

**Syntax of the World's Languages 4**  
**Thursday 23 – Sunday 26 September 2010**  
**Programme (last updated September 20, 2010)**

Thursday 23 September			
9.30 – 11.30	Registration — André Bollier Room		
11.30 – 12.00	Opening session — Marc Bloch Lecture Hall		
12.00 – 13.20	Lunch Break		
	Marc Bloch Lecture Hall	Elise Rivet Room	André Bollier Room
	<i>Possessive constructions</i>	<i>Clause chaining, serial verb constructions, multi-verb constructions, sequentiality</i>	<i>Agreement, pronominal clitics, co-reference</i>
13.20 – 13.50	<b>I. Nikolaeva</b> Possessive future in Tundra Nenets	<b>B. Yos</b> Contribution à l'étude sur les constructions de verbes en série (CVS) en khmer contemporain	<b>N. Serdobolskaya</b> Backward control in connection with the principles of the Binding theory (based on the data of Qunqi Dargwa)
14.00 – 14.30	<b>M. Haspelmath</b> Adnominal possessive constructions in pidgins and creoles: First results from the Atlas of Pidgin and Creole Language Structures	<b>M. Vuillermet</b> Ese'ejja temporal subordinate clauses: A tripartite co-reference system	<b>N. Sumbatova</b> Copula agreement in Dargwa : the case of Tanti
14.40 – 15.10	<b>M. Van de Velde</b> Non-canonical genitive constructions in the Bantu languages	<b>D. Forker</b> Multi-verb structures in Hinuq	<b>D. Erschler</b> On optionality in grammar: The case of East Iranian almost Wackernagel clitics
15.20 – 15.50	<b>F. Copin</b> La prédication possessive tupi-guarani : une incorporation nominale cachée	<b>F. Hsieh</b> Syntactic Coding of Temporally Sequential Events in Paiwan	<b>K. Hannß</b> Pronominal clitics at the interface of syntax and pragmatics: evidence from Chipaya

15.50 – 16.20	Coffee break — Cafet'U		
	Marc Bloch Lecture Hall <i>Case marking</i>	Elise Rivet Room <i>Clause chaining, serial verb constructions, multi-verb constructions, sequentiality</i>	André Bollier Room <i>Co-reference, reflexivity, reciprocity</i>
16.20 – 16.50	<b>B. Bickel, A. Witzlack-Makarevich &amp; T. Zakharko</b> Alignment across the lexicon	<b>O. Belyaev</b> Coordination and subordination in Dargi languages (Icari, Qunqi and Ashti)	<b>K. Bostoen</b> Reflexive-reciprocal polysemy in South-Western Bantu: typology and origins
17.00 – 17.30	<b>A. Montaut</b> Mapping of oblique arguments and case marking in Central Pahari: an inquiry in the casual system of Garhwali	<b>V. Khurshudian</b> Serial Verb Constructions in Standard Eastern Armenian	<b>N. Cáceres</b> La coréférentialité en ye'kwana
17.30 – 18.00	Break		
18.00 – 19.00	Plenary talk: <b>E. König</b> : Manner deixis as a source of grammaticalization — IEP Lecture Hall		
19.00 – 20.00	Cocktail party — IEP, Michel Seurat Room		

Friday 24 September			
	Marc Bloch Lecture Hall	Elise Rivet Room	André Bollier Room
	<i>Argument structure, transitivity, valency alternations</i>	<i>Complex sentences, subordination, de-subordination</i>	<i>Ditransitivity</i>
9.00 – 9.30	<b>R. Lambert-Bretière</b> Discourse-based transitivity in Kwoma	<b>S. Cristofaro</b> Typological explanations and diachrony: iconicity vs. semantic extension in the distribution of complementizers	<b>C. Lux</b> Ditransitivity in Tetserret, Endangered Berber Language
9.40 – 10.10	<b>M. Mous &amp; M. Ngom</b> No transitivity in Seereer? (Atlantic NC, Senegal)	<b>D. Erschler &amp; V. Volk</b> On clause-internal complementizers in Ossetic and Pamiri	<b>K. Krapivina</b> Ditransitives in Nanai
10.10 – 10.40	Coffee break — Cafet'U and ISH cafeteria		
	Marc Bloch Lecture Hall	Elise Rivet Room	André Bollier Room
	<i>Argument structure, transitivity, valency alternations</i>	<i>Complex sentences, subordination, de-subordination</i>	<i>Definiteness, number, noun classification</i>
10.40 – 11.10	<b>R. Matasović</b> Reflexives and causatives in Kabardian	<b>A. Alvarez Gonzalez</b> Evolution de la complexité syntaxique en langue yaqui (famille uto-aztèque): le cas de la proposition causale	<b>A. Schwarz</b> Specificity and number in the noun class systems of Buli and Konni
11.20 – 11.50	<b>M. Renaudier</b> Morphological causatives in Seereer	<b>V.I. Podlesskaya</b> Prosody of relativization	<b>C. Chamoreau</b> The rise of articles in Purepecha
12.00 – 12.30	<b>K. Janic</b> Role of semantic and pragmatic factors in object interpretation: the case of Polish antipassive constructions	<b>R. Schaefer &amp; F. Egbokhare</b> On Emai Adverbial Subordination Marking	<b>V. Vazquez-Rojas</b> The internal syntax of numeral classifiers in Purepecha

