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Albuquerque

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Raffle tickets will be sold for each prize throughout the conference. Payment in cash for tickets will be accepted at the registration table. Tickets may also be purchased via Venmo (both before and during the conference) by transferring the dollar amount corresponding to the number of tickets you’d like to buy to @Jens-VanGysel. In the comment, please write how many tickets you wish to buy and for which prize(s). Tickets can then be picked up at the registration desk.

Announcing Raffle Winners

On Sunday (11/13), winners for each prize will be drawn in the atrium on the third floor of the Student Union Building during the lunch break. Winners will be able to receive their prizes at that time.
Corrine Occhino (Syracuse University)

Corrine Occhino is an Assistant Professor with a dual appointment in the School of Education and in Languages, Literatures, and Linguistics in the College of Arts and Sciences at Syracuse University. Dr. Occhino is the Program Coordinator for the ASL and Deaf Studies Program. Her research focuses on how the embodied linguistic experiences of signers influence the organization and processing of signed languages. Dr. Occhino teaches courses on signed languages and Deaf Cultures, signed language linguistics, sociolinguistics, and psycholinguistics. Her keynote presentation is free to attend as part of UNM’s 1st Research & Discovery Week.

Mary Hermes (University of Minnesota)

Mary “Fong” Hermes is a mixed heritage person (Dakota, Chinese and LCO Ojibwe community member) and Professor of Second Language Education in the Department of Curriculum and Instruction at the University of Minnesota. For over 25 years she has been involved in the Ojibwe language reclamation movement and her research encompasses the indigenous language revitalization to connect land with languages. She also founded and directs a non-profit called “Grassroots Indigenous Multimedia,” which is currently engaged in creating an adventure video game fully in the Ojibwe language.

Amalia Skilton (Cornell University)

Amalia Skilton is a postdoctoral researcher at Cornell University and previously the University of Texas at Austin. Skilton studies how children learn to direct others’ attention: are joint attention behaviors (combining gestures and words) learned from adults? Skilton currently studies the development of general interactive skills in children learning Ticuna (isolate) in northwestern Amazonia.
FRIDAY

**08:00 - 08:45**
Housekeeping and Coffee
Welcome
Keynote 1: Corrine Occhino
Coffee Break

**08:45 - 09:00**

**09:00 - 10:30**

**10:30 - 10:45**

**ACOMA**
**PHONETICS/PHONOLOGY**
Potential transfer of L1 English stress patterns to L2 French cognates

10:45 - 11:15
Caroline L. Smith, José Manuel González Izquierdo, Cormac B. League, Wilho F. Macneil, Jordan E. Minke, Bruno Pinto Silva, George L. Strohl, and Seth N. Wyatt

Sobre la representación de los fonemas palatales /ʎ/ y /ʝ/ en el español colonial neogranadino: Observaciones en el registro epistolar
Camilo Enrique Díaz Romero

11:15 - 11:45
Non-identity reduplication as maximal iconicity
Olivia Griffin

12:15 - 13:45

**LOBO**
**COGNITIVE LINGUISTICS**
Speech, sight, space: Linguistic spatial frames of reference in blind traditional Negev Arabic speakers
Letizia Cerqueglini

A Cognitive Grammar introduction to the process of deinitialization in ASL
Nicky Macias

11:45 - 12:15
Back to the past and down to the future: Asymmetric timeline expressions in Chinese Sign Language based on the naturalistic data
Hao Lin & Yan Gu

**11:30 - 12:15**
LUNCH

**13:45 - 14:15**

**PHONETICS/PHONOLOGY**
The perceptual who, what, and where of a center-periphery divide:
Language attitudes on intervocalic /d/ fricativization and elision in the Central Valley variety of Costa Rican Spanish
Austin Vander Wel

14:15 - 14:45
Conditional entropy applied to the relation of formants
Grandon Goertz & Terese Anderson

14:45 - 15:15
What makes a laryngeal stop inventory complex?
Laura Downing

15:15 - 16:00

**FIESTA**
**BILINGUALISM**
Spanish-English bilingual children’s overregularization of irregular Spanish verbal morphology: An experimental approach
Elisabeth Baker Martinez

