

Keynotes

- Peter Backhaus
(WASEDA University, Tokyo):
*Communication in institutional
eldercare: A Japanese perspective*
- Harald Baayen
(Universität Tübingen / University
of Alberta, Edmonton), Susanne
Gahl (University of California,
Berkeley): *Twenty-eight years of
vowels: An investigation of
changes in vowel formants and
vowel duration in the Up corpus*
- Heidi Hamilton
(Georgetown University):
*Language, dementia and meaning-
making in art galleries and homes:
Objects of joint attention as
resources for transforming
knowledge, building topics and
lifting spirits*
- Yoshiko Matsumoto
(Stanford University): *Being
ordinary: A powerful narrative
strategy when feeling vulnerable*
- Heather Harris Wright
(East Carolina University):
*Discourse Changes with Age:
Considering microlinguistic and
macrolinguistic processes*

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Corpora for Language and Aging Research *Encounters in Language and Aging Research*

Topics

- ❖ Pragmatic spaces
- ❖ Longitudinal studies
- ❖ Multilingualism in later life

Round tables

- ❖ Healthcare (experts from
research and practitioners)
- ❖ Methods in language and aging
research

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Monday, March 6

13:00 Welcome addresses Prof. Dr. Peter Alt, President of Freie Universität Berlin Prof. Dr. Nina Knoll, FocusArea DynAge, Freie Universität Berlin Prof. Dr. Clemens Tesch-Römer, Deutsches Zentrum für Altersfragen CLARe founders: Catherine T. Bolly, Annette Gerstenberg		
14:00 Plenary: Hamilton, Heidi (Georgetown University): <i>Language, dementia and meaning-making in art galleries and homes: Objects of joint attention as resources for transforming knowledge, building topics and lifting spirits</i>	Chair: Lindholm	
15:00 Ratté, Sylvie (École de technologie supérieure, Montréal): <i>Cécilia Project: An international multidisciplinary collaboration on the study of language in later life</i>		
15:30 <i>Coffee break</i>		
16:00 Schröder, Johannes (University of Heidelberg): <i>ILSE Corpus: Results from the longitudinal study</i>	Chair: Gahl	
16:30 Moeller, Katrin (University of Halle); Schmidt, Thomas (Institut für deutsche Sprache, Mannheim): <i>The Bonn Longitudinal Study on Ageing (BOLSA) as an interdisciplinary research resource</i>		
17:00 Poster Presentations PhD projects Duboisdindien, Guillaume (University of Paris X, MODYCO) Frankenberg, Claudia (University of Heidelberg) Hekkel, Valerie (FU Berlin) Kairet, Julie (FU Berlin) Lepeut, Alysson (F.R.S.-FNRS & University of Namur) Pot, Anna (University of Groningen) Corpus projects Davis, Boyd (University of North Carolina); Maclagan, Margaret (University of Canterbury, NZ): <i>The Carolina Conversation Collection</i> Bolly, Catherine T.; Gabarró-López, Silvia; Meurant, Laurence (University of Namur): <i>Signing and gesturing in later life. How to adapt bodily talk in context?</i> Gerstenberg, Annette (FU Berlin): <i>LangAge Corpus</i>	Chair: Bolly/Gerstenberg	
18:00 Apéritif & Poster Session		

