

MECORE closing workshop program

Wednesday, June 19th in K503

9:00 – 12:00

Welcome

Kajsa Djärv (Edinburgh)

Selectional restrictions of clause-taking emotive predicates across lexical categories

Tom Roberts (Utrecht), Kelsey Sasaki (Oxford)

Oh, what predicates embed exclaimatives!

Xinran Yan (Leipzig)

'Think' or 'Want': How hierarchical factors influence the interpretation

Emil Eva Rosina, Kristina Liefke (Bochum)

German *noch wissen*: uniform semantics, distinct effects

12:00 – 13:30

Lunch

13:30 – 17:45

Natasha Korotkova (Utrecht), Pranav Anand (UCSC)

Today I learned: English 'coming-to-know' predicates

Andrea Matticchio (UMass)

A strong semantics for *doubt*

Ciyang Qing (Edinburgh), Deniz Özyıldız (Konstanz), Floris Roelofsen (Amsterdam), Maribel Romero (Konstanz), Wataru Uegaki (Edinburgh)

When can non-veridical preferential attitude predicates take questions

George Walkden (Konstanz)

Embedding English interrogatives: *if* vs. *whether*

Tanya Bondarenko (Harvard)

Thinking Questions and Answers to Questions: a view from Georgian

Huilei Wang (UCLA)

The non-uniformity of *that*-CPs

Thursday, June 20th in M630

9:00 – 13:00

Deniz Özyıldız (Konstanz), Ciyang Qing (Edinburgh), Floris Roelofsen (Amsterdam), Maribel Romero (Konstanz), Wataru Uegaki (Edinburgh)

The MECORE database

Tomasz Klochowicz (Amsterdam)

Computational tools for the MECORE database

Raquel Montero, Leah Doroski, Maribel Romero (Konstanz)

Spanish Neg-raising: Mood effects on NPI licensing

Fiona Spencer, Maria Aloni (Amsterdam), Tom Roberts (Utrecht)

Wondering about Mood in Romance: the view from Italian inquisitive predicates

Luis Alonso-Ovalle (McGill), Paula

Menendez-Benito (Tübingen), Aynat Rubinstein (HUJI)

Mood and modal anchoring: divergence of RCs and *that*-clauses in Spanish

Paul Portner (Georgetown)

Two approaches to mood: Operator or agreement?

13:00 – 14:30

Lunch

14:30 – 15:30

Mora Maldonado (Nantes)

Constraints on modals and clausal embedding predicates: an experimental investigation

15:30 – 17:30

Lightning talks & poster session

19:00

Dinner

Friday, June 21st in G307

9:30 – 13:00

Jeanne Lecavelier, Malte Zimmermann (Potsdam)

Embedding questions in a language without *wh*-embedding

David Strohmaier (Cambridge), Simon Wimmer (Düsseldorf)

Contrafactuals, learnability, and production

Patrick Elliott (Düsseldorf), Filipe Hisao Kobayashi (UPenn)

Nominal Free Choice

Manfred Krifka (ZAS)

Slifting predicates in German take their prejacent as arguments

Ciyang Qing, Wataru Uegaki (Edinburgh)

Semantic triviality leads to ungrammaticality through iterated learning

List of accepted posters

André Meinunger (ZAS), Karolina Zuchewicz (Leipzig)

(Non-)Factive Factives and Clausal Embedding in German and Polish

Manfred Sailer (Frankfurt)

Negation-transparent matrix predicates: Licensing of embedded NPIs

Marie-Luise Popp (Leipzig)

The *hope/expect* polysemy under Neg-Raising

Giuliano Armenante (Potsdam)

Constraints on the temporal interpretation of complement clauses: The case of Asante Twi

Herald Di (Saarland)

Revisiting the selectional restrictions of preferential predicates

Valérie Jeffcott, Wenjiu Du (Leipzig)

To want or to demand: A polysemous clause-embedding verb in Zhuang

Barbara Stiebels (Leipzig)

The role of German preverbs in clausal selection