

# NELS 32

# PROGRAM

TIME / DAY LOCATION	FRIDAY 10/19 CUNY Graduate Center <i>Elbash Recital Hall</i>	SATURDAY 10/20 NYU Main Building <i>Room 703</i>	SUNDAY 10/21 NYU Main Building <i>Room 703</i>
09:00–09:15	<i>Opening Remarks CUNY</i>	<i>Opening Remarks NYU</i>	
CHAIR	<b>Paul Postal</b> ( <i>New York University</i> )	<b>Jaklin Kornfilt</b> ( <i>Syracuse University</i> )	<b>Stephen Crain</b> ( <i>UMD College Park</i> )
09:15–09:45	<b>Idan Landau</b> ( <i>Ben Gurion U</i> ) <i>A typology of psych passives</i>	<b>Line Hove Mikkelsen</b> ( <i>UC Santa Cruz</i> ) <i>Ambiguous copula sentences in Danish: Evidence against the inversion hypothesis</i>	<b>John Whitman</b> ( <i>Cornell</i> ) & <b>Dianne Jonas</b> ( <i>Yale</i> ) <i>Limiting multiple specifiers to the interface</i>
09:45–10:15	<b>Liina Pytkäinen</b> ( <i>MIT</i> ) <i>Root-selecting, Verb-selecting and VoiceP- selecting causatives</i>	<b>Andrew Simpson</b> ( <i>SOAS</i> ) & <b>Zoe Wu</b> ( <i>USC</i> ) <i>Cyclic Spell-Out and the size of phases</i>	<b>Arhonto Terzi</b> ( <i>TEI Patras</i> ) & <b>Ken Wexler</b> ( <i>MIT</i> ) <i>A-chains and S-homophones in children's grammar: Evidence from Greek passives</i>
10:15–10:45	<b>Asya Pereltsvaig</b> ( <i>Tromsø</i> ) <i>Case and aspect in American Russian: What does American Russian morphology tell us about syntax?</i>	<b>Winfried Lechner</b> ( <i>Tübingen</i> ) <i>Deriving PS-paradoxes by conditions on Merge</i>	<b>Hirohisa Kiguchi</b> & <b>Rozalind Thornton</b> ( <i>UMD College Park</i> ) <i>Children's understanding of Binding Principle B in ACD constructions</i>
COFFEE/TEA			
CHAIR	<b>Robert Fiengo</b> ( <i>CUNY Graduate Center</i> )	<b>Howard Lasnik</b> ( <i>UConn</i> )	<b>Ellen Broselow</b> ( <i>SUNY Stony Brook</i> )
11:00–11:30	<b>Paula Menéndez-Benito</b> ( <i>UMass Amherst</i> ) <i>Aspect and adverbial quantifiers in Spanish</i>	<b>Andrea Rackowski</b> ( <i>MIT</i> ) <i>Subject and specificity: The case of Tagalog</i>	<b>Colin Wilson</b> ( <i>UCLA</i> ) <i>Phonotactic learning with targeted constraints</i>
11:30–12:00	<b>Michela Ippolito</b> ( <i>MIT</i> ) <i>Presuppositions and implicatures in counterfactuals</i>	<b>Felicia Lee</b> ( <i>UBC Vancouver</i> ) <i>Anaphoric R-expressions: 'Bound' names as bound variables</i>	<b>Jeff Mielke</b> ( <i>Ohio State</i> ) <i>Turkish /h/ deletion: Evidence for the interplay of speech perception and phonology</i>
12:00–12:30	<b>Yael Sharvit</b> ( <i>UConn</i> ) <i>The extensionality of 'try' —An event- based analysis</i>	<b>Ivy Sichel</b> ( <i>Hebrew U Jerusalem</i> ) <i>Demonstrative anaphora and indexical representation</i>	<b>Paul de Lacy</b> ( <i>UMass Amherst</i> ) <i>Conflation and the expression of scales</i>
LUNCH			
CHAIR	<b>Anna Szabolcsi</b> ( <i>New York University</i> )	<b>Harry van der Hulst</b> ( <i>UConn</i> )	<b>Richard Larson</b> ( <i>SUNY Stony Brook</i> )
14:00–14:30	<b>Christopher Potts</b> ( <i>UC Santa Cruz</i> ) <i>No vacuous quantification constraints in syntax</i>	<b>Jonathan Barnes</b> ( <i>UC Berkeley</i> ) <i>Domain-initial strengthening and the phonetics and phonology of positional neutralization</i>	<b>Kimiko Nakanishi</b> ( <i>UPenn</i> ) & <b>Satoshi Tomioka</b> ( <i>UDelaware</i> ) <i>Non-uniform plurality: A case study of Japanese plurals</i>
14:30–15:00	<b>Chung-hye Han</b> ( <i>Simon Fraser U</i> ) & <b>Maribel Romero</b> ( <i>UPenn</i> ) <i>Ellipsis in the syntax of alternative questions</i>	<b>Daniel Currie Hall</b> ( <i>Toronto</i> ) <i>A source-filter model for generative metrics</i>	<b>Bridget Copley</b> ( <i>MIT</i> ) <i>A linguistic argument for indeterministic futures</i>
15:00–15:30	<b>Elena Guerzoni</b> ( <i>MIT</i> ) <i>Even NPIs in questions</i>	<b>K. David Harrison, Mark Dras &amp; Berk Kapicioglu</b> ( <i>UPenn</i> ) <i>Agent-based modeling and microparametric variation: Modeling the evolution of vowel harmony</i>	<b>L. M. Savoia &amp; M. Rita Manzini</b> ( <i>Firenze</i> ) <i>Northern Italian NEG adverbs are neither adverbs nor NEG</i>
COFFEE/TEA			
CHAIR	<b>Hubert Truckenbrodt</b> ( <i>Rutgers</i> )	<b>Anthony Kroch</b> ( <i>UPenn</i> )	
15:45–16:15	<b>Carolina González</b> ( <i>USC</i> ) <i>The effect of prosody on glottal stop deletion in Capanahua</i>	<b>Thomas McFadden</b> ( <i>UPenn</i> ) <i>The morphosyntax of Finno-Ugric Case- marking: A DM account</i>	
16:15–16:45	<b>Masanori Deguchi &amp; Yoshihisa Kitagawa</b> ( <i>Indiana U</i> ) <i>Prosody in wh-questions</i>	<b>Alison Henry</b> ( <i>Ulster</i> ) <i>Microparametric variation in the syntax of expletives: Belfast English and standard English</i>	
16:55–17:55	<b>Invited Speaker: Janet Dean Fodor</b> <i>Special Theme: Prosodic Phrasing</i>	<b>Invited Speaker: Richard Kayne</b> <i>Special Theme: Microparametric Variation</i>	

