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Day 1 Saturday March 7th

Room 1069, Sidney Smith Hall

- 09:15 Breakfast and registration
- 09:50 Opening remarks and Land Acknowledgement
- 10:00 Opening Keynote
Pocholo Umbal (University of Toronto)
Towards Increasing equity, diversity and inclusion in the linguistics classroom
- 11:00 Break
- 11:10 **Milena Injac** (University of Toronto)
The use of the negative particle "ne" in Quebec French news media
- 11:35 **Justin Leung** (University of Toronto)
The unified loss of verb particles in Medieval French: a quantitative analysis
- 12:00 Lunch
- 13:15 **Christopher Legerme** (University of Toronto)
Antimarkedness constraints in the lexicon?: Evidence from Haitian Creole
- 13:40 **Nicoline Butler** (York University)
Intonation in Thai-accented English

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Day 1 Saturday March 7th (Cont.)

- 14:05** **Anissa Baird (University of Toronto)**
I am not my body: a preliminary study of gender identity, gender expression, and their effects on sex-based and gender-based variability
- 14:30** **Break**
- 15:00** **Poster Session**
Linguistics Department, 4th Floor, Sidney Smith Hall
- Ryan MacDonald (University of Toronto)**
Onset and coda repair in phonetic loanwords from English into Mandarin Chinese
- Joseph Jaros (University of Pittsburgh)**
Learning vocabulary through variable input: how interaction with multiple speakers affects lexical consolidation
- Ewen Lee (University of Toronto)**
Fuzhou tone sandhi: complications and implications of an OT account

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Day 2 Sunday March 8th

Room 1069, Sidney Smith Hall

- 09:15 Breakfast
- 10:00 Yanfei Lu (University of Western Ontario)
How do adult L2 learners acquire pronominal prefixes of Oneida (Iroquoian)
- 10:30 Xinyi Zhang (McGill University)
Bilingualism, symbol grounding, and consciousness: a process-dissociation procedure in French-English bilinguals
- 11:00 Break
- 11:10 Rosie Owen (University of Toronto)
Sweet songs and soft hearts: metaphor in Cuzco Quechua
- 11:35 Amelia Fineberg (University of California, Berkley)
Semantics and grammar: gender in liturgical Hebrew
- 12:00 Ryann Soltero (Gordon College)
Why-wh-movement in Korean
- 12:25 Lunch
- 13:45 Ernest Leung (University of Toronto)
Derogatory terms in Hong Kong English's first dictionary and their sociocultural impacts

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- 14:10 Jingshu Yao (University of Toronto)
Mom, talk to me in my mother tongue: SES and heritage language maintenance of East and South Asian Canadian community
- 14:35 Break
- 15:00 Closing Keynote
Prof. Keren Rice, OC, PhD (University of Toronto)
Theoretical and practical challenges of phonological variation

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