

	Friday	
8:30-9:20	Registration & Breakfast Building 46 (43 Vassar St.) 3rd floor Atrium	
9:20-9:30	Opening Remarks (in session rooms)	
	9:30-10:30	
	Session A	Session B
	Room: BCS McGovern seminar room (46-3189)	Room: BCS Singleton Auditorium (46-3002)
	Session Chair: Claire Halpert	Session Chair: Jeremy Hartman
	Explaining non-native consonant cluster processing Lisa Davidson (NYU) & Colin Wilson (Johns Hopkins) Phonological rule change: The constant rate effect Josef Fruehwald, Jonathan Gress-Wright, & Joel Wallenberg (UPenn)	The syntax of comparative numerals Karlos Arregi (University of Chicago) Irreversible binding Martha McGinnis (University of Calgary)
10:30-11:00	Break	
	11:00-12:30	
	Session A	Session B
	Room: BCS McGovern seminar room (46-3189)	Room: BCS Singleton Auditorium (46-3002)
	Chair: Gillian Gallagher	Chair: Alya Asarina
	Learning a novel accent: Implicit acquisition of phonological alternations Katrin Skoruppa & Sharon Peperkamp (LSCP Paris) Naïve parameter learning for Optimality Theory - The hidden structure problem Gaja Jarosz (Yale) The phonetics and phonology of fricative non-neutralization in Turkish Andreea Nicolae & Andrew Nevins (Harvard)	Wh-reciprocals, quantifier raising, and phasehood Ryan Bennett (UCSC) Ways of Wh-coordination Barbara Citko (University of Washington) & Martina Gracanin-Yuksek (METU) Maximalization and the definite reading in Mandarin wh-conditionals Chloe Gu (UMass Amherst)
12:30-2:00	Lunch (not provided)	
	2:00-3:30	
	Session A	Session B
	Room: BCS McGovern seminar room (46-3189)	Room: BCS Singleton Auditorium (46-3002)
	Chair: Peter Graff	Chair: Iain Giblin
	Challenging locality in constraint indexation: Epenthesis in the Vedic perfect Adam Cooper (Cornell) Initial syllable faithfulness as the best model of word-size effects in alternations Michael Becker & Andrew Nevins (Harvard) Underapplication of vowel reduction in Majorcan Catalan and in other Romance languages Clàudia Pons Moll (Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona)	The non-existence of a phi-feature dependency between T° and C° Liliane Haegeman (Ghent) & Marjo van Koppen (Utrecht) Agree to remain silent: The syntactic licensing of ellipsis Lobke Aelbrecht (Ghent) Variability in Icelandic agreement: An interaction of DP licensing and Multiple Agree Cherlon Ussery (Carleton College)
3:30-4:00	Break	
	4:00-5:00	
	Session A	Session B
	Room: BCS McGovern seminar room (46-3189)	NOTE: Room change to Stata 141 (32-141)
	Chair: Bronwyn Bjorkman	Chair: Luka Crnic
	Exceptions in stress assignment: Feet in input Öner Özçelik (McGill) On the nature and distribution of successive cyclicity Marcel den Dikken (CUNY)	On 'restricted degrees' Alexander Grosu (Tel Aviv University) & Hadas Kotek (MIT) Do children know when their room counts as clean? Francesca Foppolo & Francesca Panzeri (Università degli Studi di Milano Bicocca)
5:10-6:40	Invited speaker: Room: Stata 123 (32-123) Michael Ullman (Georgetown): Memory, language, brain and sex; commentator-led discussion with commentator Adam Albright Reception to follow	

	Saturday	
8:30-9:30	Breakfast (Bldg. 46 Atrium)	
	9:30-10:30	
	Session A	Session B
	Room: BCS McGovern seminar room (46-3189)	Room: BCS Singleton Auditorium (46-3002)
	Chair: Maria Giavazzi	Chair: Michael Erlewine
	To alternate or not to alternate: What is the boundary? Jennifer Michaels (MIT) Morpho-phonological edge effects and their implications Eva Dobler (McGill)	Plural epistemic indefinites Luis Alonso-Ovalle (UMass Boston) & Paula Menendez-Benito (Goettingen) Epsitemic modality and indexicality Vincent Homer (UCLA)
10:30-11:00	Break	
	11:00-12:30	
	Session A	Session B
	Room: BCS McGovern seminar room (46-3189)	Room: BCS Singleton Auditorium (46-3002)
	Chair: Jonah Katz	Chair: Tue Trinh
	Morphological alternations at the intonational phrase edge (in K'ichee') Robert Henderson (UCSC) Recursivity and binarity in prosodic phrasing: Evidence from Connemara Irish Emily Elfner (UMass Amherst/UCSC) Prosodic effects in word order: Evidence from Ukranian Svitlana Antonyuk-Yudina (Reed, SUNY Stonybrook) & Roksolana Mykhaylyk (SUNY Stonybrook)	Shifted indexicals in Uyghur Kirill Shklovsky & Yasutada Sudo (MIT) Counterfactuals, negation, and polarity Michela Ippolito & Julia Su (University of Toronto) Non-restrictive relative clauses within a unidimensional semantics Philippe Schlenker (CNRS)
12:30-2:00	Lunch (provided; Atrium)	
	2:00-3:30	
	Session A	Session B
	Room: BCS McGovern seminar room (46-3189)	Room: BCS Singleton Auditorium (46-3002)
	Chair: Natasha Ivlieva	Chair: Marie-Christine Meyer
	Prepositional versus verbal causitivizers Miyoko Yasui (Dokkyo) The syntax of syncretism Bronwyn Bjorkman (MIT) On inflectional and derivational diminutives Marijke De Belder (CRISSP/Utrecht/HUBrussels), Noam Faust (Université Paris VII), & Nicola Lampitelli (Université Paris VII)	Disjunction in Wh-questions Andreas Haida & Sophie Repp (Humboldt University, Berlin) Some observations on the semantic types of question-embedding verbs Lance Nathan (Northeastern) Quantificational properties of ne-Wh items in Russian Natalia Kondrashova (University of Michigan) & Radek Simik (Groningen)
3:30-4:00	Break	
	4:00-5:00	
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	Room: BCS McGovern seminar room (46-3189)	Room: BCS Singleton Auditorium (46-3002)
	Chair: Alexander Podobryaev	Chair: Hadas Kotek
	Meaning targets in syntax and morphology: A study of Hupa agreement Amy Campbell (UC Berkeley) Elaborations on Cyclic Agree: A window into phonology/syntax mismatch Bethany Lochbihler (McGill)	The interpretation of the German specificity markers "bestimmt" and "gewiss" Christian Ebert (Bielefeld), Cornelia Ebert (Osnabruck), & Stefan Hinterwimmer (Humboldt University, Berlin) Two sides of the same pragmatic move: The German discourse particles etwa and nicht Simone Gieselman & Ivano Caponigro (UCSD)
5:00.	Business Meeting	
	Room: BCS Singleton Auditorium (46-3002)	
6:15.	Party at MIT Museum	
	BUILDING N51 265 MASSACHUSETTS AVENUE (begins 15 min after the Business Meeting ends; dinner is included)	

