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INTRODUCTION

Welcome to the 72nd GLOW Newsletter and Conference Handbook, and to the 37th GLOW Conference, taking place in Brussels from the 2nd to the 5th of April, 2013.

Hereinbelow you'll find gathered together for you in a hopefully handy package all the necessary information for your Brussels experience, from the practical section starting on page 5, through details of the rigorous selection procedure on page 9, to the programs for the Colloquium (April 2-4) and workshops (April 5) on page 13. Along the way you'll also find a summary of the topics and schedule for this year's inaugural GLOW Spring School, *Theories in Dialogue*, which takes place after the conference in the week of April 7-11.

With a record-bothering 220 submissions for the Colloquium this year, competition for speaking slots was higher than ever, and so it promises to be a particularly high-quality meeting. But don't take my word for it; check out the 55 abstracts that follow (starting on p.18) to see what's in store...

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CHANGES TO THE BOARD

The current composition of the GLOW Board is given in the table below.

Congress President	Dany Jaspers	2013-2014
Chairperson	Sjef Barbiers	2013-2015
Secretary	Jeroen van Craenenbroeck	2013-2015
Treasurer	Maaike Schoorlemmer	2013-2015
Newsletter Editor	Marc Richards	2012-2014
Journal Editor	Harry van der Hulst	
Website Manager	Alexis Dimitriadis	2013-2015
Member A	Roberta D'Alessandro	2012-2014
Member B	Mojmír Dočekal	2013-2015
Member C	Sarah Zobel	2013-2015
Member D	Maria-Rosa Lloret	2012-2014
Advisory member 1	Henk van Riemsdijk	
Advisory member 2	Martin Everaert	
Co-opted member	Tobias Scheer	2013-2015
(Phonology)		
Co-opted member	Pritty Patel	2013-2015
(GLOW Asia)		

Every year, several positions come up for renewal. Nominations are normally sent directly to the Chair, who accepts until January 1st. The GLOW Board wishes to remind GLOW members to be thinking about who they would like to represent them on the board in the future, and to nominate those people in good time.

For the coming year, the Board has made or received the following nominations:

- Isabelle Roy (Congress President)
- Marc Richards (re-election for Newsletter Editor)
- Roberta D'Alessandro (re-election for Member A)
- Clàudia Pons Moll (Member D)

Welcome to GLOW 37, Brussels!

The 37th GLOW Colloquium is taking place in Brussels, Belgium, from 2-5 April 2014, hosted by <u>CRISSP</u>, a research center of KU Leuven HUBrussel. In addition to the Colloquium on 2-4 April, there will be two thematic workshops taking place on Saturday 5th April, followed by the inaugural GLOW Spring School (GSS1) from Monday 7th to Friday 11th April.

PRACTICAL INFORMATION

CONFERENCE SITE

GLOW 37 will take place in the heart of Brussels, at KU Leuven Campus Brussel (HUBrussel).

Address:

Stormstraat 2 1000 Brussels Belgium

Room numbers:

Main Colloquium: room 2215 (second floor) Phonology Workshop: room 3112 (third floor) Semantics Workshop: room 3212 (third floor)

Check out http://www.glow37.org/practical-information/venue to view the conference venue on a map.

The easiest way to get to the conference and workshop rooms is through the main entrance. This is the glass door entrance that you can see in the centre of the picture below (with a green frame).



TRAVEL INFORMATION

By plane

There is a frequent train service between the airport and the Central Station. The train station is located under the airport building and can be reached from within. A taxi ride from the airport to the city centre will set you back around €50.

<u>Be aware!</u> The airport called 'Brussels South' is located in Charleroi, which is about 50km from Brussels. There is a bus shuttle service between the airport and the Brussel Zuid railway station, which runs every thirty minutes. More details can be found at: http://www.charleroi-airport.com/en/passengers/acces-and-parking/brussels-city-shuttle/index.html

By train

Get off at Brussel Centraal/Bruxelles Central (Central station). Leave the building either through the main exit (on a street called Putterie) or through the main entrance (on the corner of Keizerinlaan/Boulevard de l'Impératrice and Putterie). Go down the Keizerinlaan/Boulevard de l'Impératrice, thereby leaving the Gothic spire of the city hall behind you on your left. Once you have reached the Cathedral of Saint-Michael on your right and the name of the street has changed to Berlaimontlaan/Boulevard Berlaimont, turn immediately to the left. This is Stormstraat/Rue d'Assaut. Make sure you enter the building by the main entrance (depicted above), which is Stormstraat 2.

