Connecting discourse in speech and gesture

International workshop
Lund University Humanities lab
March 30-31, 2017, LUX

Speakers
Emanuela Campisi, University of Catania, Italy & Lund University, Sweden
Sandra Debreslioska, Lund University, Sweden
Elisabeth Engberg-Pedersen, University of Copenhagen, Denmark
Maria Graziano, Lund University, Sweden
Marianne Gullberg, Lund University, Sweden
Judith Holler, Donders Institute, Radboud University & Max Planck Institute for Psycholinguistics, The Netherlands
Adam Kendon, University College London, UK
Elena Levy, University of Connecticut, USA
Danielle Matthews, University of Sheffield, UK
Ted Sanders, University of Utrecht, The Netherlands

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MARCH 30, ROOM: LUX - B251

SESSION 1 Discourse cohesion and coherence
Chair: Maria Graziano
09:30 – 09:45 Welcome and introduction
09:45 – 10:30 Sandra Debreslioska & Marianne Gullberg, Lund University, Sweden
The interaction of gesture frequency and viewpoint with linguistic markers of information status
10:30 – 11:00 Coffee break
11:00 – 11:45 Ted Sanders, University of Utrecht, the Netherlands
The cognition of coherence relations and connectives: Converging evidence from language use, acquisition and discourse processing
11:45 – 12:30 Emanuela Campisi¹,² & Marianne Gullberg², ¹University of Catania, Italy; ²Lund University, Sweden
Cohesion is heard and seen: cross-linguistic differences in gestures referring to the same entities in sustained discourse
12:30 – 13:00 DISCUSSION
13:00 – 14:30 Lunch

SESSION 2 Interaction and pragmatics
Chair: Emanuela Campisi
14:30 – 15:15 Judith Holler, Donders Institute, Radboud University & Max Planck Institute for Psycholinguistics, Nijmegen, The Netherlands
The role of the body in rendering conversation a cohesive joint activity
15:15 – 15:45 Coffee break
15:45 – 16:30 Elisabeth Engberg-Pedersen, University of Copenhagen, Denmark
The Open Hand Supine as an expression of epistemic modality in Danish Sign Language
16:30 – 17:00 DISCUSSION
19:00 Dinner
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SESSION 3 Developmental perspectives
Chair: Marianne Gullberg

09:30 – 10:15 Danielle Matthews, University of Sheffield, UK
Learning about discourse: Some evidence from preschoolers’ language acquisition.

10:15 – 11:00 Elena Levy, University of Connecticut, USA
The multimodal development of discourse

11:00 – 11:30 Coffee break

11:30 – 12:15 Maria Graziano, Lund University, Sweden
Bimodal narratives: Developmental perspective on the use of gestures to mark narrative structure

12:00 – 12:30 DISCUSSION

12:30 – 12:45 CLOSING REMARKS

12:45 Lunch