ICLCE PROGRAMME

THURSDAY 23 JUNE

All sessions are in rooms in the William Robertson Building; all plenary sessions (including the welcome and closing remarks and the business meeting) are in the lecture theatre.

Tea, coffee and lunches will be served in the foyer of the William Robertson building, where there will also be a publishers' display and a display of material by the Arts and Humanities Data Service Literature, Languages and Linguistics division.

1.00 – 3.00 Registration (William Robertson building foyer)

3.00 - 3.10 Welcome and opening remarks

3.10 – 4.10 PLENARY 1 – Chair: Nik Gisborne
Bas Aarts (University College, London) Approaches to the English gerund

4.10 - 4.30 Tea

4.30 - 6.30 Parallel sessions

Session 1 – Chair: Heinz Giegerich

- 4.30 5.10 Julia Schlüter (Paderborn) Constraints on the attributive use of 'predicative-only' adjectives a reassessment.
- 5.10 5.50 Anne Talbot (Paris VII) The left-handed constituents of English complex words.
- 5.50 6.30 Stanimir Rakic (East Sarajevo) On the 'existing' words and productivity.

Session 2 – Chair: Patrick Honeybone

- 4.30 5.10 Claire Timmins and Jane Stuart-Smith (Glasgow) I wouldnae say that I'm a ned social practices and social identities as explanatory factors of phonological variation and change in Glaswegian adolescents.
- 5.10 5.50 Natalie Braber (Manchester) Language and identity in contemporary Glasgow.
- 5.50 6.30 James M. Scobbie (Queen Margaret University College) The 'end' of phonology the theoretical significance of interface phenomena.

Session 3 - Chair: Lisa Green

- **4.30 5.10 Eva Berlage (Paderborn)** Word-order variation in the case of notwithstanding structural complexity as a determinant of grammatical variation.
- 5.10 5.50 Mariangela Spinillo (University College London) On the categorial status of Present-Day English determiners.
- 5.50 6.30 Nicole Dehé and Yordanka Kavalova (University College London) Parenthetical what.

6.30pm Wine reception

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FRIDAY 24 JUNE

9.00 – 10.00 PLENARY 2 – Chair: Graeme Trousdale

Peter Trudgill (Fribourg) The role of dialect contact in the formation of Englishes.

10.00 - 10.30 Coffee

10.30 - 12.30 Parallel sessions

Session 1 – Chair: Ilse Depraetere

10.30 – 11.10 Keith Mitchell (Edinburgh) Existential modality revisited

11.10 – 12.30 (double session) Alison Cort and David Denison (Manchester) The category 'Modal' a moving target.

Session 2 – Chair: Devyani Sharma

10.30 - 11.10 Tony Hung (Hong Kong) Phonological features of 'new varieties' of English.

11.10 – 11.50 Pingali Sailaja (Hyderabad) Determining the language of code-mixed words.

11.50 – 12.30 Christiane Meierkord (Erfurt) Intonation and word order in Black South African Englishes – A variationist account.

Session 3 – Chair: Luigi Burzio

10.30 – 11.10 Phillip Backley and Kuniya Nasukawa (Tohoku Gakuin) Laryngeal-source categories in English a typological view.

11.10 - 11.50 Katalin Berces (Budapest) Weak and semiweak phonological positions in English.

11.50 – 12.30 David Eddington, Dirk Elzinga, Rebecca Treiman and Mark Davies (Brigham Young) The syllabification of American English

12.30 - 1.30 Lunch

1.30 - 3.30 Parallel sessions

Session 1 – Chair: James M. Scobbie

1.30 – 2.10 Mike Davenport (Durham) [r]-sandhi in Geordie English

2.10 – 2.50 Warren Maguire (Newcastle upon Tyne) What is a merger, and can it be reversed? The NURSE and NORTH lexical sets in Tyneside English.

2.50 – 3.30 Will Allen¹, Joan Beal², Karen Corrigan¹, Warren Maguire¹ and Hermann Moisl¹ (¹Newcastle upon Tyne, ²Sheffield) The Newcastle Electronic Corpus of Tyneside English A new tool for analysing English linguistic structure

Session 2 – Chair: Jim Miller

1.30 – 2.10 And Rosta (Central Lancashire) Antitransitives.

2.10 – 2.50 Kensei Sugayama (Kobe City) The grammar of BE TO from a Word Grammar point of view.

2.50 - 3.30 Concha Castillo (Malaga) The who/whom distinction

Session 3 - Chair: Philip Durkin

1.30 – 2.10 Therese Aitchison (Canterbury, New Zealand) Possessives as classifiers in English.

2.10 – 2.50 Anette Rosenbach (Düsseldorf) Descriptive genitives in English.

2.50 - 3.30 Letizia Vezzosi (Perugia) On 'his own' for a new definition.

3.30 - 4.00 Tea

4.00 - 6.00 Parallel sessions

Session 1 – Chair: Colin Ewen

4.00 - 4.40 Eric Bakovic and Cynthia Kilpatrick (UCSD) Cross - sectional channel assimilation in English.

4.40 – 5.20 David Deterding (NIE, Singapore) The case of /ju/ in English

5.20 – 6.00 Juhani Rudanko (Tampere) Innovation in complement selection in British and American English a case study with evidence from the Bank of English Corpus.

Session 2 – Chair: Alexander Bergs

4.00 – 4.40 Ilse Depraetre (Lille III) Non – deontic root necessity in English a contradiction in terms?.

4.40 – 5.20 Heidi Quinn (Canterbury, New Zealand) Epistemic modals and perfective have.