By metro

Take line 1 or 4 and get off at Central Station (Centraal Station/Gare Centrale). The metro station De Brouckère is also within walking distance.

By bus

Lines 29, 38, 63, 66 and 71 all stop in front of KU Leuven Campus Brussel.

Public transportation in Brussels

For metro, trams, buses, and trains in the Brussels region, you can use a JUMP ticket with 1, 5, or 10 journeys. You can buy this ticket in every metro station or at ticket vending machines at bus and tram stops. You have to validate it every time you board a metro, tram, bus, or train. The ticket is valid for one hour. Certain tickets can also be purchased on buses or trams, but these are dissuasively expensive.

Taxi problems? Call +32 (0)800/14795

This number is only for customers in trouble. You can call the above number free of charge if you forget something in a taxi, if you are dissatisfied with the service, if you think you have been cheated, or if you want some information. You cannot book a taxi with this number!

REGISTRATION

The online registration page for GLOW37 (Colloquium, Workshops, and Spring School) is:

http://www.kuleuven.be/congresregistration/congres/omr/reg_form.php?uid_congresem28738133424

REGISTRATION FEES

GLOW Colloquium and Workshops

- The reduced advance registration fee for the GLOW Colloquium and workshops is €100. Advance registration for the workshops only is €40.
- Advance registration closes on March 25th 2014, at 12pm (MET). After this
 date, registration is possible on-site at the full price of €150. Registration for
 single days is possible on-site only, at €40 per day.
- The reception on Wednesday April 2nd 2014 is free for preregistered participants. Please indicate on the online registration page whether you will attend.
- The conference dinner will take place on Thursday April 3rd, 2014. The price is €50. If you want to take part, please indicate this on the online registration form.

GLOW Spring School

- The registration fee for the Spring School is €200.
- Please indicate which classes you will attend.

Everybody attending GLOW 37 (including presenters) must be a paid-up member of GLOW. Information on how to join is available on the GLOW homepage.

SPEAKER REIMBURSEMENT

Speakers accepted for a talk at the Main Colloquium will be partially reimbursed for travel and accommodation expenses, to the following amounts:

Europe, faculty: € 200 Europe, student: € 350 Overseas, faculty: € 350 Overseas, student: € 550

Papers with more than one speaker are reimbursed only once, and based on the highest-ranked author in our reimbursement categories.

ACCOMMODATION

Brussels offers a wide choice of hotels, but since demand is generally high, prices tend to be high as well. To secure a good rate, it is advisable to book a hotel well in advance of your stay.

We recommend the following hotels, all of which are within walking distance of the conference venue:

- NH Grand Place Arenberg, Stormstraat 15, 1000 Brussels (50m from conference venue)
- NH Atlanta, Adolphe Maxlaan 7, 1000 Brussels (600m from conference venue)
- NH Brussels City Centre, Charleroisesteenweg 17, 1060 Brussels (2.2 km from conference venue)
- Hotel Bloom!
- Sandton Brussels Centre
- Hotel Villa Royale
- Scandic Hotel Grand Place
- Radisson Blu Royal Hotel Brussels
- The Dominican
- Youth Hostel "Jacques Brel"

For details, check the map at http://www.glow37.org/practical-information/accommodation, where you can also find a selection of other hotels and youth hostels within walking distance of the conference venue.

CONFERENCE DINNER

The conference dinner will take place at 7.30 pm on Thursday April 3rd at *Restaurant La Manufacture*, Onze-Lieve-Vrouw van Vaakstraat / Rue Notre Dame du Sommeil, 12-20, 1000 Brussels (www.manufacture.be).

Price: 50 euros, payable when you register online for the conference.

CONTACT INFORMATION

For further information, please consult the GLOW37 Brussels website (http://www.glow37.org/), or contact the local organizers at:

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LIVE STREAMING

All talks at the GLOW Main Colloquium will be live-streamed. More details will be made available in due course on the GLOW website (http://www.glow37.org).

SELECTION PROCEDURE

A total of 220 abstracts were submitted for the Main Colloquium (and an additional 29 for the Semantics Workshop and 19 for the Phonology Workshop). From these, 20 were selected for oral presentation, with three alternates. The acceptance rate for oral presentations and alternates is thus 10.45%. In addition, 15 abstracts were accepted as posters, which led to an overall acceptance rate of 17.3%.

