

Linguistics and Asian Languages (LAL) 2025

16-17 March 2025 Adam Mickiewicz University, Poznań



Day 1 Sunday, 16 March

09:00	Opening Remarks Szymon Grzelak	(Adam Mickiewicz University)
09:15 - 09:50	Mrunmayee Amshekar Spatial Deixis in Tawang Monpa	(Indian Institute of Technology Kanpur)
09:50 - 10:25	Tianyi Du A Comparative Study of Functional Verbs of the Passive Voice in Japanese and Chinese: Focusing on the Chinese Expression <i>chi</i> , Corresponding to <i>taberu</i> and <i>kuu</i>	(Ritsumeikan University)
10:25 - 10:45	Coffee	

Student Session

10:45 - 11:10	Maho Osaki and Shiori Uruma Selectional Criteria of Aspectual Forms for Progressive Aspect: A Contrastive Analysis of <i>toru</i> and <i>yoru</i> Forms in Saito and Tamano Dialects.	(Ritsumeikan University)
11:10 - 11:35	Soonwook Kwon Syntactic Diversity of Korean MMCs: A Study through Cleft Construction and Topicalization	(Ritsumeikan University)
11:35 - 12:00	Zuzanna Łojska The Use of Kinship Term <i>eonni</i> in the Language of Women Online Community	(Adam Mickiewicz University)

12:00 - 13:30	Lunch	
13:30 - 14:05	Valerie Kiel The Grammar of Karmic Retribution: Passive Constructions in the <i>Nihon Ryōiki</i>	(Ruhr University Bochum)
14:05 - 14:40	Julien Baley and Nathan Hill (SOAS, University of London & Trinity College Dublin) The Development of Old Chinese medial *-r- by the time of Late Han Chinese – a study of Chinese Transcriptions of Buddhist terms	
14:40 - 15:15	Joanna Tuczyńska Tagore's Bengali Transcreation of the Ṛgvedic Hymns 7.89.2-4 in a Cognitive Framework: Sanskrit Poetics and the Conceptual Blending Theory.	(University of Warsaw)
15:15 - 15:35	Coffee	
15:35 - 16:10	Pui Yee Yuen (Leibniz-Zentrum Allgemeine Sprachwissenschaft ZAS) Sociative Causative <i>zing</i> in Cantonese	
16:10 - 16:45	Yusuke Yoda (Toyo Gakuen University) Speaker-Oriented Expressions within Syntax: Lessons from Role Language	
16:45 - 17:20	Pu Meng (George Mason University) Tense and Aspect in Weifang	
18:00	Conference Dinner	

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Day 2 Monday, 17 March

09:00 Welcome Address

Professor Rafał Witkowski (AMU Vice-Rector for International Cooperation)

Keynote Lecture

09:30 - 10:30 **Koichiro Nakamura** (*Hyogo University of Teacher Education*)
A Cartographic Investigation of Topic Constructions: With Special Reference to Italian, German, English, Hungarian, Chinese, and Japanese

10:30 - 10:50 Coffee

10:50 - 11:25 **Ruchira Palihawadana** (*Kyoto University*)
Interrelations of Quantity, Degree, and Approximation in the Japanese Abstract Noun *hodo*

11:25 - 12:00 **Kan Sasaki** (*Ritsumeikan University*)
Syntactic Heterogeneity of Japanese Mermaid Constructions

12:00 - 13:30 Lunch

13:30 - 14:05 **I-Hsuan Chiang** (*Jagiellonian University Cracow*)
笑死 (*xiàosǐ*) as a Digital Discourse Marker: Pragmatic Functions and Emotional Flattening in Online Communication

14:05 - 14:40 **Lukas Rieser** (*Tokyo University of Agriculture and Technology*)
Evidential and Epistemic Bias as Indirect Communication Strategies

14:40 - 15:15 **Saltanat Bissembayeva and Sandugash Sansyzbayeva** (*K. Zhubanov Aktobe Regional University & al-Farabi Kazakh National University*)
Pragmatic Parameters of the Gender-Marked Word 'aiel' in the Kazakh Language

15:15 - 15:35 Coffee

15:35 - 16:10 **Michal Schwarz** (*Masaryk University*)
Languages and Patterns of Linguistic Exchanges in East Asian Tributary Relations

16:10 - 16:45 **Anna Borowiak** (*Adam Mickiewicz University*)
Deblental Homosignificative Confusiva of Foreign Origin Used in Contemporary Korean

16:45 - 17:20 **Szymon Grzelak** (*Adam Mickiewicz University*)
Loanwords in Japanese as Near-Synonyms