

Gala 2005
Siena, 8 – 10 settembre 2005

Program

Thursday 8		
8.30-9.15	Registration	
9.15-9.30	Opening	
9.30-10.30	Invited Plenary Talk: <i>Yosef Grodzinsky</i> Ellipsis in deficient language users: Parallels (and divergences) in parallelism	
10.30-11.00	Coffee Break	
11.00-11.30	Alexandra Perovic, Ken Wexler: Investigating Complex Grammar in Children with Williams Syndrome	
11.30-12.00	Nada Vasic, Esther Ruigendijk: Interpretation of pronouns in VP-ellipsis constructions in Dutch pre-school children, Broca's and Wernicke's aphasia	
12.00-12.30	Naama Friedmann, Rama Novogrodsky, Aviah Gvion: Syntactic movement in agrammatism and S-SLI: two different impairments	
12.30-13.00	Celia Jakubowicz: The Language Faculty: (ab)normal development and SM interface constraints	
13.00-14.00	Lunch Break	
14.00-15.00	Posters are hanged	
Main Conference		
15.00-15.30	Sergey Avrutin, Maria Teresa Guasti, Joke de Lange: Crosslinguistic differences in Child and Adult Speech Optional Omissions: A comparison of Dutch and Italian	Anna Gavarrò: The acquisition of participle agreement and some of its implications
15.30-16.00	Joao Costa, Maria Lobo: Clitic omission, null objects or both in the acquisition of European Portuguese?	Elma Blom: Agreement inflection in child L2 Dutch
16.00-16.30	Coffee Break	
16.30-17.00	Claudia Caprin, Chiara Yoghà: Article omission and the role of the root	Julia Berger Morales: Acquiring Nominal Inflection in German: An Experimental Study
17.00-17.30	Chiara Leonini: Object Clitics and Determiners in the acquisition of Italian as L2 and L1	Holger Hopp: Effects of L1 and proficiency on the processing of morphosyntax in L2 acquisition
17.30-18.00	Break	
18.00-19.00	Invited Plenary Talk: <i>Nina Hyams</i> The development of voice in Malagasy: implications for theories of the adult grammar	

Friday 9

9.00-10.00	Invited Plenary Talk: Sergey Avrutin <i>What Can We Learn From Comparative Psycholinguistics</i>	
	Main Conference	
10.00-10.30	Sergio Baauw, Joke de Lange: The omission of D and T in Dutch speaking children	Lydia White, Heather Goad: Production of L2 Determiners: Semantic or Phonological Effects?
10.30-11.00	Michaela Pirvulescu: Clitic realization and omission in French L1: spontaneous vs. elicited production	Marina Tzakosta: Developmental Paths in L1 and L2 Phonological Acquisition: Consonant clusters in the speech of native speakers and Turkish and Dutch learners of Greek
11.00-11.30	Coffee Break	Coffee Break
11.30-12.00	Christopher Hirsch, Jeremy Hartman: Some (WH) questions concerning passive interactions	Angeliek van Hout: Perfect understandings: Acquisition of perfect tense in Dutch and Italian and perfective aspect in Polish
12.00-12.30	Akira Watanabe: Setting the Wh-Movement Parameter	Alison Gabriele: Why "is arriving" can also mean "has arrived" for Japanese learners of English
12.30-15.00	Lunch break and Poster session	
15.00-15.30	Myong-hee Choi, Donna Lardiere,: The interpretation of wh-in-situ in Korean second language acquisition	Paolo Chinellato: Functional categories in Italian Agrammatism
15.30-16.00	Claudia Borgonovo, Joyce Bruhn De Garavito, Philippe Prévost : L2 acquisition at the syntax-semantics interface: Focus on mood distinction in L2 Spanish relative	Alexandra Perovic: Knowledge of Binding in Serbo-Croatian Speakers with Down Syndrome
16.00-16.30	Coffee break	Coffee break
16.30-17.00	Sharon Armon Lotem, Irena Botwinik-Rotem, Seagull Birka: The acquisition of relative clauses in Hebrew: prepositions and resumptive pronouns	Silvina Montrul, Rebecca Foote, Silvia Perpiñan, Dan Thornhill, Susana Vidal: Full Access and Age Effects in Adult Bilingualism: An Investigation of Spanish Accusative Clitics and Word Order
17.00-17.30	Gerald Bullock, Akira Omaki, Barbara Schulz, Bonnie D. Schwartz, Annie Tremblay: Did they say in Interlanguage that CP is missing, or did they say that in Interlanguage CP is missing?	Ida Ferrari: Acquisition of object clitics in Italian by two German/Italian bilingual children
17.30-18.00	Break	
18.00-19.00	Invited Plenary Talk: Antonella Sorace <i>Interfaces in L2 language development</i>	
20.00	Social dinner – Insitua "Santa Maria della Scala"	