Each of the 220 abstracts was sent to five external reviewers. The average score (weighted by reviewer's confidence) of this reviewing round (on a scale from 1 [reject] to 5 [definite accept]) was 2.934. The median score was 3. The selection committee (consisting of three GLOW Board members and three local organizers) then read and scored (a) the 50 abstracts that scored best according to the ranking made by the external reviewers (i.e. the abstracts that scored 3.59 or higher), (b) the twelve abstracts with the highest standard deviation (i.e. for which there was substantial inter-reviewer disagreement), and (c) one abstract for which the organizers received only four reviews and for which it was mathematically possible (based on the missing fifth review) that it would have made it into one of the previous two categories. These 63 abstracts were discussed one by one. On the basis of the reviewers' comments (both the confidential remarks and the actual reviews) and the assessments and reviews by the six committee members, 20 abstracts were identified for presentation at the Colloquium, three alternates were selected, and 15 abstracts were selected for poster presentations.

STATISTICS BY COUNTRY

Country	Authors	Submitted	Accepted	Acceptance rate
Australia	5	2	0	0
Austria	3	2.5	0	0
Belgium	8	8	3	0.38
Brazil	1	1	0	0
Canada	11	8.5	2.5	0.29
China	2	2	0	0
Czech Republic	2	0.67	0	0
France	8	7.5	1	0.13
Germany	32	25.25	3.75	0.15
Greece	1	0.5	0	0
Hong Kong	1	0.5	0.5	1
Hungary	3	2	0	0
Iceland	1	1	0	0
India	9	6.5	0	0
Israel	12	10	0.5	0.05
Italy	10	6.33	0	0
Japan	14	9.5	1.5	0.16
Korea, Republic of	4	4	0	0
Netherlands	14	12.33	1.33	0.11
Norway	8	7	1.5	0.21
Poland	1	1	0	0
Portugal	3	2.5	1	0.4
Romania	1	1	0	0
Russian Federation	2	2	0	0
Serbia	1	1	0	0
Slovenia	1	0.5	0	0
Spain	12	9.83	1.5	0.15
Sweden	1	1	1	1
Switzerland	2	1.33	0	0
Taiwan	4	3.5	1	0.29
United Kingdom	30	18.33	1.83	0.1
United States	75	60.92	16.08	0.26
Total	282	220	38	

The First GLOW Spring School (GSS1)

April 7-11, 2014

THEORIES IN DIALOGUE

The inaugural GLOW Spring School (GSS1) will take place from Monday April 7 to Friday April 11, 2014.

The general theme of GSS1 is "Theories in Dialogue". The main idea is to approach the same topic from two different theoretical angles, thus creating a dialogue between the two theories. These dialogues will be organized in the form of two consecutive classes — taught by different teachers — each day during an entire week.

TOPICS AND TEACHERS

- Modelling learnability (computational linguistics)
 Antal Van den Bosch (Radboud University Nijmegen)
 Charles Yang (University of Pennsylvania)
- Islands (syntax)
 Norvin Richards (MIT)
 Philip Hofmeister (Essex University)
- <u>Pronouns</u> (morphosyntax and semantics)
 Martina Wiltschko (University of British Columbia)
 Philippe Schlenker (École Normale Supérieure Paris & NYU)
- Spell-out (morphosyntax)
 Hagit Borer (Queen Mary, University of London)
 Pavel Caha (University of Tromsø)

GRANTS AND REIMBURSEMENTS

The following students will be reimbursed both for registration costs and for accommodation costs: Aleksandra Janić (University of Kragujevac); Anton Poludnev (Masaryk University); Hana Strachoňová (Masaryk University); Marta Ruda (Jagiellonian University).

The following students will be reimbursed for accommodation costs: Ava Creemers (University of Amsterdam); Constantin Freitag (Humboldt-Universität); Iris Edda Nowenstein (University of Iceland); Milica Denic (Ecole Normale Superieure); Paula Fenger (University of Amsterdam).

SCHEDULE

	Parallel Session 1	Parallel Session 2
	Spell-Out	Islands
08:30-10:30	Pavel Caha (University of Tromsø)	Norvin Richards (MIT)
10:30-10:45	Coffee Break	
10:45-12:45	Hagit Borer (Queen Mary, London)	Philip Hofmeister (University of Essex)
12:45-13:45	Lunch Break	
	Pronouns	Modelling learnability
13:45-15:45	Philippe Schlenker (ENS Paris & NYU)	Charles Yang (University of Pennsylvania)
15:45-16:00	Coffee Break	
16:00-18:00	Martina Wiltschko (University of British Colombia)	Antal Van den Bosch (Radboud University Nijmegen)

For course abstracts, please visit http://www.glow37.org/spring-school/.



