

Preliminary Program Schedule

Sunday, July 25

- 8:45-9:00 Welcome
- 9:00-9:20 *Text Type Structure and Logical Document Structure*
Hagen Langer, Harald Lungen, Petra Saskia Bayerl
- 9:20-9:40 *Discourse Annotation and Semantic Annotation in the GNOME Corpus*
Massimo Poesio
- 9:40-10:00 *Discourse Annotation in the Monroe Corpus*
Joel Tetreault, Mary Swift, Preethum Prithviraj, Myroslava Dzikovska, James Allen
- 10:00-10:30 Coffee Break
- 10:30-10:50 *Sentential Structure and Discourse Parsing*
Livia Polanyi, Chris Culy, Martin van den Berg, Gian Lorenzo Thione, David Ahn
- 10:50-11:10 *Annotation and Data Mining of the Penn Discourse TreeBank*
Rashmi Prasad, Eleni Miltsakaki, Aravind Joshi, Bonnie Webber
- 11:10-11:30 *The Potsdam Commentary Corpus*
Manfred Stede
- 11:30-12:00 **Moderated Discussion:** Integrating multiple levels of annotation;
Producing annotation for re-use
- 12:00-13:30 Lunch
- 13:30-14:10 Short Descriptions of Demo Software
- 14:10-15:20 Demos of corpus annotation tools
LiveTree: An Integrated Workbench for Discourse Processing
Gian Lorenzo Thione, Martin van den Berg, Chris Culy, Livia Polanyi
Practical Multi-Level Stand-Off Annotation: The MMAX2 Approach
Christoph Müller, Michael Strube
WordFreak: A Tool for Annotating Discourse Connectives and their Argument Structure
Jeremy LaCivita, Thomas Morton, Nikhil Dinesh, Rashmi Prasad, Eleni Miltsakaki,
Aravind Joshi, Bonnie Webber
The ConAno Annotation and Query Tool
Manfred Stede
- 15:20-15:50 Coffee Break
- 15:50-16:20 *Using a Probabilistic Model of Discourse Relations to Investigate Word Order Variation*
Cassandra Creswell
- 16:20-16:40 *On the Use of Automatic Tools for Large-scale Semantic Analyses of Causal Connectives*
Liesbeth Degand, Wilbert Spooren, Yves Bestgen
- 16:40-17:00 *Discourse-level Annotation for Investigating Information Structure*
Ivana Kruijff-Korbayová, Geert-Jan M. Kruijff
- 17:00-17:20 *Exploiting Semantic Information for Manual Anaphoric Annotation in Cast3LB Corpus*
Borja Navarro, Rubén Izquierdo, Maximiliano Saiz-Noeda
- 17:20-18:00 **Moderated Discussion:** Automatable approximations to Gold Standard annotation;
Multi-lingual discourse annotation

Monday, July 26

- 9:00-9:20 *A Framework for Feature-based Description of Low level Discourse*
Laura Alonso Alemany, Ezequiel Andújar Hinojosa, Robert Sola Salvatierra
- 9:20-9:40 *COOPML: Towards Annotating Cooperative Discourse*
Farah Benamara, Véronique Moriceau, Patrick Saint-Dizier
- 9:40-10:00 *Korean Null Pronouns: Classification and Annotation*
Na-Rae Han
- 10:00-10:30 Coffee Break
- 10:30-10:50 *Temporal Discourse Models for Narrative Structure*
Inderjeet Mani, James Pustejovsky
- 10:50-11:10 *Animacy Encoding in English: Why and How*
Annie Zaenen, Jean Carletta, Gregory Garretson, Joan Bresnan,
Andrew Koontz-Garboden, Tatiana Nikitina, M. Catherine O'Connor,
Tom Wasow
- 11:10-11:45 **Moderated Discussion:** Subjectivity in manual discourse annotation;
Data sparsity problems in manual annotation
- 11:45-12:00 *Wrap-up*