

Going Romance 2022

	Wednesday November 30th	Thursday December 1st	Friday December 2nd
8:30-9:00	Registration		
9:00-9:30	Opening of the Workshop on Superlatives and definiteness Crosslinguistic empirical generalizations and open questions C. Dobrovie-Sorin & L. Tovena	chair: M. T. Espinal Invited speaker: Chiara Gianollo. Revisiting the origin of Romance Negative Concord	chair: D. Pescarini Vincenzo Nicolò Di Caro & Luca Molinari. Inchoativity and mirativity in Italo-Romance and Balkan Slavic verbal periphrases
9:30-10	chair: C. Dobrovie-Sorin Ulises Delgado Díaz. Definiteness in superlative minimizers: the case of Spanish		Kim Groothuis. Reconsidering the pragmatic use of <i>chillo</i> in Campania
10-10:30	Ion Tudor Giurgea. Superlatives & definiteness: lessons from Romance	Maria Rita Manzini & Diego Pescarini. North Italian varieties vs. Negative Concord: the relevance of phases	Emanuela Sanfelici & Sira Rodeghiero. Adverbial causal clauses as relative clauses: on <i>siccome</i> from Old to Contemporary Italian
10:30-11	Peter Hallman & Margherita Pallottino. Covert nouns and definiteness in superlatives	Laura Ros García. The interaction of negation with zero event deverbal nominals in Spanish	António Leal, Maria Lobo & Purificação Silvano. Como-gerund clauses in European Portuguese: figuring out the riddle
11-11:30	coffee break & registration	coffee break & late registration	coffee break & late registration
11:30-12	chair: I. Giurgea Rita Valadas. Quasi-indefinite superlative NPs in European Portuguese	chair: R. Zamparelli Sebastian Buchczyk. Common Ground-effects on mood variability: the case of <i>decir</i>	chair: F. Martin Carlos Muñoz Pérez & Matías Verdecchia. Doubling phenomena in Spanish: repeating propositions vs. repeating predicates
12-12:30	Nicola D'Antuono. A "favourite" topic: the semantics of preference as superlative interpretation plus individual level predication	Giuliano Armenante. In the mood for double access: how TAM categories constrain the interpretation of attitude reports	Sara Amido & Sebastian Buchczyk. <i>Whether</i> -exclamatives: evidence from European Portuguese and Standard German
12:30-13	Lucia Tovena & Damien Fleury. Computing the semantic contribution of the modal adjective in predicative modal superlatives	Greta Viale & Andrea Briglia. Auxiliary selection in Italian	Marius Fabian Istrate, Anne Abeillé & Barbara Hemforth. The position of antecedent hypothesis in Romanian subject alternation: two experiments
13-14:30	lunch break & registration	lunch break	lunch break

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14:30-15	Welcome to the Main session Vicerector of Research A. Malgosa	chair: J. Mateu Elisabeth Gibert-Sotelo. Affix synonymy in Catalan change of state verbs	chair: X. Villalba Laura Stigliano & Andrés Saab. PredP-ellipsis. An undocumented type of ellipsis in Spanish
15-15:30	chair: A. Gavarró Andrea Matticchio. V1 clauses & EPP in Old Italian	Alessandro Bigolin. Complex predicates in verb-framed systems. Evidence from Italian verb-particle constructions	Marc Olivier. Strong morphology, weak distribution: a case of failed change in French
15:30-16	Espen Klævik-Pettersen. Verb movement and phasehood in French clausal syntax	Fabienne Martin, Yining Nie, Chiara Dal Farra, Silvia Silleresi, Maria Teresa Guasti & Artemis Alexiadou. Agentivity in child and adult Italian event descriptions	Giuliano Bocci, Valentina Bianchi & Silvio Cruschina. Prosodic effects of wh-movement in Italian direct wh-questions
16-16:30	Gabriela Matos & Sonia Cyrino. On the existence of verb stranding VP ellipsis – evidence from Portuguese	Poster session 1 & coffee break	Poster session 2 & coffee break
16:30-17	coffee break		
17-17:30	chair: S. Cyrino Kim Groothuis & Mirella De Sisto. Microvariation in Campanian asyndetic imperatives: towards an analysis of the second form of the infinitive	chair: F. Torres-Tamarit Liz Smeets. Topicality, specificity and d-linking; a cross-linguistic comparison of CLLD	chair: E. Bonet Invited speaker: Donca Steriade . Vowel-to-vowel intervals in Vergil's Aeneid
17:30-18	Brian Gravely & Timothy Gupton. How to spot a defective verb: evidence from Brazilian Portuguese		
18-18:30	Alfredo García-Pardo & Rafael Marín. Revisiting <i>by</i> -phrases in adjectival passives	Adriana Soto-Corominas & Sílvia Perpiñán. Direct object pronominalization in bilingual Catalan children: beyond accusative case	

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Alternates

Manuel Badal. The development of new patterns: /g/ as a first-person marker in Catalan verbs

Roberto Zamparelli. Italian "*Tanto/Quanto*": (Conjunctive) correlatives as degree operators

Georgios Vardakis. The finite and the non-finite: towards a formal analysis of complementation in Corfioto

Posters session 1

Manuel Badal. The development of new patterns: /g/ as a first-person marker in Catalan verbs

Markus Alexander Pöchtrager. European Portuguese vowel reduction and where it fails

Virginia Hill & Monica Alexandrina Irimia. Applicative phrases and clitic doubling in Romanian

Nádia Canceiro. On adversative coordination in European Portuguese

Prudence de Pontbriand. Syntactic optionality in Medieval Romance: an investigation of object drop in Old French and Old Tuscan

Irene Amato. Too weak to be pronounced: a new account of *pro-drop*

Alfredo García-Pardo. External arguments in nominal and verbal passives

Evrípidis Tsíakkas. When negation goes modal: deriving the speaker's surprise

Tommaso Balsemin, Francesco Pinzin & Cecilia Poletto. Universal 20 restriction reloaded: the view from Old Italo-Romance

Elisa Di Domenico. Object clitic reduplication in Perugino

Poster session 2

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Georgios Vardakis. The finite and the non-finite: towards a formal analysis of complementation in Corfioto

Martina Dal Cin & Sílvia Perpiñán. Crosslinguistic influence in bimodal bilingualism. A study on the production of syntactic non-manual markers of LIS in spoken Italian

Bujar Rushiti. Superlative adverbials in Romance and Albanian

Carmen Dobrovie-Sorin, Tabea Ihsane & David Paul Gerards. On the rescuing of *des-NPs*

Raquel Montero Estebaranz. Examining the locality of polarity subjunctive in Peninsular Spanish

Cristina Guardiano & Monica Alexandrina Irimia. Sicilian DOM in a Romance perspective

Michelangelo Falco & Roberto Zamparelli. Subset readings of determiners: covert partitives and domain restrictions

Carla Contemori & Elisa Di Domenico. On c-command and the thetic/categorical distinction in the production of subject referring expressions: a forced-choice production study in Italian and Mexican Spanish

Aikaterini Thomopoulou. Licensing VSO: the case of Romance and Greek

Adina Bleotu, Anton Benz & Gabriela Brozbă. Probing into the interpretation of lack of necessity as interdiction in child Romanian

Piero Cossu. New data on Sardinian Italian metaphor: the graphemic hypothesis