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 The University of Texas at Austin

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This year's keynote speakers



Dr. Rusty Barrett

Associate Professor of Linguistics
 at University of Kentucky

Dr. Courtney Handman

Assistant Professor of Anthropology
 at the University of Texas at Austin

Dr. Diana Boxer

Distinguished Teaching Scholar and
 Professor of Linguistics at University of Florida

Dr. Norma Mendoza-Denton

Professor of Anthropology
 at University of California, Los Angeles



Friday, April 15

Session 1 - *Language Contact*
 [9:15 - 10:55 AM]

Keynote 1 - Courtney Handman
 Language without Voice: The Circulation of Pidgin
 English in Colonial New Guinea
 [11:00 - 11:50 AM]

Session 2 - *Socialization*
 [1:00 - 2:40 PM]

Session 3 - *Performance*
 [2:50 - 4:30 PM]

Keynote 2 - Rusty Barrett
 A (not entirely *unprincipled*) defense of the
 proposition: When a language lives a culture lives
 [4:40 - 5:30 PM]

Saturday, April 16

Session 4 - *Identity*
 [9:15 - 10:55 AM]

Keynote 3 - Diana Boxer
 Raising Women's Voices
 in Global Political Leadership
 [11:00 - 11:50 AM]

Session 5 - *Sound*
 [1:00 - 2:40 PM]

Session 6 - *Gender*
 [2:50 - 4:30 PM]

Keynote 4 - Norma Mendoza-Denton
 By boys for boys: The entanglement of designers,
 objects, and players in videogame interactions
 [4:40 - 5:30 PM]

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