

NegLaB II Workshop

December 1st and 2nd

Goethe University, Campus Westend, Casino 1.801
and online (zoom link upon request)



Monday, December 1st

09:00 – 09:10

Cecilia Poletto

Welcome and opening remarks

Chair: Yvonne Portele

09:10 – 10:10
Keynote talk

Danfeng Wu (University of Geneva)

The interplay between correction and negation across languages

10:10 – 11:50

Carolin Dudschig, Sara Oguz, Samuel Sonntag & Merle Weicker (C03)

Is Negation Special? Evidence from Speech and Gesture

11:50 – 11:20

Coffee Break

11:20 – 12:00

Leon Hammerla & Alexander Mehler (INF)

The Role of Negation in LLM-based Reasoning

12:00 – 12:40

Valeria Gradimondo (Université Paris Cité & LLF) & Dorota Klimek-Jankowska (University of Wrocław)

You shall not pass: Expletive negation in Polish temporal clauses

12:40 – 14:00

Lunch Break

Chair: Johannes Mursell

14:00 – 14:40

Carolin Reinert, Cécile Meier & Helmut Weiß (A02)

On the affixal negation of negative polar adjectives in German

14:40 – 15:20

Zhen Li & Yam Leung Lawrence Cheung (Chinese University of Hong Kong)

Tensed Negation in Jin Chinese Revisited: From an Aspect Perspective

15:20 – 15:50

Coffee Break

15:50 – 17:00

Poster Session 1

17:00 – 18:00
Keynote talk

Maria Rita Manzini (University of Florence) & Diego Pescarini (CNRS & Université Côte d'Azur)

Negative Features as Edge Features

19:30

Social Dinner at 'Zur Stalburg'

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Negation in Language
and Beyond

Tuesday, December 2nd

Chair: Sascha Bargmann

09:00 – 09:40

Valentina Bianchi (University of Siena)

A dynamic perspective on two-step interpretation

09:40 – 10:20

Zahra Mirrazi, Manfred Sailer, Hedde Zeijlstra & Ziling Zhu (A04)

There's always hope

10:20 – 10:40

Coffee Break

10:40 – 11:20

Jana-Elina Jordan, Fenja Plate-Günes, Sascha Bargmann, Markus Bader & Gert Webelhuth (B01)

Inverse negative scope in German: the role of information structure

11:20 – 12:20

Poster Session 2

12:20 – 13:45

Lunch Break

Chair: Merle Weicker

13:45 – 14:15

Elena Albu (Universität Tübingen)

How people represent negative events: Evidence from a picture selection task

14:15 – 14:45

Francesca Capuano (Universität Tübingen)

The role of plausible alternatives in negation processing

14:45 – 15:00

Coffee Break

15:00 – 16:00

Round table and closing remarks

Moderation: Cecilia Poletto, Markus Bader, Hedde Zeijlstra, Manfred Sailer

Poster Session 1 (Monday, 15:50 – 17:00)

Giacomo Bucci (University of Ghent) – *The NPI status of partitive markers under negation*

Guerrini & Zani (AO1) – *Tracking common ground through time: How discourse markers encode past and present expectations*

Presotto, Khouzani, Mattiuzzi, Poletto & Weiß (AO3 & BO2) – *Negative Spreading through German*

Sasu (BO3) – *TAM and Negation in Krobo: Word Order Variation*

Buschbom, Hohmann, Lamoure, Richter & Sailer (BO5) – *NPI Bank: A dockerized research database for scalable and accessible data sharing*

Chen, Shakeebae, Bader & Kügler (CO1) – *Complementary Cognitive Measures: Working Memory and Inhibition as Factors for Individual Comprehension*

Eichler, Torregrossa, Mognon & Grimm (CO5) – *How do Contrast and Givenness influence negation processing? Insights from self-paced reading*

Kaup, Schütt, Smith, Dudschig (CO2) – *Negation in Instructions and Beyond*

Poster Session 2 (Tuesday, 11:20 – 12:20)

Presotto, Mattiuzzi & Poletto (AO3 & BO2) – *From Big DP to Big NegP: Explaining the Anti-Non-strict Gap*

Toniolo, Presotto, Caloi, Torregrossa & Poletto (BO2) – *Acquisition of negation and TP in L2 learners of Italian*

Banafo (BO3) – *Exhaustification over Existential Bases of Negative Indefinites in some Ghanaian Languages*

Bharadwaj, Hartmann, Sementsova & Zeijlstra (BO4) – *If they go low, we go high*

Boila, Tack, Grimm, Kaup & Portele (CO4) – *Children's processing of negation in simple German sentences*

Mnogogreshnova, Vilà Dolado, Lago, Rinke, Schulz (CO6) – *Preverbal and Postverbal Sentential Negation: First Come, First Processed?*

Martinez Bruera, Hammerla, Lücking, Abrami, Sailer, Mehler & Lago (INF) – *Building a Multilingual Infrastructure for Automatic Negation Detection*