Main Colloquium





Brussels - Wednesday, April 2nd, 2014 Room 2215

9.00-9.15	
	Welcome
9.15-10.15	Elena Guerzoni and Yael Sharvit (University of Southern California, UCLA) NPIs in Questions, Disjunction and Ellipsis
10.15-11.15	Aida Talic (University of Connecticut) Upward P-cliticization, accent shift, and extraction out of PP
11.15-11.30	Coffee Break
11.30-12.15	POSTER SESSION 1
	Tomoko Ishizuka and Hilda Koopman (Tama University, UCLA) On the importance of being silent or pronounced; English -able and Japanese -rare potentials compared
	Tue Trinh and Andreas Haida (University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, Humboldt-Universitaet zu Berlin) Building Alternatives
	Enrico Boone and Anikó Lipták (Leiden University) Extraction with deep anaphora: The role of VP external orphans
	Theodore Levin (MIT) Dependent Case and Object-Conditioned Differential Subject Marking
	Richard Compton (McGill University) An argument for genuine object phi-agreement in Inuit: Evidence from mood variance
	Niina Ning Zhang (National Chung Cheng University) Degree Words: Modifiers or Functional Head Elements?
	Ethan Poole (University of Massachusetts Amherst) A configurational account of Finnish case
	Dennis Ott (Humboldt University of Berlin) (alternate) Ellipsis in Appositives and the Syntax of Parenthesis
	Halldór Sigurðsson (Lund University) (alternate) Gender & PRO
12.15-13.45	Lunch
13.45-14.45	Željko Bošković (University of Connecticut) From the Complex NP Constraint to Everything
14.45-15.45	Hans van de Koot, Renita Silva, Claudia Felser and Mikako Sato (UCL, UCL, University of Potsdam, UCL) Dutch A-Scrambling Is Not Movement: Evidence from Antecedent Priming
15.45-16.00	Coffee Break
16.00-17.00	Coppe van Urk (MIT) On the relation of C and T, A'-movement, and "marked nominative" in Dinka
17.00-18.00	Isabelle Charnavel and Victoria Mateu (Harvard, UCLA) Antilogophoricity in Clitic Clusters
18.00-18.15	Coffee Break
18.15-19.15	Haoze Li and Jess Law (The Chinese University of Hong Kong, Rutgers University) Focus intervention effects and the quantificational domain of focus operators



Main Colloquium





Brussels - Thursday, April 3rd, 2014 Room 2215

	ROOM 2213
9.15-10.15	Tue Trinh (University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee) On the Evidence Condition of Yes/No Questions in English
10.15-11.15	Martina Wiltschko and Elizabeth Ritter (UBC, Ben Gurion University) Animating the Narrow Syntax
11.15-11.30	Coffee Break
11.30-12.15	POSTER SESSION 2
	Víctor Acedo-Matellán (Universidade do Minho) A syntax for atransitivity
	Ekaterina Chernova (Universitat de Girona) What moves where in echo wh-questions?
	Raphael Girard (University of British Columbia) Voicing contrasts in Shona: towards an account of consonant mutations
	Laura Grestenberger (Harvard University) Localizing Voice in bivalent voice systems: passive and middle in Sanskrit and Greek
	Anne Breitbarth (Ghent University) Exceptive negation in historical Low German
	Yimei Xiang (Harvard University) Focus structure and NPI-licensing
	Patricia Schneider-Zioga (California State University, Fullerton) Linking, predication & symmetry in Kinande
	Sandhya Sundaresan and Thomas McFadden (University of Leipzig, University of Tromsø) In support of an articulated event-layer
12.15-13.45	Lunch
13.45-14.45	Arantzazu Elordieta and Bill Haddican (University of the Basque Country, Queens College- CUNY) Truncation feeds intervention: Two clause type effects in Basque
14.45-15.45	Eric Lander (GIST)
14.40 10.40	Intraparadigmatic cyclic and roll-up derivations in the Old Norse reinforced demonstrative
15.45-16.00	Coffee Break
16.00-17.00	Maria Polinsky, Gregory Scontras and Zuzanna Fuchs (Harvard University) The Differential Representation of Number and Gender in Spanish
17.00-18.00	Bill Haddican, Anders Holmberg and Nanna Haug Hilton (Queens College-CUNY, Newcastle University, University of Groningen) Stay in shape!
18.00-19.00	GLOW Business Meeting
19.30-	Conference Dinner, La Manufacture



