANCELLED</i></del> <i>Ryan Walter Smith</i> <i>University of Texas at El Paso</i> A unified semantics for associative plurals and plural pronoun constructions	<i>Dongsik Lim, Semoon Hoe and Yugeong Park</i> <i>Hongik University, Pusan National University, Seoul National University</i> Two different types of inference in evidentials: efficacy vs. doxastic worlds	<i>Marianne Huijismans and Daniel Reisinger</i> <i>University of British Columbia</i> Gesture vs. salience: Two types of demonstratives in $\gamma\alpha\gamma\alpha\mu\theta\epsilon\mu$
17:45-18.30	<i>Robert Henderson, Jeremy Pasquereau and John Powell</i> <i>University of Arizona, UK Surrey Morphology Group, University of Arizona</i> Dependent pluractionality in Piipaash (Yuman)	<i>Yurika Aonuki</i> <i>University of British Columbia</i> An account of morphological tenselessness in Gitksan inspired by SOT in English	<i>Michela Ippolito, Francesca Foppolo and Francesca Panzeri</i> <i>University of Toronto, Università degli Studi Milano – Bicocca</i> Is the 'mano a tulipano' gesture compatible with canonical questions? An empirical study of a speech act-marking gesture

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– Poster Room –

- [1] *Anne Mucha (Leibniz-Institut für Deutsche Sprache, Mannheim) and Jutta Hartmann (Bielefeld University)*  
(Non)Attitude verbs and control shift: Evidence from German
- [2] *Berit Gehrke (HU Berlin) and Marcin Wągiel (Masaryk University Brno):*  
Non-conservative readings with percentage quantifiers in Slavic and German
- [3] *Jianan Liu, Xiaoli Dong and Bert Le Bruyn (UiL-OTS):*  
Mandarin bare indefinites
- [4] *Mathieu Paillé (McGill University)*  
Non-Boolean conjunction with atomic and plural subjects
- [5] *Mora Maldonado (University of Edinburgh), Noga Zaslavsky (Massachusetts Institute of Technology) and Jennifer Culbertson (University of Edinburgh)*  
Efficient coding explains cross-linguistic patterns in Person systems
- [6] *Kazuko Yatsushiro, Tue Trinh, Marzena Żygis, Stephanie Solt, Anton Benz and Manfred Krifka (Leibniz-Centre General Linguistics (ZAS))*  
Assertability differences between epistemic adverbs and adjectives
- [7] *Kurt Erbach (University of Bonn) and Leda Berio (Heinrich Heine University Düsseldorf)*  
Countability shifts in the normative dimension
- [8] *Michela Ippolito, Angelika Kiss and Will Williams (University of Toronto)*  
The discourse function of adversative conjunction
- [9] *M. Ryan Bochnak (University of British Columbia)*  
Two types of futures in Washo
- [10] *Jun Chen (University of Stuttgart) and Sean Papay (University of Stuttgart)*  
Sentence-final particle *de* in Mandarin as an informativity maximizer

