

Draft Programme: Fourth Edinburgh Symposium on Historical Phonology

9th-10th December 2019 || Invited speaker: Darya Kavitskaya (UC, Berkeley)

Talks

- Andrea Ceolin** 'Phonemic dispersion decreases over time because of sound change'
András Cser 'The lowering of high vowels before [r] in Latin'
Adèle Jatteau, Ioana Vasilescu, Lori Lamel, Martine Adda-Decker & Nicolas Audibert 'Final Devoicing before it happens'
Adam King & Andrew Wedel 'Incremental lexical processing may promote grammaticalization of word-level contrast asymmetries'
Björn Köhnlein 'OSL and Apocope overlapped in German dialects: evidence from tonal accent'
Janne Lorenzen & Barış Kabak 'Structural factors in the emergence, persistence and regularization of exceptional stress patterns in Turkish'
Christopher Lucas & Michael Spagnol 'Understanding sporadic insertion of word-final /n/ in Maltese'
Donka Minkova 'Real and fake geminates in the history of English'
Benjamin Molineaux 'Variation and preservation of Mapudungun dental fricatives'
Ollie Sayeed & Bert Vaux 'Armenian and the glottalic theory: a response to Garrett (1998)'
Tobias Scheer & Philippe Ségéral 'What the neogrammarians knew, and what they ignored'
Ranjan Sen, Joan Beal, Nuria Yáñez-Bouza & Christine Wallis 'En[dj]uring [tj]unes or ma[tj]ure [ɟ]ukes? Palatalization in the Eighteenth-Century English Phonology Database'
Danielle Turton & Kate Dovaston 'Present-day patterns in North-East English NEAR and CURE vowels reflect historical processes of pre-r breaking and pre-schwa laxing'
Anthony Yates 'Indo-European "secondary mobility" and its implications for accentedness'
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Posters

- Andrea Ceolin & Ollie Sayeed** "'Markedness" is an epiphenomenon of random phonetically grounded sound change'
Sonja Dahlgren 'Egyptian Greek: an example of conquest-related contact phonology'
Jonathan Evans 'Tone in Pakistani Punjabi and Dimasa: Coming in or Going out?'
Martina Häcker 'Pull chain or push chain or something else altogether? A fresh look at the Great Vowel Shift'
Nathan Hill & Johann-Mattis List 'Experiments in the automatic induction of sound laws'
Patrick Honeybone 'Does fortition exist? Reasons to be doubtful'
Nielson Hul 'Dialect Variation as Evidence of Subgrouping in Khmer'
Pavel Iosad 'Drift revisited: phonological convergence in north-western Europe'
Ken Lodge 'Linguistic change can be messy and so can its explanation'
Anna Łukaszewicz 'Sociolinguistic variation in Scottish English: the case of /r/ and /l/ lenition'
Alan Murray 'Sybies and Tatties: problems concerning the form and development of diminutives in Scots and SSE'
Marc Pierce 'The history of /pf/ in New Braunfels German: another case of rule inversion?'
Rebekka Puderbaugh 'You only get out what you put in: acoustic analysis in support of the comparative method'
Thomas Rainsford 'Stress and weight from Latin to Old French'
Michela Russo 'A morphophonological account of the Mass/Count distinction from Latin to Romance'
Jade Sandstedt 'Vowel harmony decay in Old Norwegian'
Sverre Stausland Johnsen 'Imitation before innovation – a principle of language change'
Matthew Sung 'San Diu – is it a variety of Cantonese or is it something else?'
Nasir Abbas Rizvi Syed 'Reversal of a linguistic process under the influence of dominant languages: a challenge for the life cycle model of sound change'
Miguel Vázquez-Larruscaín 'Lat. -ETIS > voseo Spanish varieties {-éis,-és,-ís}. A complex story you can only tell with rankable constraints'
Dmitrii Zelenskii 'Phonological units for phonological change'
Florian Wandl 'Models of relative chronology: reconstruction and representation'