Using constructions to demonstrate oral proficiency in a second language
Victor Valdivia

11:45 - 12:15

**LANGUAGE DOCUMENTATION**
Developing workflows for community-based lexicography
Joshua Birchall

12:15 - 13:45

**BILINGUALISM**
Critical proficiency for input factors in L2 parsing preference
Hyun Bae

Language change and the speech communities: Complexities of sociolinguistic variation in Tihar Prison
Priya Jain

13:45 - 14:15

**Eastern Navajo Sound Database**
Gewnho Cho, Tamera Yazzie, Joyce McDonough & Melvatha Chee

**solving cross-language variable equivalence in bilingual clause combining**
Dora LaCasse & Rena Torres Cacoullos

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**Insights into Tu’un Savi (Mixtec) verb structure through constructing a multivariety database for language documentation and maintenance**
Eric W. Campbell, Simon L. Peters & Iní G. Mendoza

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LOBO LIGHTNING TALKS II

16:30
FIESTA LIGHTNING TALKS III

COFFEE BREAK

Reduction in time of /ea/ in Spanish spontaneous conversation
Karol Ibarra Zetter

A linguistic and cultural-rhetorical analysis of COVID-19 verb collocations
Allison Hauser & Alyssa Herman

Internet-influenced shifts in compound word formation and usage frequency
Kelly Kendro, Mary Akbar & Scott Jarvis

Quantifying word orders in Mandarin Chinese: A prototypical-typological perspective
Xiaolong Lu

Balancing and deranking of complement clauses in languages of the Americas
Bethany Lycan

L1 and L2 writing fluency: A corpus-based comparative approach
Gaëtanelle Gilquin

15:15

TOWARDS AN EVOLUTIONARY FRAMEWORK FOR STRUCTURAL SELECTION WITHIN UTTERANCES

Lukas Denk

VARIATION WITHIN AND BETWEEN SIGN LANGUAGES IN JAPAN, TAIWAN AND SOUTH KOREA: THE IMPACT OF LANGUAGE CONTACT

Keiko Sagara & Nick Palfreyman

LANGUAGE ATTRITION IN MACEDONIAN LEARNERS OF ENGLISH LIVING IN THE L1 SETTING

Irena Grunche-Tine

LANGUAGE CONTACT EFFECT ON MEANING IDENTIFICATION IN THREE TYPES OF ACQUISITION

Irene Checa-Garcia

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COMPARING ‘SOUTHERN ACCENT’ FEATURES IN TWO LOCAL NEWS MARKETS IN APPALACHIA: GREENVILLE, SOUTH CAROLINA VERSUS CHARLESTON, WEST VIRGINIA

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THE ROLE OF TRANSVERSE TEMPORAL GESTURE IN THINKING ABOUT THE MENTAL TIMELINE IN PERSIAN

Shervin Nosrati

11:15
PERCEIVING AND EVALUATING COMPUTER ANIMATED AVATARS’ SIGNING: AN EXPLORATORY STUDY

Joseph Hill & Ragib Mahmood

13:30
‘I AM SHOPPING HANDBAGS’: THE EMERGENT ‘SHOP DP’ CONSTRUCTION IN THE CONTEXT OF ONLINE SHOPPING

Vera Xia

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COMPUNDING IN HONG KONG SIGN LANGUAGE

Yuting Zhang

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EXEMPLARY CONSTRUCTION, TOPIC MANAGEMENT, AND UNEXPECTEDNESS: THE CASE OF THE JAPANESE X TOKA

Motomi Kajitani

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CONSTRUCTION VERBS AND ARGUMENT REALIZATION: AN ANALYSIS OF THE MATERIAL-PRODUCT ALTERNATION IN PORTUGUESE

Luana Amaral

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PRAGMATIC DEFICIENCIES IN NATIVE TURKISH GRAMMAR: NULL AND OVERT SUBJECTS AT THE SYNTAX-DISCUSSION INTERFACE

Oktay Çınar

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