2024 IUSS Linguistics Seminars

Neurolinguistics and Experimental Pragmatics (NEP) Lab
PhD in Theoretical and Experimental Linguistics (TEL)

First round of talks

Robyn Carston (University College London, UK)
Words and the language-communication relation
February 19, 2024, 11.00 am – 12.30 pm CET (Palazzo del Broletto, Sala del Camino)

Rósa S. Gísladóttir (University of Iceland, Iceland)
Genetics of language and pragmatics: why and how?
March 4, 2024, 11.00 am – 12.30 pm CET (Palazzo del Broletto, Sala del Camino)

Luigi Gianmaria Remore (IRCCS Ca'Granda Ospedale Maggiore Policlinico & University of Milan La Statale, Italy)
Deep Brain Stimulation: Brain Surgery to Restore Brain Functions
March 11, 2024, 14.30 – 16.00 pm CET (Palazzo del Broletto, Library)

Johan J. Bolhuis (Utrecht University, The Netherlands)
The Biology of Language
March 25, 2024, 14.30 – 16.00 pm CET (Zoom meeting only)

Maria Teresa Espinal (Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona, Spain)
On syntactic vs. semantic expletives. Why do natural languages have expletive negation?
April 22, 2024, 14.30 – 16.00 pm CEST (Zoom meeting only)

Adam Ledgeway (University of Cambridge, UK)
Parameters of Microvariation in the Clausal Domain: A Pan-Romance View
April 29, 2024, 14.30 – 16.00 pm CEST (Zoom meeting only)

Einat Shetreet (Tel Aviv University, Israel)
Language in social context
May 6, 2024, 11.30 am – 13.00 pm CEST (Palazzo del Broletto, Room 1.15)

Nicola Grandi (University of Bologna, Italy)
The written Italian of University students: sociolinguistic framework and structural features
May 20, 2024, 11.30 am – 13.00 pm CEST (Palazzo del Broletto, Room 1.17)

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SECOND ROUND OF TALKS

Vicky Lai (University of Arizona, USA)
The role of metaphor in learning science concepts
May 27, 2024, 11.00 am – 12.30 pm CEST (Palazzo del Broletto, Sala del Camino)

Karen De Clercq (Université Paris Cité, France)
The fine-grained structure of negation: a view from NEG-TAM allomorphy
May 27, 2024, 14.30 – 16.00 pm CEST (Zoom meeting only)

Steven Bethard (University of Arizona, USA)
Adapting machine learning models for clinical language processing
May 28, 2024, 11.00 am – 12.30 pm CEST (Palazzo del Broletto, Room 1.17)

Anna M. Borghi (Sapienza University of Rome, Italy)
Abstract concepts, vagueness and social interactions
June 14, 2024, 9.30 – 11.00 am CEST (Palazzo del Broletto, Sala del Camino)

Jan Casalicchio (University of Siena, Italy)
The structure of causative and perception constructions in Italian: new data from passivization
June 17, 2024, 14.30 – 16.00 pm CEST (Zoom meeting only)

Giorgio Graffi (University of Verona, Italy)
Linguistica e storia della linguistica, ideal history vs. actual history
July 1, 2024, 14.30 – 16.00 pm CEST (Zoom meeting only)

Marco Mancini (Sapienza University of Rome, Italy)
TBD
July 15, 2024, 14.30 – 16.00 pm CEST (Zoom meeting only)