



SFB-Networking-Workshop Saarbrücken 15./16. 07.2021

Relation of Prominence, Surprisal and Information Structure

Thursday, 15.07.2021

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| 9.30 – 10.00 | Opening |
| 10.00 – 10.20 | Mark Ellison, SFB 1252/ C09 (Köln): A Bayesian Model Prominence in Reference Interpretation |
| 10.20 – 10.40 | Marjolein van Os, Vera Demberg, Jutta Kray, SFB 1102/ A4 (Saarbrücken): Recognition of minimal pairs in (un)predictive sentence contexts in noise |
| 10.40 – 11.00 | Tatjana Scheffler SFB 1287/ A03 (Potsdam, Bochum), Michael Richter (Universität Leipzig), Roeland van Hout (Radboud University): Tracing and classifying German intensifiers through information theory |
| 11.00 – 11.15 | Coffee Break |
| 11.15 – 12.30 | Discussion |
| 12.30 – 13.45 | Lunch Break |
| 13.45 – 14.05 | Robin Lemke, Lisa Schäfer, Heiner Drenhaus, Ingo Reich, SFB 1102/ B3 (Saarbrücken): Ellipsis: Above and beyond information structure |
| 14.05 – 14.25 | Clara Huttenlauch, Kathleen Schneider, Carola de Beer, Isabell Wartenburger, Sandra Hanne, SFB 1287/ B01 (Potsdam): Limits of variability in the prosodic realization of locally ambiguous OVS and SVO sentences |
| 14.25 – 14.45 | Heiko Seeliger, SFB 1252/ A06 (Köln): Speech act meets information structure: On the interaction of different requirements for prosodic prominence in exclamatives and polar questions. |
| 14.45 – 15.00 | Coffee Break |
| 15.00 – 16.30 | Discussion |

16.30 – 17.30 **Keynote1: Michael Wagner, McGill University**
Why predictability is not predictive without a linguistic theory

17.50 **Jürgen Trouvain: Virtual guided tour through the exhibition**
“Writing systems” curated by Jürgen Trouvain and students

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9.45 – 10.45 **Keynote2: Rory Turnbull, Newcastle University**
Prominence in Lexical Networks

10.45 – 11.05 Dorothea Pregla, Paula Lissón, Shravan Vasishth, Frank Burchert,
Nicole Stadie, SFB 1287/[B02](#) (Potsdam):
Sentence comprehension difficulty in language impaired and unimpaired
adults in German: Implications for surprisal and adaptation accounts

11.05 – 11.25 Barbara Höhle, Adamantios Gafos, SFB 1287/[C03](#) (Potsdam):
Reflections of entropy and surprisal in infants' looking times

11.25 – 11.45 Ivan Yuen, Omnia Ibrahim, Bistra Andreeva, Bernd Möbius,
SFB 1102/[C1](#) (Saarbrücken): Effects of Surprisal and Boundary Strength

11.45 – 12.00 **Coffee Break**

12.00 – 13.30 Discussion

13.30 **Group photo and closing**