Tuesday, March 7

09:00 Plenary: Gahl, Susanne (UCBerkeley); Baayen, Harald (University of Tübingen): <i>Twenty-eight years of vowels: An investigation of changes in vowel formants and vowel duration in the Up corpus</i>		Chair: P. Petré
10:00 Buchstaller, Isabelle; Krause, Anne; Auer, Anja; Otte, Stefanie (University of Leipzig): <i>The effect of the socio-economic trajectory on longitudinal life-span change</i>		
10:30 <i>Coffee break</i>		
11:00 Petré, Peter; Anthonissen, Lynn; Strik, Oscar; Manjavacas, Enrique; Budts, Sara (University of Antwerp): <i>Grammatical change in adults: Cognitive and social mechanisms</i>	Chair: Buchstaller	
11:30 Bowie, David (University of Anchorage, Alaska): <i>The role of the individual in the development of the Western Vowel System in Utah</i>		
12:00 Bolly, Catherine (University of Cologne): <i>Multimodal stance in later life</i>		
12:30 <i>Lunch</i>		
13:30 Plenary: Matsumoto, Yoshiko (Stanford University): <i>Being ordinary: A powerful narrative strategy when feeling vulnerable</i>	Chair: Hamilton	
14:30 Svennevig, Jan (University of Oslo): <i>Collaborative word searches in conversations involving bilingual speakers with dementia</i>		
15:00 Van de Mierop, Dorien; Verhelst, Avril (KU Leuven): <i>Multilingualism in Flemish nursing homes: 'Overaccommodation' versus 'epistemic brokering' in interpreters' translations of caregivers' questions</i>		
15:30 <i>Coffee break</i>		
16:00 Plenary: Backhaus, Peter (WASEDA University, Tokyo): <i>No time to care? Interactional hurriedness in Japanese eldercare</i>	Chair: Lindholm	
17:00 Round Table I with Camilla Lindholm: <i>Healthcare: Experts from research & practitioners</i> Input: Sachweh, Svenja (TalkCare, Bochum): <i>As good as it (probably) gets – how living in a dementia housing project engenders animation and interactivity</i> Discussants: Backhaus, Peter (WASEDA-University, Tokyo); Kom-Zen, Berlin; Svennevig, Jan (University of Oslo)		
20:00 Conference dinner		

Wednesday, March 8

09:30 Parisot, Anne-Marie; Rinfret, Julie (University of Québec, Montréal): <i>Intergenerational variation in the use of space in Langue des Signes Québécoise (LSQ): The case of verb agreement marking</i>		Chair: Céline Deloze
10:00 Blondel, Marion; Boutet Dominique; El Ayari, Sarra; Vincent, Coralie (CNRS): <i>LSF interactions in older signers: Which insights from motion capture?</i>		
10:30 <i>Coffee break</i>		
11:00 Gayraud, Frédérique (University of Lyon 2/CNRS); Melissa Barkat-Defradas (ISE-M CNRS UMR5554/University of Montpellier): <i>Problems with assessing cognitive abilities in bilingual patients with Alzheimer's disease</i>	Chair: Marion Blondel	
11:30 De Looze, Céline (University of Dublin): <i>Speech markers as an objective evaluation of cognitive impairment and related psychosocial outcomes in populations with Mild-Cognitive Impairment and mild-to-moderate Alzheimer's disease</i>		
12:00 <i>Lunch</i>		
13:00 Plenary: Wright, Heather (East Carolina University): <i>Discourse changes with age: Considering microlinguistic and macrolinguistic processes</i>	Chair: Yoshiko Matsumoto	
14:00 Kiełkiewicz-Janowiak, Agnieszka (University of Poznan): <i>Narratives about life across generations: Communicating generational intelligence</i>		
14:30 Schuurman, Ineke (KU Leuven): <i>You're never too old for E-inclusion, are you?</i>		
15:00 <i>Coffee break</i>		
15:30 Hanulikova, Adriana (University of Freiburg): <i>Self-paced reading and processing of gender stereotypes in dementia</i>	Chair: Sylvie Ratté	
16:00 Fyndanis, Valantis; Ribu, Ingeborg (University of Oslo): <i>Tools and methods to investigate language and cognitive abilities in healthy and pathological aging</i>		
16:30 Round Table II with Sylvie Ratté: <i>Methods in language and aging research</i> Discussants: Bowie, David (University of Anchorage, Alaska), Hanulikova, Adriana (University of Freiburg), Parisot, Anne-Marie (University of Québec, Montréal)		
17:15 Concluding remarks		

