

**Diachronic Syntax in Slavonic Languages:
Gradual Changes in Focus
(Regensburg, 5-6 December 2008)**

PROGRAM

| FRIDAY 5/12/2008 | | |
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| 8.55 - 9.00 | Opening | |
| | Chair: <i>Peter Kosta</i> | |
| 9.00 - 9.30 | RADOSLAV VEČERKA (Brno) | Entwicklungsvoraussetzungen und Triebkräfte der slavischen Syntax |
| 9.30 - 10.00 | ALEXANDER KRASOVITSKY, MATTHEW BAERMAN, DUNSTAN BROWN, GREVILLE CORBETT & ALISON LONG (Guildford) | Morphosyntactic Change in Russian: A Corpus-based Approach |
| 10.00 - 10.30 | KRZYSZTOF MIGDALSKI (Wrocław/Connecticut) | The Diachronic Syntax of Perfective Auxiliaries in Polish |
| 10.30 - 11.00 | HAKYUNG JUNG (Seoul) | Preconditions and Triggers of the Development of the North Russian Possessive Perfect |
| 11.00 - 11.30 | Coffee Break | |
| | Chair: <i>Giuliana Giusti</i> | |
| 11.30 - 12.00 | PETER KOSTA (Potsdam) | Zur Grammatikalisierung von impersonalen Sätzen und zum Problem der Kasuszuweisung und Kasuskompetition im Russischen vom Standpunkt des Sprachwandels |
| 12.00 - 12.30 | GILBERT RAPPAPORT (Austin) | The Grammaticalization of the Category <i>Masculine Personal</i> in West Slavic: A Work in Progress |
| 12.30 - 13.00 | JAN IVAR BJØRNFLATEN (Oslo) | The Formation of Gerunds in the Slavic Languages as a Process of Grammaticalization |
| 13.00 - 14.30 | Lunch | |
| | Chair: <i>Alexander Krasovitsky</i> | |
| 14.30 - 15.00 | JASMINA GRKOVIĆ-MAJOR (Novi Sad) | The Role of Syntactic Transitivity in the Development of Slavic Syntactic Structures |
| 15.00 - 15.30 | BJØRN HANSEN (Regensburg) | On the Gradualness and Gradiance of Modal Constructions and Epistemic Adverbial Constructions |
| 15.30 - 16.00 | JULIA MCANALLEN (Berkeley) | Divergent Paths of Development in Slavic: The Effects of Language Contact on Predicative Possession |
| 16.00 - 16.30 | ROLAND MEYER (Regensburg) | Diachronic Changes in Pro-Drop and Subject Pronominalization in Russian and Czech |
| 16.30 - 17.00 | Coffee Break | |
| | Chair: <i>Karel Kučera</i> | |
| 17.00 - 17.30 | MIRJAM FRIED (Princeton) | A Construction Grammar Approach to Grammatical Change |
| 17.30 - 18.00 | MARIJA GRISHMANOVA-LAZAR (Hamburg) | Position des Reflexivpronomens „s'a“ im russischen Gebrauchsschriftum |
| 18.30 - 19.00 | ACHIM RABUS (Freiburg) | Zur Entwicklung der Subordination im Ruthenischen |

SATURDAY 6/12/2008

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| | Chair: <i>Gilbert Rappaport</i> | |
| 9.00 - 9.30 | DAVID WILLIS (Cambridge) | New Markers of Negation in Slavonic Languages |
| 9.30 - 10.00 | LJUBA VESELINOVA (Stockholm) | Standard and Special Negators in Slavic Languages: Synchrony and Diachrony |
| 10.00 - 10.30 | MOJMÍR DOČEKAL (Brno) | Loosing Negation: From N-word to Indefinites |
| 10.30 - 11.00 | MILA DIMITROVA- VULCHANOVA, VALENTIN VULCHANOV & GIULIANA GIUSTI (Trondheim & Venice) | Nominal Expressions in Flux: The Status of the Universal Quantifier in Old Bulgarian |
| 11.00 - 11.30 | Coffee Break | |
| | Chair: <i>Jasmina Grković-Major</i> | |
| 11.30 - 12.00 | KAREL KUČERA (Prague) | Using a Diachronic Corpus: Mapping the Historical Continuum |
| 12.00 - 12.30 | BJÖRN WIEMER (Mainz) | The Transition from Perceptual and Epistemic Meanings to Hearsay and Hedging |
| 12.30 - 13.00 | MARIUS JØRNDAL, HANNE ECKHOFF & DAG HAUG (Oslo) | The PROIEL Parallel Corpus of Old Indo-European Translations of the New Testament |
| 13.00 - 13.30 | HAUKE BARTELS (Cottbus) | Das (diachrone) Textkorpus der niedersorbischen Schriftsprache als Basis für Sprachwandelforschung |
| 13.30 | End | |