	Sunday		
8:30	Breakfast (Bldg. 46 Atrium)	Breakfast	Breakfast
		Workshop Phonological Similarity Perceptual and Articulatory Bases and Links to Grammatical Mechanisms	Workshop Semantics Workshop on Pronouns
		Room: BCS McGovern seminar room (46-3189)	Room: BCS Picower seminar room (46-3310)
9:00		9:00-9:30 The Language Specificity of Similarity Avoidance Constraints: Evidence from Segmentation René Kager, Natalie Boll-Avetisyan & Ao Chen (Utrecht)	9:00-10:00 A Unified Account of the Properties of German Demonstrative Pronouns Stefan Hinterwimmer
9:30	9:30-10:30	9:30-10:00 Perceptual similarity in laryngeal cooccurrence restrictions Gillian Gallagher (MIT)	Commentator: Florian Schwarz
	Room: BCS Singleton Auditorium (46-3002)		
	Chair: Kirill Shklovsky		
	Linearization and the architecture of grammar: A view from the Final-over-Final constraint Theresa Biberauer (U. of Cambridge/Stellenbosch), Anders Holmberg (Newcastle), & Ian Roberts (U. of Cambridge)		
10:00	The resuscitation of the CED Michelle Sheehan (Newcastle)	10:00-10:30 Lexical Similarity and Speech Production: Neighborhoods for Nonwords Rebecca Scarborough (University of Colorado)	10:00-11:00 Donkey Anaphora in French Sign Language Philippe Schlenker
10:30	Break	Break	Commentator: Kai von Fintel
11:00	11:00-12:30	11:00-11:30 Perceptual distance in Norwegian retroflexion Sverre Stausland Johnsen (Harvard)	Break
	Room: BCS Singleton Auditorium (46-3002)		
	Chair: Liudmila Nikolaeva		
11:30	VP-scrambling, linearization preservation, and the theories of control Kensuke Takita (Nanzan) Paths in remnant movement: A single solution to three problems in the Polish OVS syntax Bartosz Wiland (Poznan)	11:30-12:00 Testing the P-map hypothesis I: Coda devoicing Shigeto Kawahara (Rutgers)	11:30-12:30 When and why can 1st and 2nd person pronouns be bound variables? Rose Marie Dechaine & Martina Wiltschko
12:00	Testing Greenberg's Universal 18 using an artificial language learning paradigm Jennifer Culbertson (Johns Hopkins)		Commentator: Seth Cable
12:30	Lunch (provided)	Lunch (provided)	12:30-1:30 Strictly Bound and Strictly Free Pronouns in Tangale Andreas Haida
1:00		1:00-1:30 Articulatory and Perceptual Similarity in Intervocalic Lenition Abby Kaplan (UC Santa Cruz)	Commentator: Polly Jacobson
1:30		1:30-2:00 Perceptual Similarity does not Account for Repairs of Non-native Phonotactics Lisa Davidson & Jason Shaw (NYU)	Lunch (provided)
2:00	2:00-3:30	Invited Speaker: Keith Johnson (UC Berkeley)	
	Room: BCS Singleton Auditorium (46-3002)		
	Chair: Sam Al Khatib		
2:30	Parameterizing Case Theory: Raising verbs in Bantu Vicki Carstens (University of Missouri) & Michael Diercks (Georgetown) The crosslinguistic distribution of polydefinites: case and expletive determiners Marika Lekakou (Meertens Institute) & Kriszta Szendroi (UCL)		
3:00	A unified analysis of the Person Case Constraint and 3-3-effects in Barceloni Catalan Martin Walkow (UMass Amherst)	General Discussion	