

Deictic Communication – Theory and Application

8-9 July 2019

TPSC Building, [University of East Anglia](#)

PROGRAMME

TIME	Event	Location
Monday 8 July 2019		
08.45-09.15	Registration	TPSC Foyer
09.15	Welcome and Introduction <i>Kenny Coventry, University of East Anglia</i>	TPSC Lecture Theatre
09.30	Keynote: Gesture as a Mechanism of Change <i>Susan Goldin Meadow, University of Chicago</i>	TPSC Lecture Theatre
10.30	Coffee Break	TPSC Foyer
11.00	Non-verbal communication patterns in typically developing children, children with Autism and children at high risk for ASD in a gesture elicitation interactive task <i>Sara Ramos Cabo, Norwegian University of Science and Technology</i>	TPSC Lecture Theatre
11.30	Gesture space and speech acts: Multimodal strategies for establishing joint action <i>Laura Ruth-Hirrell, California State University Northridge</i>	TPSC Lecture Theatre
12.00	Deictic communication in Italian Sign Language (LIS): encoding perspective of indicating verbs <i>Anita Slonimska, ISTC, CNR Rome, & Radboud University, Nijmegen</i>	TPSC Lecture Theatre
12.30	On the Selection and Use of Spatial Demonstratives <i>David Peeters, Tilburg University</i>	TPSC Lecture Theatre
13.00	Lunch	TPSC Foyer

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14.00	Keynote: The Targeting System of Language: unifying deixis and anaphora <i>Leonard Talmy, University at Buffalo</i>	TPSC Lecture Theatre
15.00	Spatial deixis in Spanish motion events <i>Iraide Ibarretxe-Antuñano Andrea Ariño-Bizarro, Universidad de Zaragoza</i>	TPSC Lecture Theatre
15.30	Cross-linguistic Investigation on Deixis and Bilingualism: Spatial Demonstratives in Spanish and Catalan Mallorcan <i>Emanuela Todisco, Universitat de les Illes Balears</i>	TPSC Lecture Theatre
16.00	Coffee break and POSTER SESSION	TPSC Foyer
17.15	Close	
18.15-19.00	Optional Guided Tour of The Sainsbury Centre collections (SCVA) <i>Bookable in advance</i>	SCVA
19.00	Welcome drinks	Kofra, SCVA
19.30	Conference dinner	Modern Life Café, SCVA
Tuesday 9 July 2019		
09.30	Keynote: Abstract concepts and action <i>Anna Borghi, Sapienza University of Rome</i>	TPSC Lecture Theatre
10.30	Replicating Infants' Behaviours with a Babybot: Early Comprehension of Pointing Gestures <i>Baris Serhan, School of Computer Science, The University of Manchester</i>	TPSC Lecture Theatre
11.00	Here and there, how and where. Bilateral network of dorsal regions supports comprehension of spatial demonstratives in naturalistic language processing <i>Roberta Rocca, Department of Linguistics, Cognitive Science and Semiotics, Aarhus University</i>	TPSC Lecture Theatre

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11.30	Coffee break	TPSC Foyer
12.00	Iconicity in spatial deixis: A cross-linguistic study of 180 demonstrative systems Merlijn Breunese, <i>Friedrich-Schiller-Universität Jena</i>	TPSC Lecture Theatre
12.30	The Demonstrative Choice Task: Mapping the semantics of personality Mikkel Wallentin, <i>Department of Linguistics, Cognitive Science and Semiotics, Aarhus University</i>	TPSC Lecture Theatre
13.00	Exploring the acquisition of Deictic Motion verbs in L2 Spanish and L2 Modern Greek Maria Andria & Alberto Hijazo-Gascón, <i>National and Kapodistrian University of Athens, & University of East Anglia</i>	TPSC Lecture Theatre
13.30	Lunch	TPSC Foyer
14.30	On the Use of Deep Models for Gesture-Word Understanding in Developmental Robotics Gabiella Pizzuto, <i>Machine Learning and Optimisation Group, The University of Manchester</i>	TPSC Lecture Theatre
15.00	Digitally Mediated Gesture and Speech in the Description of Symbols Bryan Maddox & David Edwards, <i>University of East Anglia and Assessment MicroAnalytics & ACT Next</i>	TPSC Lecture Theatre
15.30	PANEL DISCUSSION	TPSC Lecture Theatre
16.30	Conference end with coffee for those who want to network	TPSC Foyer
17.00	Close	



Accommodation suggestions:

Best Western Annesley, Norwich

<http://www.bw-annesleyhouse.co.uk/> (residential location - 10 minutes by taxi to Conference venue, 45 minute walk; 10 minute walk to Norwich centre)

Approximate price £90 per night

The Maids Head Hotel (central Norwich venue – 30 minutes by bus to Conference venue; 10 minute walk to Railway Station)

<https://www.hotelsone.com/norwich-hotels-gb/the-maids-head-hotel.html>

Approximate price £110 per night

Broadview Lodge (on University campus – 5 minute walk to Conference venue)

<https://www.uea.ac.uk/about/visiting-staying/visitor-accommodation/broadview-lodge>

Approximate price £55 per night

Also: These Premier Inn hotels

[Norwich Nelson](#) – opposite the Railway Station, frequent bus to Conference Venue

[Norwich City Centre Duke Street](#) – easy walking to Norwich centre for regular bus to Conference Venue

Travelling:

Into Norwich Airport <https://www.norwichairport.co.uk/> - regular KLM flights to and from [Amsterdam Schiphol](#)

Or into one of the London Airports and travel by train eg [London Stansted](#) and <http://www.nationalrail.co.uk/>

General information:

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Presentations

Please send a copy of any presentation to Jackie Orford via J.Orford@uea.ac.uk

Venue Key:

TPSC Thomas Paine Study Centre on Chancellor's Drive, University of East Anglia

SCVA Sainsbury Centre for Visual Arts, University of East Anglia <https://scva.ac.uk/about/about-scva>