



Arizona Linguistics Circle 11

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Friday, October 20 – Modern Languages 413

REGISTRATION, 12:30–1:30

Session 1 **Computational Linguistics & Psycholinguistics**

Chair: Andrew Zupon

- 1:30–2:00 Source-side pre-disambiguation and detection of multi-word expressions.
Catherine Walsh, *University of Arizona*
Mortada Haidar, *American University of Beirut*
Karl Aberer, *École Polytechnique Fédérale de Lausanne*
Martin Benjamin, *École Polytechnique Fédérale de Lausanne*
- 2:00–2:30 Hawks, eagles, and moles, oh my!: Decision priming in masked semantic categorization tasks.
Shannon Grippando, *University of Arizona*

BREAK, 2:30–2:45

- 2:45–3:15 The “radical” perspective: A pilot study of Chinese character decomposition by foreign language learners.
Alice Xia, *Carleton University*
- 3:15–3:45 L1-L2 similarity causes over-generalization in L2 word order learning: evidence from a miniature artificial language.
Jaycie Ryrholm Martin, *University of Arizona*
Bozena Pajak, *Duolingo*
Masha Fedzechkina, *University of Arizona*

BREAK, 3:45–4:00

Invited Speaker

- 4:00–5:30 Human information processing shapes language change.
Masha Fedzechkina, *University of Arizona*

Saturday, October 21 – Marshall Building 490

Session 2 **Phonetics**

Chair: Kristina Mihajlovic

- 9:00–9:30 Measures of labialized and plain velar stops in Hong Kong Cantonese.
 John Culnan, *University of Arizona*
 Suki Yiu, *University of Hong Kong*
- 9:30–10:00 Prosodic features of the Korean *com*.
 Cheonkam Jeong, *Hankuk University of Foreign Studies*
 Seongjin Park, *University of Arizona*
- 10:00–10:30 Effects of syllable structure on vowel duration in Spanish.
 Alexander Aldrich, *University of Arizona*

BREAK, 10:30–11:00

Invited Speaker

- 11:00–12:30 “The map is not the territory”: Maps, mapping, and GIS in perceptual
 dialectology.
 Jennifer Cramer, *University of Kentucky*

LUNCH, 12:30–1:30

Session 3 **Syntax**

Chair: Ryan Walter Smith

- 1:30–2:00 What can phrasal accent shift tell us about phases, transfer, and adjuncts?
 William Kruger, *Arizona State University*
- 2:00–2:30 “Herding cats”: A late insertion account of the syntactic mobility of phrasal
 idioms.
 Doug Merchant, *University of Georgia*
- 2:30–3:00 ULTRA: Universal Grammar as universal parser.
 David Medeiros, *University of Arizona*

BREAK, 3:00–3:15

Session 4 Morpho-Syntax and Pragmatics

Chair: Jianrong Yu

3:15–3:45 Austronesian voice morphology and the structure of causatives.
Yining Nie, *New York University*

3:45–4:15 Datives stuck in the middle.
Imanol Suarez-Palma, *University of Arizona*

BREAK, 4:15–4:30

4:30–5:00 Why-stripping in English and Korean: A corpus-based perspective.
Yaejee Kim, *Kyung Hee University*
Jongbok Kim, *Kyung Hee University*

5:00–5:30 The narrator's present: A cross-disciplinary analysis of the historical present in medieval narratives.
Laurie Price, *University of New Mexico*

Conference Party



Please join us for our conference party!

WHERE: Bear Track U, [943 E University Blvd #101](#)

WHEN: 7:00 PM Saturday, October 21

HOW: It's a short walk from the Marshall Building



Sunday, October 22 – Marshall Building 490

Session 5 Phonology

Chair: Maya Klein

- 9:30–10:00 Coda levelling and contrast preservation in Minangkabau.
Daniel Brodtkin, *Carleton College*
- 10:00–10:30 Spanish stems are quantity sensitive: A Stratal OT approach to Spanish stress.
Katerina Tetzloff, *University of Massachusetts Amherst*

BREAK, 10:30–11:00

Invited Speaker

- 11:00–12:30 *ItaaHopilavayi pas himu*. Our language, the Hopi language is of great importance: What is encoded in the language that we must reclaim, revitalize, and sustain?
Sheilah Nicholas, *University of Arizona*

LUNCH, 12:30–1:30

Session 6 Language Revitalization

Chair: Jaycie Ryrholm Martin

- 1:30–2:00 Lexical Expansion Strategies in maqlaqsyals (Klamath-Modoc).
Joseph Dupris; *Klamath Tribes, University of Arizona*
- 2:00–2:30 Linguistic vitality of Chedungun in teenagers from Alto Biobío community.
Elizabeth Quintrileo, *Universidad del Bío-Bío*
- 2:30–3:00 Why write when no one wants to read? New methods in the revitalization of Kwoma.
Renee Lambert-Bretiere, *University of Maryland, Baltimore County*

BREAK, 3:00–3:15

Session 7 Language Revitalization

Chair: Yiyun Zhao

3:15–3:45 Retomando Pataxó Hãhãhãe: reconstructing the grammar of an awakening language.

Jessica Nelson, *University of Arizona*

3:45–4:15 Function of Ikema final particle *~dara* in personal narratives.

Christianne Ono, *University of Hawaii at Manoa*

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