

WEDNESDAY, 4TH May 2016

08:15	Registration opens		
09:15-09:30	Conference opening		Chair
Quotatives¹			
09:30-10:30	Shana Poplack	Plenary 1	T.B.C.
10:30-11:00	Hélène Blondeau	Nouveau regard sur les formes d'introduction de discours direct dans le français parlé à Montréal	
11:00-11:30	COFFEE		
Regional & Geographical Variation I: Canadian English			
11:30-12:00	Sali Tagliamonte & Bridget Jankowski	<i>Up north here</i> : Discourse-pragmatic deixis in Northern Ontario	T.B.C.
12:00-12:30	Derek Denis, Martina Wilschko & Alexandra D'Arcy	Deconstructed multifunctionality: Confirmational variation in Canadian English through time	
12:30-13:00	Sali Tagliamonte & Bridget Jankowski	<i>Oh yeah okay</i> : Discourse markers on the outer rim	
13:00-14:00	LUNCH rm 436 Salon Monet, Hamelin Hall (formerly Arts Hall)		
Discourse markers on the right periphery			
14:00-14:30	Claire Childs	Interviewer effects on negative tag realisations in North-East England	
14:30-15:00	Yuko Higashiizumi	On the regular developmental path of discourse-pragmatic markers in Japanese: The case of <i>ageku</i> "finally"	
Semantic and social variation			
15:00-15:30	Kate Beeching	Semantic equivalence and metacommenting, <i>if you like</i>	
15:30-16:00	COFFEE		
16:00-16:30	Andrea Beltrama	Totally between semantic and social variation	T.B.C.
16:30-17:30	Gaétane Dostie	Plenary 2	

¹ **PLEASE NOTE:** ON WEDNESDAY, 4TH MAY, REGISTRATION (08:15-09:15) AND THE FIRST MORNING SESSION OF THE CONFERENCE (09:15-13:00) WILL TAKE PLACE IN ALEX TREBEK ALUMNI HALL, 157 SÉRAPHIN-MARION PRIVATE. AFTER LUNCH ON 4.5.16, WE SHALL GO TO DESMARAIS 12102, 55 LAURIER. THIS WILL BE THE LOCATION FOR THE REST OF THE CONFERENCE.

THURSDAY, 5TH MAY 2016

Methodological & analytical issues			Chair
09:00-10:00	Suzanne Evans Wagner	Plenary 3	T.B.C.
Discourse-Pragmatic Variation & Change in London English, U.K.			
10:00-10:30	Heike Pichler	The multiple variables of <i>innit</i> : Achieving full accountability in discourse-pragmatic variation and change research	
10:30-11:00	Liesbeth Degand	TextLink Presentation	
11:00-11:30	COFFEE		
Language Contact			
11:30-12:00	Ana Carvalho & Joseph kern	A discourse-pragmatic feature in contact: Portuguese-Spanish bilinguals' use of tag questions	T.B.C.
12:00-12:30	Kazuko Matsumoto & David Britain	<i>Dream goal. If I have the brain ollei, I want to be a lawyer.</i> Nativisation of a newly emerging postcolonial English variety in Palau	
12:30-13:00	Joseph Kern & Claire Julia Lozano	On the borrowing of discourse markers: Evidence from Arizona Spanish	
13:00-14:00	LUNCH rm 436 Salon Monet, Hamelin Hall (formerly Arts Hall)		
Discourse-Pragmatic Variation & Change in Romance languages 1			
14:00-14:30	Liesbeth Degand & Anne Catherine Simon	Variation of discourse markers across a multi-genre corpus of spoken French: Annotating function and meaning	T.B.C.
14:30-15:00	Giulio Scivoletto	Sicilian pragmatic marker <i>arà</i> : variation and social meaning	
15:00-15:30	Juliette Delahaie & Immaculada Solis Garcia	Stratégies d'accord en français et en espagnol. Étude quantitative et systémique des marqueurs discursifs <i>oui/voilà/d'accord</i> et <i>si/vale /claro</i>	
15:30-16:00	COFFEE		
Regional & Geographical Variation II: Irish English			
16:00-16:30	Carolina Amador-Moreno & Kevin McCafferty	" <i>Sure they won't forget you there no more than at home</i> ": exploring the history of SURE as a pragmatic marker in Irish English	T.B.C.
16:30-17:00	Chloe Diskin	Quantifying variation in the functions of discourse-pragmatic markers among native and non-native speakers in Dublin, Ireland	
17:00-17:30	Daniela Kolbe-Hanna	Multifunctional <i>I think</i> in SPICE Ireland and VOICE Canada	
17:30-18:00	BUSINESS MEETING Followed by conference dinner 19:00-LATE, Sidedoor, 18 York St, Ottawa.		

FRIDAY, 6TH MAY 2016

			Chair
09:00-10:00	Laurel Brinton	Plenary 4	T.B.C.
10:00-10:30	Gisle Andersen	Discourse topic markers in Norwegian: A corpus-based study of pragmatic variation	
10:30-11:00	Gerard van Herk, Bethany Thompson & Karen Fitzgerald	"Um, I need to show you the real me": Discourse markers in drag performance	
11:00-11:30	COFFEE		
Hesitation Phenomena			
11:30-12:00	Gunnel Tottie	<i>Uh, um</i> and pauses as "evidence of speech-productive labor"	T.B.C.
12:00-12:30	Darcey Browning	Hesitation via hashtag placement: Patterns of delay discourse markers in survivor stories	
12:30-13:00	Irina Zaykovskaya & Zachary Miller	When lecturers hesitate: Does the hesitation function of "lecturer's OK" exist?	
13:00-14:00	LUNCH rm 436 Salon Monet, Hamelin Hall (formerly Arts Hall)		
Discourse-Pragmatic Variation & Change in Romance languages 2			
14:00-14:30	Giulio Scivoletto on behalf of Chiara Ghezzi	Variation and change between <i>grazie</i> and <i>gran mercé</i> : Politeness markers and pragmatic borrowing in the history of Italian	T.B.C.
14:30-15:00	Peter Furko	Stance taking across languages, regional varieties and registers: a contrastive study of English ' <i>I think</i> ' and Hungarian ' <i>asszem</i> '	
15:00-15:30	COFFEE		
Epistemic Markers			
15:30-16:00	Asela Reig	Epistemic markers <i>igual</i> and <i>igual y</i> in Mexican Spanish: A case of pragmatic variation	
16:00-16:30	Marie Reetz	L'idéologie de métal- Un marqueur graphico-discursif dans le discours de guerre au Japon 1931-1945	
16:30	CONFERENCE CLOSE		