Saturday 10

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9.00-10.00	Invited Plenary Talk : Jacques Mehler How Rules, Statistical Computations and Perceptual Primitives facilitate language acquisition	
Main Conference		
10.00-10.30	Cornelia Hamann: Economy and early syntax	Julia Herschensohn: Developing interlanguage morphosyntax: A case study of L2 French
10.30-11.00	Jacqueline Van Kampen, Arnold Evers: A single value filter on parameter setting	Caterina Donati, Cristina Pierantozzi, Letizia Gasperoni: I aime pas ça moi. Explaining switching preferences in early code mixing
11.00-11.30	Coffee Break	Coffee Break
11.30-12.00	Dominik Rus, Pritha Chandra: Child Slovenian Imperatives: Root Infinitive Analogues?	Ken Drozd: Children's Comprehension of Focus-Sensitive Quantification
12.00-12.30	Francesca Foppolo: How the activation of the scale improves pragmatic performance?	Vincenzo Moscati: Parametrizing Negation: interactions with copular constructions in Italian and English children
12.30-13.00	Kamil Ud Deen: It's gotta be innate: A novel POS argument from Swahili	Boping Yuan: Behaviours of Wh-words in English Speakers'L2 Chinese
13.00-15.00	Lunch Break	
15.00-15.30	Anja Müller, Barbara Höhle, Michaela Schmitz, Jürgen Weissenborn: Focus-to-stress-alignment in 4-to-5 year old German learning children	Elisa Bennati, Simona Matteini: Object Clitic Climbing in L2 learners of Italian
15.30-16.00	Ana Lúcia Santos: Getting in Focus: the role of the NSR in children's interpretation of sentences with focused preverbal material	Ute Bohnacker: Developmental sequences and (in)vulnerable domains in German interlanguage syntax
16.00-16.30	Coffee Break	
16.30-17.00	Olga Fedorova, Igor Yanovich: Emergence of Principle B: A variable-free approach	Laurent Deydtspotter, Bryan Donaldson, Amanda C. Edmonds, Audrey Liljestrand, Rebecca A. Petrush: Syntax and prosody in the resolution of relative clause attachment ambiguities in English-French interlanguage processing development
17.00-17.30	Utako Minai: Direct Approach to Inference in Child Language: A Case Study of Every	Nelleke Strik: Computational Complexity and the Production of Long Distance Questions in Child French
17.30-18.00	Tetsuya Sano, Maki Yamane: Disjoint reference of pronominal binding in adult L2 English by Japanese learners	Lydia Blenn, Barbara Hölhe Processing of morphological markers as a cue to syntactic phrases by 10-month-old German-learning infants
18.00-18.30	Heather Marsden: Pair-list readings in Korean-Japanese and English-Japanese interlanguage	Fabrizio Arosio, Flavia Adani, Maria Teresa Guasti: Children's processing of subject and object relatives in Italian

Alternates

1. **Marit Westergaard**: Triggering V2: The Amount of Input Needed for Parameter Setting in a Split-CP Model of Word Order
2. **Efrosyni Argyri**: Cross-linguistic influence at the syntax/pragmatics interface and narrow syntax in Greek/English bilingual acquisition
3. **Liane Jeshull**: Children's Comprehension of Particle Verbs and the Aspect First Hypothesis
4. **Bart Hollebrandse, Leontine Kremers** : Visible and Invisible Extraction?

Posters

1. **Avram Larisa, Martine Coene**: The Complementizer phrase in child Romanian: an early discourse/anchor
2. **Botwinik-Rotem Irena**: Null prepositions in L2 English and L2 Hebrew
3. **Cardinaletti Anna, Paolo Chinellato**: Clitic Pronouns and Verbal Agreement in two deaf adults
4. **Chondrogianni Vicky**: On the acquisition of clitics and determiners by child L2 learners of Modern Greek: Mere . transfer or L2 grammar sensitivity?
5. **De Cat Cecile, George Tsoulas**: The structure of fragments in child French
6. **Dimitrakopoulou Maria, Georgia Fotiadou, Anna Roussou, Ianthi Maria Tsimpli**: Features and Agree Relations in L2 Greek
7. **Friedmann Naama and Lavi Hedva**: On the order of acquisition of A movement, A movement and V-C movement
8. **Giusti Giuliana, Roberta Gozzi**: The acquisition of determiners: Evidence for the Full Competence Hypothesis
9. **Gutierrez Junkal**: Acquiring English long-distance wh-questions by Basque/Spanish bilinguals in a school context
10. **Haznedar Belma**: Does Aspect matter in child L2 acquisition? Revisiting the relationship between inherent aspect of predicates and their finiteness in child L2 acquisition of English
11. **Hestvik Arild, Richard G. Schwartz, Hia Datta, Lidiya Tornyova**: Picture-naming shows children reactivate antecedents at trace positions
12. **Hirsch Christopher, Ken Wexler**: Psychological Passives in children and Broca's Aphasics
13. **Kang Bosook**: How Crucial is Input Frequency in Learning of Overt Morphological Case?
14. **Kirby Susannah, Misha Becker**: Semantics or subcases? The acquisition of expletive vs. proform it
15. **Lorusso Paolo** : The I-syntax of Verbs in the acquisition of L1 Italian
16. **Mammarella Nicola, Marica De Vincenzi, Beth Fairfield**: Interrogative sentence comprehension in adults and older adults
17. **Milicevic Maja** : The role of L1 morphology in L2 acquisition of reflexive constructions: Evidence from English and Serbian learners of Italian
18. **Mueller Natasha, Tanja Kupisch**: The Syntax-pragmatics interface in bilingual children
19. **Oliviéri Michèle, Katérina Palasis-Jourdan**: On the null subject stage in non-null subject L1 acquisition
20. **Pannemann Maren, Fred Wermann**: DP acquisition as structure unraveling
21. **Papadopoulou Despina, Ianthi-Maria Tsimpli**: Morphological cues in L2 sentence processing: Evidence from subject/object ambiguities in Greek as L2
22. **Schönenberger Manuela**: The discourse-function of weil 'because' and nämlich 'namely' in child grammar
23. **Snape Neal**: L2 acquisition of definiteness and specificity in English by advanced Japanese and Spanish learners
24. **Stavrakaki Stavroula, Harald Clashen**: Past tense formation in greek children with Williams syndrome
25. **Su Yi-ching**: Word Order Effect in Children's Comprehension of Relative Clauses
26. **Van der Velde Marlies**: Pronoun acquisition across languages: Dutch and French compared
27. **Van Kampen Jacqueline**: Morph-syntactic development and effects on the lexicon
28. **Yamakoshi Kyoko**: Scrambling and Children's Interpretations of Scope Interactions