

Corpus Approaches to Lexicogrammar



Symposium Archive

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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

9:45 – 10:15 **REGISTRATION & COFFEE/TEA**

10:15 – 10:50

Hala ALSHAHRANI, Claire BRIERLEY & James DICKINS

(University of Leeds)

The functional lexico-grammar of semantic prosody in the Quran

[\[Abstract\]](#) [\[Slides\]](#)

10:55 – 11:30

Lihong HUANG

(Georgetown University)

Lexicogrammar in Mandarin Chinese: The case of guo and le

[\[Abstract\]](#)

11:35 – 12:10

Roberta PITTALUGA

(Saint Petersburg State University)

Russian verbs of motion: Valency Grammar as an instrument to explain and teach the meaning of prefixes

[\[Abstract\]](#) [\[Slides\]](#)

12:15 – 12:50

Bogdan BABYCH

(University of Leeds)

Unsupervised discovery of Construction Grammar representations from unannotated corpus for under-resourced languages

[\[Abstract\]](#) [\[Slides\]](#)

12:50 – 13:50 **LUNCH**

13:50 – 14:25

Zeping HUANG

(Hong Kong Baptist University)

Lexical Bundles in Conversation across English varieties: A Core-Periphery approach

[\[Abstract\]](#) [\[Slides\]](#)

14:30 – 15:05

Patrick HANKS & Sara MOŽE

(University of Wolverhampton)

Verb patterns, noun collocations, and grammatical metaphors

[\[Abstract\]](#) [\[Slides\]](#)

15:05 – 15:30 **COFFEE/TEA**

15:30 – 16:05

Benet VINCENT

(Coventry University)

The expression of obligation in student academic writing

[\[Abstract\]](#) [\[Slides\]](#)

16:10 – 16:45

James STRATTON

(Purdue University)

A corpus-based analysis of the adjective intensifiers well and proper in British English using the BNC1994 and the spoken BNC2014

[\[Abstract\]](#) [\[Slides\]](#)

16:50 – 17:25

Jennifer HUGHES

(Lancaster University)

Neural evidence for a single lexicogrammatical processing system

[\[Abstract\]](#) [\[Slides\]](#)

17:25 – 18:00 **DISCUSSION**

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