

Corpus Approaches to Lexicogrammar



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The focus of LxGr is the interaction of lexis and grammar. The focus is influenced by Halliday's view of lexis and grammar as "complementary perspectives" (1991: 32), and his conception of the two as notional ends of a continuum (*lexicogrammar*), in that "if you interrogate the system grammatically you will get grammar-like answers and if you interrogate it lexically you get lexis-like answers" (1992: 64).

LxGr primarily welcomes papers reporting on corpus-based research on any aspect of the interaction of lexis and grammar, and is particularly interested in studies that interrogate the system lexicogrammatically to get lexicogrammatical answers. However, position papers discussing theoretical or methodological issues are also welcome, as long as they are relevant to both lexicogrammar and corpus linguistics.

For details, see the symposium website: <http://ehu.ac.uk/lxgr>

PROGRAMME

10:00 – 10:30 **REGISTRATION & COFFEE**

10:30 – 11:00

Jennifer HUGHES (Lancaster University)

Using the ERP technique to investigate the processing of corpus-derived collocations in native and non-native speakers of English

11:05 – 11:35

Peter MACHONIS (Florida International University)

A Corpus-based analysis of the works of Dickens and Melville: Are phrasal verbs typically American?

11:40 – 12:10

Piotr PEZIK (University of Łódź)

Lexis and grammar-driven approaches to phraseology extraction

12:15 – 12:45

Anthony GRANT (Edge Hill University)

Tenacious parallel protocorpora and resulting lexicogrammatical resources

13:00 – 14:00 **LUNCH**

14:05 – 14:35

Gordon TUCKER (Cardiff University)

Modelling corpus evidenced lexical phenomena in a systemic functional grammar: A response to Sinclair and Hoey

14:40 – 15:10

Ngum Meyuhnsi NJENDE (University of Leuven), **Kristin DAVIDSE** (University of Leuven) & **Lobke GHESQUIÈR** (University of Mons)

Specificational it- and there-clefts with quantified NPs as value

15:15 – 15:45

Oliver WICHER (University of Paderborn)

The Lexical Grammar of French past tenses: Corpus evidence and implications for pedagogical Construction Grammar

15:50 – 16:20

Nicholas GROOM (University of Birmingham)

Locating semantic sequences in theory and practice

16:25 – 16:55

Antonella LUPORINI (University of Bologna)

What the corpus can(not) tell us about metaphor: A corpus-assisted analysis of crisis-related lexical/grammatical metaphors in the 2008 financial press

17:00 – 17:30

Sophie-Hélène CIMON & **Christopher GLEDHILL** (Université Paris-Diderot)

Lexicogrammatical patterns as the building blocks of text: Identifying and interpreting LG patterns in two comparable corpora of financial press releases

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