

ELAN: Multimodality in the Linguistic Analysis of Sign and Oral Languages

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Description:

This workshop is aimed at researchers interested in the multimodal analysis of oral and sign languages using the programme ELAN. In order to analyse the linguistic interchange, it is necessary to be able to take into account the complete communicative context, including the visual component of language. Current technology allows us to store and recover multimedia files and ELAN will allow us to include the oral and visual elements captured in the holistic linguistic interaction. In this workshop we will learn how to use ELAN to analyse and annotate not only gestures used in oral languages but also manual and non manual signs employed in signed languages. The workshop will be divided into three parts: the first day, a theoretical background showing the importance of the visual component in language will be presented. The second day, a hands on approach to using ELAN will be carried out. The third day, the participants will be divided into two groups according to their interest in either sign language or oral language.

Important information:

The workshop will be held in English.

Participants must bring their own laptops with the latest version of ELAN 4.8.1 (<https://tla.mpi.nl/tools/tla-tools/elan/>) and their own video recording equipment.

Registration:

4st-18th May 2015

Google Form at <http://goo.gl/forms/R5L2G43rZu>

How to arrive to US



Registration



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Programme

Thursday, 28th May

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| 15:00 - 15:20 | <i>Registration</i> |
| 15:30 - 17:30 | The importance of multimodality in language analysis |
| 17:30 - 18:00 | <i>Coffee break</i> |
| 18:00 - 20:00 | The importance of multimodality in language analysis and how to record data |
| 20:00 - 21:00 | Recording session indoors and outdoors |

Friday, 29th May

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| 9:00 - 11:00 | Review of recordings and equipment guidance |
| 11:00 - 11:30 | <i>Coffee break</i> |
| 11:30 - 13:30 | ELAN: coding the visual component of language |

13:30-15:30 Lunch

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| 15:30 - 17:30 | ELAN: coding the visual component of language |
| 17:30 - 18:00 | <i>Coffee break</i> |
| 18:00 - 20:00 | ELAN: coding the visual component of language |

Saturday, 30th May

Workshop A Oral languages Prof. Mandana Seyfeddinipur

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| 9:00 -11:00 | ELAN: coding the visual component of oral languages |
| 11:00 - 11:30 | <i>Coffee break</i> |
| 11:30 - 13:30 | ELAN: coding the visual component of oral languages |

Workshop B Sign languages Prof. Pamela Perniss

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| 9:00 - 11:00 | ELAN: coding sign languages |
| 11:00 - 11:30 | <i>Coffee break</i> |
| 11:30 - 13:30 | ELAN: coding sign languages |