1st UCL GRADUATE CONFERENCE IN LINGUISTICS

UCL Linguistics Department
Thursday 7th – Friday 8th November 2013

Programme

7th November 2013	
09:00-09:45	**Registration** Room G03
09:45-10:00	**Greetings** Lecture Theatre 118
	Lecture Theatre 118 Chair: Diana Mazzarella
10:00-11:15	Invited Speaker **Deirdre Wilson (CSMN/UCL)** *Communication and Speaker's Meaning: What's the difference, and does it matter?*
11:15-11:40	**Coffee break** Room 116
	Lecture Theatre 118 Chair: Patrick Elliott
11:40-12:20	**Thierry Raeber (University of Neuchâtel)** *Defining the edges of irony: the case of ironical and rhetorical questions*
12:20–13:00	**Anna Drożdżowicz (IFIKK, UiO; CSMN, UiO)** *The why and how of speakers' intuitions about what is said*
13:00-14:30	**Lunch break**
	Lecture Theatre 118 Chair: Harris Constantinou
14:30-15:10	**Luca Sbordone (University of Cambridge)** *How imprecise is precise talk? The case of predicates of geometrical shape*
15:10-15:50	**Susanna Melkonian (Düsseldorf University)** *Are cultural concepts shaped by the making of objects?*
15:50-16:10	**Coffee break** Room 116
	Lecture Theatre 118 Chair: Maria Varkanitsa
16:10-16:50	**John Matthew Jones (UCL)** *Vocabulary, iconicity, and cultural evolution*
16:50-17:35	**Poster talks**
17:35-18:35	**POSTER SESSION** Teaching Lab B07

18:35-20:00	**Wine reception** Room G06

Poster Session

Luigi Andriani (University of Cambridge) *Semantic and Syntactic properties of the Prepositional Accusative in Barese*

Alexandra Brestovičová (University of Prešov) *Prototypical lexis in the Slovak motherese*

María Ángeles Cobelas Cartagena (Universidad de Santiago de Compostela) *Turn-allocation techniques and types of sequences in Spanish early age child-adults interactions*

Mauricio Figueroa (UCL) and Bronwen Evans (UCL) *Acoustical description of Chilean approximant consonants: Methodological problems and solutions*

Carmen Gallar (ILLA - CSIC) *Towards a unified account of adjunct island extraction: the case of sluicing.*

Christoph Hesse (LEL, PPLS, University of Edinburgh) *Linguistic and cognitive-conceptual approaches to metaphor: Evidence from bilinguals and monolinguals*

Ella Jeffries (University of York) *Pre-school children's use of accent features in familiar speaker recognition*

Anna Jespersen (University of Cambridge) *The Sociophonetic Function of High Rise Terminals in Aboriginal English*

Lynda Kennedy (University of Ulster) *Get-passives and Broca's aphasia: An Empirical Investigation*

Ane Odria (UPV/EHU) *Two ways of getting a dative in Basque dialects*
Daniel Peres (The University of San Paulo) *The perception of emotion by native and non-native speakers*

Nicolas Ruytenbeek (FNRS, Université Libre de Bruxelles, University of Cambridge) *Negated gradable adjectives: the role of positivity and morphology on the strength of the inference towards the antonym.*

Nesrin Sheredi (University of Essex) *Stress-Epenthesis Interaction in Libyan Arabic*

Alicia Urquidi (Otto-Friedrich-Universität Bamberg) *Conventionality and Innovation in Spanish Metaphors: A case study in journalistic discourse on Economics.*

8th November 2013	
	Lecture Theatre G10 Chair: Maria Varkanitsa
09:20-10:00	**Marcin Fortuna (Ludwig Maximilian University of Munich)** *Melody matters: arguments against anti-melodism in Strict CV*
10:00-10:40	**Ji Yea Kim (Seoul National University)** *On the role of vowel duration as a perceptual cue to consonant voicing*
10:40-11:20	**Catherine Smith (University of York)** *Phonological 'wildness' in early language development: exploring the role of onomatopoeia*
11:20-11:40	**Coffee break** Room G06
	Lecture Theatre G10 Chair: Nick Neasom
11:40-12:20	**Anne Beshears (Jawaharlal Nehru University/ Queen Mary, University of London) and Alison Biggs (University of Cambridge)** *The syntax of the speaker in the 'went and' construction*
12:20-13:00	**Andrew Murphy (Humboldt University Berlin)** *Escaping ellipsis: a focus movement account of sluicing in Mandarin Chinese*
13:00-14:00	**Lunch break**
	Lecture Theatre G10 Chair: Diana Mazzarella
14:00-14:40	**Tatiana Philippova (Ben-Gurion University)** *On the diversity of the category P*
14:40-15:20	**Javier Fernandez (CLT/UAB)** *Romance CLRD is above IP (despite Q-binding)*
15:20-16:00	**András Bárány (University of Cambridge)** *Differential object marking in Hungarian and variation in DOM*
16:00-16:30	**Coffee break** Room G06
	Lecture Theatre G10 Chair: Harris Constantinou
16:30-17:45	Invited speaker **David Adger (Queen Mary, University of London)** *Root-based structure-building; category-based structure-labelling*
17:45-18:00	**Closure**