Main Colloquium





Brussels - Friday, April 4th, 2014 Room 2215

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9.15-10.15	Yangsook Park (UMass Amherst) Indexicals and the long-distance reflexive caki in Korean
10.15-11.15	Yohei Oseki (NYU) Bare Adjunction as "Two-Peaked" Structure
11.15-11.30	Coffee Break
11.30-12.30	Ewan Dunbar (Laboratoire de Sciences Cognitives et Psycholinguistique ENS / EHESS / CNRS) Cyclic opacity facilitates phonological interpretation
12.30-14.00	Lunch
14.00-15.00	Thomas McFadden (University of Tromsø) Why nominative is special: stem-allomorphy and case structures
15.00-16.00	Doreen Georgi (Leipzig University) Opaque reflexes of cyclic movement: Ordering final vs. intermediate steps
16.00-16.15	Coffee Break
16.15-17.15	Jutta Hartmann and Caroline Heycock (Tübingen University, Edinburgh University) Agreement in Copula Clauses: Evidence for a dual mechanism of Agreement
17.15-18.15	Karen Lahousse (KU Leuven) Low sentence structure in French
Alternate 1	
Alternate	Hiroki Narita (Waseda University/Waseda Institute for Advanced Study) *{t, t}
Alternate 2	Dennis Ott (Humboldt University of Berlin) Ellipsis in Appositives and the Syntax of Parenthesis
Alternate 3	Halldor Sigurdsson (Lund University) Gender & PRO



Semantics Workshop: Possession

Brussels - Saturday, April 5th, 2014 Room 3212









9.00-10.00	Invited Speaker: Kilu von Prince (ZAS)	tba
10.00-10.20	Coffee Break	
10.20-10.55	Marcel den Dikken (CUNY Graduate Center)	On the morphosyntax of (in)alienably possessed noun phrases
10.55-11.30	Balkiz Ozturk Basaran (Bogazici University) Eser Erguvanli Taylan (Bogazici University)	Possessive Constructions in Turkish: PPs in Disguise
11.30-11.45	Coffee Break	
11.45-12.20	Chiara Gianollo (Universät Köln)	Internal and External possession in the diachrony of Greek
12.20-12.55	Neil Myler (NYU) Einar Freyr Sigurðsson (University of Pennsylvania) Jim Wood (Yale University)	Predicative Possession Builds on Top of Attributive Possession: Evidence from Icelandic
12.55-13.55	Lunch	
13.55-14.30	Ellen Brandner (University of Konstanz)	On possessive (reflexive) pronouns, equatives, and the structural basis of Principle A
14.30-15.05	Bronwyn M. Bjorkman (University of Toronto) Elizabeth Cowper (University of Toronto)	Possession and necessity: from individuals to worlds
15.05-15.20	Coffee Break	
15.20-16:20	Invited Speaker: Chris Barker (New York University)	tba
1st Alternate:	Giorgos Spathas (University of Stuttgart)	Disentangling own: evidence from association with focus
2nd Alternate:	Neil Myler (NYU)	Predicative Possession Constructions Vary in the 1st-Merge Position of the Possessor: An Existence Proof from Cochabamba Quechua



Phonology Workshop:









Phonological Specification and Interface Interpretation Brussels - Saturday, April 5th, 2014

Brussels - Saturday, April 5th, 2014 Room 3112

9.00-10.00	Invited Speaker: Paula Fikkert (Radboud University Nijmegen)	From raw speech to a phonological system: how do children do this?
10.00-10.20	Coffee Break	
10.20-10.55	Hyunsoon Kim (Hongik University)	Acoustic correlates of articulation-based distinctive features in perception: Evidence from Korean
10.55-11.30	Geoff Schwartz (Adam Mickiewicz University)	All gradience is not created equal
11.30-11.45	Coffee Break	
11.45-12.20	Antonio Baroni (University of Padua)	About U and I
12.20-12.55	Daniel Currie Hall (Saint Mary's University)	Substance use in moderation: Contrast and content in phonological features
12.55-13.55	Lunch	
14.00-15.00	Invited Speaker: Bert Vaux (University of Cambridge)	The atoms of phonological representation: features vs. gestures
15.00-15.20	Coffee Break	
15.20-15.55	Pavel losad (University of Edinburgh)	The [ATR]/laryngeal connection and emergent features
15.55-16.30	Paul Boersma (University of Amsterdam)	How phonological elements can be both auditory-based and substance-free
16.30-16.50	Coffee Break	
16.50-17.50	Invited Speaker: John Harris (University College London)	Mapping segmental phonology to the speech signal: what's the acoustic energy baseline?
Alternate 1	Typhanie Prince (University of Nantes)	
		nd in Acquisition of French: Evidence for Element Theory
Alternate 2	Amsterdam)	Benders (Radboud University Nijmegen) and Paul Boersma (University of ogical feature categories? Investigating the perceptual basis of vowel height