

McWOP 15 Schedule -- All sessions are in Jordan Hall A100, Oct. 9-11, 2009

Friday October 9<sup>th</sup>

Features/Gestures (Phonetic and Phonological analyses)

3:00-3:30 Karen Lichtman, University of Illinois, Invariant Gestures? Two Studies of Tongue Tip Gestures for Coda /t/

3:30-4:00 Yi-Jen Huang, Michigan State University, Loanword Adaptation on Laryngeal Features

4:00-4:30 Elizabeth Casserly, Indiana University, Spread Glottis in Faroese: Realization, Neutralization and Opacity

4:30-4:50 Break

4:50-5:20 Melissa Witcombe, Indiana University, Jot Reflexes in Croatian

5:20-5:50 Justin Glover, Indiana University, An Optimality-Theoretic Account of Dorsal Obstruent Alternations in Kranichfeld German

5:50-6:20 Jose Hualde, Michael Blasingame, Marianna Nadeu (University of Illinois), and Michael Simonet (University of Arizona), Effect of the Preceding Segment on Spanish Spirantization

Saturday October 10<sup>th</sup>  
Similarity

9:00-9:30 Kristin Van Engen (Northwestern), Susanne Brouwer (Max Planck Institute for Psycholinguistics), Lauren Calandruccio (CUNY), Ann Bradlow (Northwestern) Speech-in-speech Perception: Linguistic Familiarity and Similarity

9:30-10:00 Terrin Tamati, Indiana University, Perceptual Similarity of Unfamiliar Regional Dialects: Some Preliminary Findings

10:00-10:30 Melissa Baese-Berk, Kristin Van Engen, Mary Ann Walter, and Ann Bradlow, Northwestern, Perceptual Similarity of Language and Accents

10:30-10:50 break

## Modeling

10:50-11:20 Alan C. L. Yu, University of Chicago, Measuring Phonetic Precursor Robustness

11:20-11:50 Rebecca Morley, The Ohio State University, Natural Interactions and the Limits of Unnaturalness

11:50-12:20 Daniel Dinnsen, Judith Gierut, Michele Morrisette, Christopher Green, (Indiana University), and Ashley Farris-Trimble (University of Iowa) Chickens Kick ‘n Chew But Tigers Do Too: The Interacting Error Pattern Problem

12:20-12:30 Business meeting

12:20-1:50 Lunch

## Intonation

1:50-2:20 Danielle Reindl, Purdue University, Prosodic Features of a Spanish Ludling

2:20-2:50 Nicholas Henriksen, Indiana University, Early and Late Rises in Manchego Peninsular Spanish yes/no Questions

2:50-3:20 Kenji Yoshida, Indiana University, Peak Timing and Downtrend of F0 of Ibukijima Shiki Types and their Phonological Representations

3:20-3:40 Break

Chinese Tone

3:40-4:10 Wang Xiaomei, Heidelberg University (Ohio) and Tianjin Normal University, An OT Account of the Disyllabic Tone Sandhi in Ei Language

4:10-4:40 John Scott, Indiana University, A Positional Markedness Approach to Sandhi Tone Shift in Chaoyang Chinese

4:40-5:10 Yeh Chia-Hsin, Michigan State University, Emergence of a New Tone Sandhi in Mandarin Nominal Reduplications

5:10-5:40 Eric Baucom (Indiana University) and Jon Gartner (University of North Carolina) Effects of Lexical Entries on Tone Perception

5:40-6:00 Break

Tone

6:00-6:30 Kristopher Ebarb (Indiana University), and Michael Marlo (University of Maryland), An Overview of Nyala Verbal Tonology

6:30-7:00 Kristine Hildebrandt, SIU Edwardsville, Gurung (Tibeto-Burman) at the Tonogenetic Crossroads

Party

Sunday October 11<sup>th</sup>

Syllable-related matters

9:00-9:30 Anna Bosch, University of Kentucky, Transcription: The Phonetics-Phonology Interface

9:30-10:00 Christiane Kaden, Indiana University, An OT Account of Hiatus Avoidance and Compensatory Lengthening in Kinyamwezi

10:00-10:30 Rebekah Baglini, University of Chicago, Modeling Variation and Change in *Raddoppiamento Sintattico*

10:30-10:50 Break

10:50-11:20 Wei Zhang, Purdue University, Huidong La-mi and *Fa·nqiè* Languages in Chinese

11:20-11:50 Dan Karvonen, University of Minnesota, The Moraic Status of Coda Consonants in Finnish

11:50-12:20 Erin Rusaw and Jennifer Cole, University of Illinois, Learning Constraints that Oppose Native Phonotactics from Brief Experience