# Alternate Papers

DOMAIN	FIRST ALTERNATE	SECOND ALTERNATE	THIRD ALTERNATE
<b>Syntax</b>	<b>Željko Bošković</b> (UConn & CNRS) <i>Expletives don't move</i>	<b>Benjamin Bruening</b> (MIT) <i>Raising to object and phase edges</i>	<b>Norvin Richards</b> (MIT) <i>Lowering and cyclicity: Attraction by X from SpecXP</i>
<b>Semantics</b>	<b>Richard Larson &amp; Miyuki Sawada</b> (SUNY Stony Brook) <i>Adjunct clauses, presupposition and root transformations</i>	<b>Andrew Nevins</b> (MIT) <i>Counterfactuality without past tense and the morphology-pragmatics interface</i>	<b>Martin Hackl</b> (UMD College Park) <i>The ingredients of essentially plural predicates</i>
<b>Phonology</b>	<b>Bert Vaux</b> (Harvard) <i>Dispersion Theory and surface contrast</i>	<b>Adam Ussishkin</b> (U Arizona) & <b>Andrew Wedel</b> (UCSC) <i>Neighborhood density and the root-affix distinction</i>	<b>Rachel Walker</b> (USC) <i>Yuhup prosodic morphology and a case of augmentation</i>
<b>Microparametric Variation</b>	<b>Thomas J. Connors</b> (Yale) <i>On pronoun classes and passive constructions in Indonesian dialects</i>	<b>Gulsat Aygen</b> (Harvard) <i>C as a Case licenser in Turkish, Kazakh and Tuvan: Implications for Case theory</i>	
<b>Prosodic Phrasing</b>	<b>Jocelyn Cohan, Hugo Quené, René Kager &amp; Sieb Nootboom</b> (Utrecht) <i>Heavy constituent extraposition: Experimental evidence for parallel processing</i>		