5.20 – 6.00 Jim Miller (Auckland) Like does it mark focus, loose talk or lexical indecision? (Or how not to analyse spoken and non – standard language.)

Session 3 – Chair: Sailaja Pingali

4.00 – 4.40 Mikko Laitinen (Helsinki) Variationist approaches to pronouns of common gender a corpus based study of he and they.

4.40 – 5.20 Caroline Wiltshire (Florida) Variation within a variety the Indian English(es) of speakers of different L1s.

5.20 – 6.00 Kanavillil Rajagopalan (State University at Campinas) The concept of World English' and the challenge it poses to traditional ways of conceptualising language.

SATURDAY 25 JUNE

9.00 - 10.00 PLENARY 3 - Chair: April McMahon

Lisa Green (Texas, Austin) Negation and Tense-Aspect marking in African American English in early and adult grammars.

10.00 - 10.30 Coffee

10.30am - 12.30 Parallel sessions

Session 1 - Chair: Joan Beal

10.30 – 11.10 Hanna Pishwa (Hanover) A cognitive explanation for variation in tense and aspect categories.

11.10 – 11.50 Tamami Shimada (Kyoto) 'Non-cleft' analysis of the 'Tis ~ It is ... construction in Hiberno-English.

11.50 – 12.30 Kevin Watson (Lancaster) Lenition and structured variability in Liverpool English.

Session 2 – Chair: Robert Stockwell

10.30 – 11.10 Philip Durkin (Oxford English Dictionary) Lexical borrowing in Present-Day English – an investigation based on the OED.

11.10 – 11.50 Sabine Lappe (Siegen) What is a well-formed English clip? Predicting the inventory of English stump words.

11.50 – 12.30 Stefan Thim (Berlin) Adjective complementation in Modern English a case study of lexical variation and change.

Session 3 - Chair: David Denison

10.30 - 11.10 Thomas Hoffmann (Regensburg) English relative clauses and construction grammar

11.10 – 11.50 Alexander Bergs (Heinrich-Heine-Universität, Düsseldorf) Shall I say shan't or won't I? Shall and shan't in present-day English a case of functional condensation?

11.50 – 12.30 Günter Rohdenburg (Paderborn) Establishing a Clause Embedding Hierarchy for Extractions.

12.30 - 1.30 Lunch

1.30 - 2.50 Parallel sessions

Session 1 - Chair: Nik Gisborne

1.30 – 2.10 Tohru Uchiumi (McGill) Raising and arbitrary control.

2.10 – 2.50 Nicholas Sobin (Texas, El Paso) Prestige forms and case theory.

Session 2 – Chair: Anette Rosenbach

1.30 – 2.10 Marina Gorlach (Denver) Resultativeness as a category in contemporary English a sign oriented approach.

2.10 – 2.50 Susanna Lyne (Uppsala) -ing clauses with the subject the possessive versus objective case in British English.

3.00 - 3.30 Tea

3.30 - 4.50 Parallel sessions

Session 1 – Chair: Nik Gisborne

3.30 – 4.10 Balazs Suranyi (Hungarian Academy of Sciences) and Andrea Markus (Eotvos University) Subjects and T-to-C adjacency in feature checking.

4.10 - 4.50 Yuki Ishihara (Tokyo Institute of Technology) On VV idioms in English.

Session 2 – Chair: Mike Davenport

3.30 – 4.10 Nicolas Ballier (Rouen) The case for tertiary stress in English.

4.10 – 4.50 Noriko Hattori (Mie) English stress change in progress.

Session 3 – Chair: Graeme Trousdale

3.30 – 4.10 Susanne Wagner (Freiburg) The Tocque formula and Newfoundland English.

4.10 – 4.50 Ron Butters (Duke) Similatives in recent English the case of whisper quiet.

5.00 - 6.00 ICLCE business meeting

7.15pm Conference dinner and ceilidh

Teviot Dining Room, Teviot Row House, Bristo Square

SUNDAY 26 JUNE

9.00 - 10.00 PLENARY 4 - Chair: Phil Carr

Luigi Burzio (Johns Hopkins) English Lexicon and Grammar unequal but inseparable

10.00 - 10.30 Coffee

10.30 - 1.10 Parallel sessions

Session 1 - Chair: Bas Aarts

10.30 – 11.10 Caroline David (Montpellier III) The complement | adjunct distinction in three-place predicates a case of undecidable identity.

11.10 – 11.50 Aimo Seppänen (Göteborg) The construction 'preposition + that-clause' in Present Day English.

11.50 – 12.30 April McMahon (Edinburgh), Paul Heggarty (Edinburgh) and Robert McMahon (Molecular Genetics Laboratory, Western General Hospital, Edinburgh) The sound patterns of English representing phonetic similarity.

Session 2 - Chair: Kathryn Allan

10.30 - 11.10 Christiano Broccias (Genoa) The English simultaneity network a cognitive analysis of as and while.

11.10 – 11.50 Clara Molina and Manuela Romano (Madrid) A cognitive approach to a contemporary polycentric category [PP]

11.50 - 12.30 vacant slot

Session 3 - Chair: Peter Trudgill

10.30 – 11.10 Jenny Harrow and Carl Vogel (Trinity College, University of Dublin) A corpus-based analysis of Hiberno-English.

11.10 – 11.50 Rosalind Temple (York) Los(t) in translation? A view of -t/d "deletion" from eas(t) of the Atlantic.

11.50 – 12.30 Joan Bresnan (Stanford), Ashwini Deo (Stanford) and Devyani Sharma (King's College, London)

Typological and probabilistic constraints on individual grammatical variation be and n't in the Survey of English Dialects.

12.30 - 12.45 Closing remarks