

Nonmanuals at the Gesture Sign Interface (NaGSI)

Date: October 9-10, 2015
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Program

Friday, 9th October

- 09:00-09:45 Registration
- 09:45-10:00 Welcome and opening
- 10:00-11:00 Invited talk: *Compositionality and The Grammar of the Body*
 Wendy Sandler (Haifa)
- 11:00-11:30 Coffee break
- 11:30-12:15 *Wearing your heart on your face: Nonmanual affective constructions in American Sign Language*
 Christina Healy (Washington, D.C.)
- 12:15-13:00 *Pragmatic gestures at the gesture-sign interface: Nonmanuals and palm-up gestures among older Belgian French speakers and French Belgian Sign Language signers*
 Catherine T. Bolly (Louvain), Laurence Meurant (Namur) & Silvia Gabarró-López (Namur)
- 13:00-14:30 Lunch break
- 14:30-15:15 *Nonmanual actions at the interface between gesture and sign: The meaning of facial expressions for hearing and deaf*
 Nina-Kristin Pendzich (Göttingen) & Annika Herrmann (Göttingen)
- 15:15-16:00 *Hand-mouth integration in comprehension: The role of mouthings in British Sign Language (BSL)*
 Pamela Perniss (Brighton), David Vinson (London) & Gabriella Vigliocco (London)
- 16:00-17:00 Poster session and coffee break
- *The nonmanuals of aspectual sandwich constructions: gesture or sign?*
 Vibeke Bø (Oslo and Akershus)
 - *Grammaticalization of facial intonation: The case of squint in ISL relative clauses*
 Svetlana Dachkovsky (Haifa)
 - *Between non-manual gesture and grammar: Is headshake a negation marker in Polish Sign Language (PJM) and Australian Sign Language (Auslan)?*
 Joanna Filipczak (Warsaw), Trevor Johnston (Sydney), Anna Kuder (Warsaw), Piotr Mostowski (Warsaw) & Paweł Rutkowski (Warsaw)
 - *Mouth gestures as ideophones in American Sign Language*
 Randall Hogue (Kent, Ohio)
 - *FinSL head movements at the interface between gesture and language*
 Anna Puupponen (Jyväskylä)
 - *Mouth gestures in Serbian Sign Language*
 Dragana Raicevic (Belgrade) & Mieke Van Herreweghe (Ghent)
 - *Nonmanual downtoning in German co-speech gesture and in German Sign Language*
 Steven Schoonjans (Leuven)

- 17:00-17:45 *When old claims meet new data: A corpus study of WH-nonmanuals in ASL*
Ronnie Wilbur (West Lafayette)
- 17:45-18:45 Invited talk: *When facial expression is easy and hard: L1 vs. L2 learning effects on affective and linguistic facial expression*
Rachel I. Mayberry (San Diego)

20:00 Conference dinner

Saturday, 10th October

- 10:00-11:00 Invited talk: *The prosodic characteristics of imperatives in ASL*
Diane Brentari (Chicago)
- 11:00-11:30 Coffee break
- 11:30-12:15 *Nonmanuals in context of constructed action: A comparison of child and adult narratives signing*
Bengt Förster (Berlin)
- 12:15-13:00 *The interface between polarity and modality expressed non-manually in Austrian Sign Language (ÖGS)*
Andrea Lackner (Klagenfurt)
- 13:00-14:30 Lunch break
- 14:30-15:15 *Nonmanuals in sign languages as models of linguistic evolution*
Donovan Grose (Hong Kong)
- 15:15-16:00 *Concatenation and layering across modalities*
Daniel Hole (Stuttgart) & Fabian Bross (Stuttgart)
- 16:00-16:30 Coffee break
- 16:30-17:15 *The contribution of nonmanuals to resolving local ambiguity in online processing of Austrian Sign Language (ÖGS)*
Julia Krebs (Salzburg), Ronnie Wilbur (West Lafayette) & Dietmar Roehm (Salzburg)
- 17:15-18:00 *Nonmanuals in TID comparatives: Grammatical or gestural?*
Hüner Kaşıkara (Istanbul) & A. Sumru Özsoy (Istanbul)
- 18:00-18:30 Coffee break
- 18:30-19:30 Invited talk: *Nonmanuals of relative clause constructions in Turkish Sign Language and their functions in discourse*
Okan Kubus (Hamburg)
- 19:30-19:45 Closing

Alternate paper for presentation:

FinSL head movements at the interface between gesture and language, Anna Puupponen (Jyväskylä)