11th Annual Cornell Undergraduate Linguistics Colloquium (CULC11)

All events will be held in Morrill Hall 106 unless otherwise noted.

Friday, April 28, 2017

7:00pm-8:00pm

Ice Cream Social (This is an optional event for those arriving on Friday night.)

Saturday, April 29, 2017

9:00am -9:30am Registration and Breakfast

9:30am - 10:00am
"Development of Past Tense Marking in Child African American English"
Alicia LeClair, UMass Amherst

10:00am-10:30am

"Ergativity, Agreement, and the Sumerian Verbal Complex"
Patrick Niedzielski, Cornell University

10:30am-11am
"Viability of the *eti Particle Theory to explain Absolute/Conjunct Distinction in Old Irish"
Niels Kuehlert, Cornell University

11:00am-11:30am Break

11:30am-12:00pm

"L'Union Fait la Force: Vowel Harmony in Laurentian French"
Isabelle Ladouceur-Séguin, University of Ottowa

12:00pm-12:30pm
"Wh-Continuation: A Neglected Puzzle"
Lydia Werthen, University of California, Santa Cruz

12:30pm-1:00pm Lunch

1:00pm-1:45pm Poster Session 1

2:00pm-2:45pm Poster Session 2

3:00pm-4:00pm Keynote Prof. Laurel MacKenzie, New York University

> 6:00pm Dinner in Collegetown

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Sunday, April 30, 2017

9:00am-9:30am Registration and Breakfast

9:30am-10:00am

"Children's Acquisition of Resultative Adjectives"

Connor De Haan, and Marley Beaver and Mae Bower and Ally Brown, Eastern Michigan University

10:00am-10:30am

"Comparing like with like: subjectivity and low speaker commitment in the development of discourse marker LIKE"

Zoe Firth, University of Oxford

10:30am-11:00am

"Kakari Musubi and Feature Checking in Old Japanese and Okinawan"

Melody Li, Cornell University

11:00am-11:30pm Break

11:30pm-12:00pm

"Diachronic perspectives on word order variation: Views on the Old English OV to VO shift from The Anglo Saxon Chronicle"

Calahan Janik-Jones, University of Toronto

12:00pm-12:30pm

"Concurrence in full: Towards a socially aware model of phonetic convergence in Supreme Court Justices"

Christian Brickhouse, Cornell University

12:30pm-1:00pm

"Loanwords in Haudenosaunee: Linguistic and Historical Context"

Matthew Linden, Cornell University

1:00pm-1:30pm Lunch

1:30pm-2:30pm

Keynote: "Nasal sonority and syllable phonotactics: The dual nasal hypothesis" Prof. Draga Zec, Cornell University

> 2:30pm-3:00pm Concluding Remarks

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Poster Presenters

Session 1

"Prosody, Poetry and Processing: ERP Evidence for Rhythmic Structure in Silent Reading"
Michelle Oraa Ali and Ahren B. Fitzroy and Mara Breen, Mount Holyoke College

"Be As Double Agent"

Jason Bach, CUNY Brooklyn College

"The Lithuanian Balance: National Language Retention and Foreign Language Education in a Global Context"

Breanna Elaine Bailey, University of Colorado, Boulder

"The Pragmatics of <u>Insomma</u>: How an Italian discourse particle signals 'get to the point'"

Greg Feliu, Hampshire College

"Socio-Linguistic Patterns within Emory University Symphony Orchestra"

Isabel Bess Goddard, Emory

Session 2

"Assessing affective personality factors in the second-language acquisition of Russian lexical items"

Patrick Goodridge, UPenn

"L'identité et la Francophilie au Maroc: Examining the interplay of language perception and identity construction in the Moroccan student"

Martin Horst, University of Washington, Seattle

"Three Fires Verbal Morphology: Implications for Potawatomi Language Planning"

Corinne E. Kasper, Dartmouth

"Word order in Ktunaxa matrix and embedded clauses" Trevor K. McAllister-Day, University of Washington, Seattle

"Levels of Processing and Retention of Words in EFL Situations"
Gülnigar Nurhikim, Emory

"The Formation of Relative Clauses in Rutooro" Simone Wemple, University at Albany