# Poster Sessions

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<p><b>Jocelyn Cohan, Hugo Quené, René Kager &amp; Sieb Nootboom</b> (Utrecht) <i>Heavy constituent extraposition: Experimental evidence for parallel processing</i></p> <p><b>Yoonjung Kang</b> (SUNY Stony Brook) <i>Adaptation of English postvocalic word-final stops to Korean loanwords</i></p> <p><b>Steve McCartney</b> (UT Austin) <i>Binary bases of ternarity</i></p> <p><b>Adam Ussishkin</b> (U Arizona) &amp; <b>Andrew Wedel</b> (UCSC) <i>Neighborhood density and the root-affix distinction</i></p> <p><b>Bert Vaux</b> (Harvard) <i>Dispersion Theory and surface contrast</i></p>	<p><b>Masahiro Akiyama</b> (Ehime U) <i>Locative Inversion and economy: Evidence for global economy</i></p> <p><b>Artemis Alexiadou</b> (U Stuttgart) <i>Nominal vs. verbal -ing constructions and the development of the English progressive</i></p> <p><b>Karlos Arregi</b> (MIT) <i>Word order and focus in Basque</i></p> <p><b>Gulsat Aygen</b> (Harvard) <i>C as a Case licenser in Turkish, Kazakh and Tuvan: Implications for Case theory</i></p> <p><b>Rajesh Bhatt</b> (UT Austin) &amp; <b>Roumyana Pancheva</b> (USC) <i>Variable height of adjunction and LF-licensing of degree complements</i></p> <p><b>Cedric Boeckx &amp; Boosok Kang</b> (UConn) <i>An argument-adjunct asymmetry at the word level</i></p> <p><b>Željko Bošković</b> (UConn &amp; CNRS) <i>Expletives don't move</i></p> <p><b>Benjamin Bruening</b> (MIT) <i>Raising to object and phase edges</i></p> <p><b>Thomas J. Connors</b> (Yale) <i>On pronoun classes and passive constructions in Indonesian dialects</i></p> <p><b>Arhonto Terzi</b> (TEI Patras) <i>Locative prepositions as DPs</i></p>	<p><b>Martin Hackl</b> (UMD College Park) <i>The ingredients of essentially plural predicates</i></p> <p><b>Tania Ionin</b> (MIT) <i>The one boy who kissed every girl: Scope and discourse function in Russian</i></p> <p><b>Edit Jakab</b> (UQAM) <i>The conditional expressed by Russian and English imperatives</i></p> <p><b>Elsi Kaiser</b> (UPenn) <i>Case, disjunction and focus</i></p> <p><b>Min-Joo Kim</b> (UMass Amherst) <i>Accusative adverbials in Korean: Delimiting phrase and Case</i></p> <p><b>Jeong-Shik Lee</b> (Wongkwang U) <i>Comparative pseudogapping</i></p> <p><b>Seth A. Minkoff</b> (UMass Boston) <i>Why some objects can't be more animate than some subjects</i></p> <p><b>Andrew Nevins</b> (MIT) <i>Counterfactuality without past tense and the morphology-pragmatics interface</i></p> <p><b>Norvin Richards</b> (MIT) <i>Lowering and cyclicity: Attraction by X from SpecXP</i></p> <p><b>Michael Terry</b> (UMass Amherst) <i>The simple past and present perfect in African-American English</i></p>

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