9. September	Zoom Host Thursday Room 1: Clare Patterson	Zoom Host Thursday Room 2: Ede Zimmermann	Zoom Host Thursday Room 3: Jakob Egetenmeyer
10:15-10:45	<b>Businessmeeting</b>		
	<b>Thursday – Room 1 – Morning Session</b> <i>Chair: Nina Haslinger</i>	<b>Thursday – Room 2 – Morning Session</b> <i>Chair: Thomas Weskott</i>	<b>Thursday – Room 3 – Morning Session</b> <i>Chair: tba</i>
11:00-11:45	Adam Przepiórkowski University of Warsaw / Polish Academy of Sciences / University of Oxford Polyadic cover quantification in heterofunctional coordination	Xixian Liao Pompeu Fabra University Coherence-driven predictability and referential form: evidence from English corpus data	<del>CANCELLED Shun-Ichiro</del> <del>Kobe University</del> Resolving teleological QUDs with/without discourse particles and vocatives
11:45-12:30	İsa Kerem Bayırlı TOBB University of Economics and Technology The left-CONS2 Constraint	Asya Achimova, Christian Stegemann-Philipps, Susanne Winkler and Martin V. Butz University of Tübingen Referring to agents in an artificial world: the role of predictability	Alex Warstadt and Omar Agha New York University Testing gradient measures of relevance in discourse
<b>Lunch break</b>			
	<b>Thursday – Room 1– Afternoon Session</b> <i>Chair: Todd Snider</i>	<b>Thursday – Room 2– Afternoon Session</b> <i>Chair: Ljudmila Geist</i>	<b>Thursday – Room 3– Afternoon Session</b> <i>Chair: Malte Zimmermann</i>
13:45-14:30	Lydia Newkirk Rutgers University Limited variable-force modals and the interaction of scal{ar,eless} implicatures	Masashi Harada McGill University On the plural projection analysis of plurals/cumulativity	Daniel Goodhue University of Maryland Rising declaratives and the pragmatics of illocutionary force
14:30-15:15	Richard Booth Columbia University Necessity modals, disjunctions, and collectivity	Aron Hirsch and Bernhard Schwarz Leibniz-Centre General Linguistics (ZAS), McGill University Cumulative readings in focus contexts	Cory Bill and Todor Koev Leibniz-Centre General Linguistics (ZAS), University of Konstanz Really: Ambiguity and question bias
15:30-16:30	INVITED TALK <b>M. Teresa Espinal (Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona): Negation in language and mind</b>		
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17:00-17:45	Adam Gobeski and Marcin Morzycki Unaffiliated (United States), University of British Columbia Odds, probabilities, scores, and the interpretation of measure phrases	Moshe E. Bar-Lev Hebrew University of Jerusalem Why the distributive/collective ambiguity is (sometimes) a myth	Lalitha Balachandran University of California, Santa Cruz Reciprocal questions and the pragmatics of argument reversing VPE
17:45-18.30	Peter Sutton, Hana Filip, Todd Snider and Mia Windhearn UPF Barcelona, Heinrich Heine University Düsseldorf Metaphorical measure expressions	Mojmír Dočekal, Nina Haslinger, Eva Rosina, Magdalena Roszkowski, Viola Schmitt, Marcin Wagił, Valerie Wurm and Iveta Šafratová Masaryk University, University of Göttingen, University of Vienna, Central European University, Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, Masaryk University, Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, Masaryk University Brno Cumulative readings of distributive conjunctions: Evidence from Czech and German	Richard Stockwell Christ Church, University of Oxford Contradiction and ellipsis licensing with voice mismatch and symmetry
18:45-19.45	INVITED TALK <b>Floris Roelofsen (University of Amsterdam): Text to Sign Translation</b>		
<b>EVE(NT)</b>			

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11:00-11:45	<i>Isabelle Charnavel</i> <i>Harvard University</i> The last take on intensional superlatives	<i>Friederike Moltmann</i> <i>Université Paris</i> Empathetic attitude reports	<i>Ciyang Qing and Floris Roelofsen</i> <i>University of Amsterdam</i> Quantifier scope in questions
11:45-12:30	<i>Mojmír Dočekal and Hana Krajičková</i> <i>Masaryk University Brno</i> Comparative and superlative differentials: experimental evidence from Czech	<i>Julia Lukasek, Maria Ermakova and Juliane Nau</i> <i>Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, Zentrum für digitale Lexikographie der deutschen Sprache</i> German zum-PPs as adjective intensifiers	<i>Moritz Igel and Konstantin Sachs</i> <i>University of Tübingen</i> Star operators episode 2: Return of the double star
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13:45-14:30	<i>Gerhard Schaden</i> <i>Université de Lille</i> An Interactivist Approach to Slurs	<i>William Johnston</i> <i>McGill University</i> Nonspecific promises: Restitutive 'again' and intensional transfer-of-posRoom verbs	<i>Joshua Martin</i> <i>Harvard University</i> A structural source for intersective ambiguity
14:30-15:15	<i>Sarah Zobel and Jakob Majdič</i> <i>University of Oslo, University of Vienna</i> Expressing difficult achievements in Bavarian: the interpretation of 'der'-verbs	<i>Mira Grubic</i> <i>Potsdam University</i> On "noch (ein)mal so"	<i>Stavroula Alexandropoulou and Nicole Gotzner</i> <i>University of Potsdam</i> Negation, polarity & scale structure: Different inferences of gradable adjectives
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15:45-16:30	<i>Dorit Abusch and Mats Rooth</i> <i>Cornell University</i> Intensional and temporal pictorial conflation	<i>Carina Bolaños Lewen and Carolyn Anderson</i> <i>Wesleyan University and Wellesley College</i> (Some) parentheses are focus-sensitive operators	<i>Ang Li</i> <i>Rutgers University</i> Comparing the center to the background in the internal reading
16:30-17:15	<i>Frank Sode</i> <i>Goethe University Frankfurt (a.M.)</i> Two notions of 'de se' in desire reports	<i>Ruyue Agnes Bi</i> <i>Massachusetts Institute of Technology</i> Deriving evaluativity in even-comparatives via presupposition accommodation	<i>Luis Miguel, Toquero Pérez</i> <i>University of Southern California</i> A seeming violation to the Monotonicity Constraint: Evidence from Spanish verbal comparatives
<b>[CANCELLED] INVITED TALK: <i>Claudia Maienborn (University of Tübingen): Unmasking bracketing paradoxes: A pragmatic approach</i></b>			
17:20-17:30	<b>– GOOD-BYE –</b>		