12.30 – 14.00	Lunch Break		
	Marc Bloch Lecture Hall <i>Miscellanea</i>	Elise Rivet Room <i>Complex sentences, subordination, de-subordination</i>	André Bollier Room <i>Co-reference, reflexivity, reciprocity</i>
14.00 – 14.30	<b>D. Gil</b> Agreement and the syntax of Roon	<b>C. Mauri &amp; A. Sansò</b> Interclausal relations and reality status – A typological survey	<b>E. Soselia</b> Georgian constructions conveying semantics of reciprocity
14.40 – 15.20	<b>D. Ponsford, A. Siewierska &amp; W. Hollmann</b> Betting with or without you: on the argument structure of betting constructions	<b>T. Pellard</b> Converbs and desubordination in Ōgami Ryukyuan	<b>Z. Khalilova</b> On the morphosyntax of the reciprocal construction in some Tsezic languages
15.20 – 15.50	Coffee break — Cafet'U		
	Marc Bloch Lecture Hall <i>Spatial relationships</i>	Elise Rivet Room <i>Complex sentences, subordination, de-subordination</i>	André Bollier Room <i>Argument structure, transitivity, valency alternations</i>
15.50 – 16.20	<b>S. Kittilä, K. Västi &amp; J. Ylikoski</b> Directional cases and adpositions: remarks on the coding of recipient, direction and vicinal direction in European Uralic	<b>H. Diessel, K. Schmidtke-Bode &amp; K. Hetterle</b> Linearization and syntactic structure in complex sentences	<b>K. Sasaki</b> Non-universality of reflexive analysis for anticausativization: Evidence from the Hokkaido dialect of Japanese
16.30 – 17.00	<b>C. Imbert</b> About satellites, applicatives and adpositions in Path coding: a gradience-of-categories perspective	<b>A. Soubrier</b> Les phrases complétives en Ikposo-Uwi, langue Kwa du Togo	<b>A. Sörés</b> La voix moyenne en hongrois. Interaction entre syntaxe, sémantique et morphologie.
17.00 – 18.00	Break		
18.00 – 19.00	Plenary talk: <b>C. Moyse</b> : The concept ‘return’ as a source of divergent developments in Oceanic languages — IEP Lecture Hall		

Saturday 25 September			
9.00 – 10.00	Plenary talk: <b>F. Zúñiga</b> : On symmetrical voice systems — IEP Lecture Hall		
10.00 – 10.30	Coffee break — Cafet'U		
	Marc Bloch Lecture Hall	Elise Rivet Room	André Bollier Room
	<i>Constituent order</i>	<i>Language contact, dialectology</i>	<i>Negation</i>
10.30 – 11.00	<b>S. DeLancey</b> Boro and the SOV Creoloid Prototype	<b>H. de Sousa</b> The Grammar of Southern Pinghua - 'biased' diffusion in a complex contact situation	<b>D. Idiatov</b> Clause-final negation as a Macro-Sudan areal feature
11.10 – 11.40	<b>F. Hamlaoui Fatima &amp; E.M. Makasso</b> Word order variation in Bäsäa wh-questions	<b>A. Murelli</b> Slavic dialect syntax in typological perspective: a first recognition	<b>G. Jendraschek</b> Negation in the Papuan language Iatmul
11.50 – 12.20	<b>H.L. Lin</b> Obligatory versus Optional Object Preposing in Taiwan Southern Min		<b>L. Konnerth</b> Morphosyntax of Negation in Karbi
12.20 – 14.00	Lunch Break		
14.00 – 15.00	Plenary talk: <b>L. Marten</b> : Locative and related inversions in Bantu — IEP Lecture Hall		
15.00 – 15.30	Coffee break — Cafet'U		

	Marc Bloch Lecture Hall	Elise Rivet Room	André Bollier Room
15.30 – 18.00	<i>Miscellanea</i>	<i>Discourse structure and syntax</i>	<i>Split intransitivity, ergativity</i>
15.30 – 16.00	<b>D.Y. Lin</b> A Syntactic Account of Nominalization in Kavalan	<b>A.C. Bassène &amp; G. Segerer</b> Les procédés de focalisation dans les parlers Joola	<b>H.L. Dao</b> A propos de l'Inaccusativité en vietnamien. Quand Passif rime avec Inaccusatif
16.10 – 16.40	<b>Z. Molochieva &amp; A. Witzlack-Makarevich</b> Noun-verb complex predicates in Chechen	<b>D. Matic</b> Tag questions and focus systems: Negative tags as focus markers in Even	<b>B. Fernández &amp; J. Ortiz de Urbina</b> Bivalent unergatives in Basque
16.50 – 17.20	<b>J. Milicevic</b> A Note on a Rare Case of Gapping in Serbian	<b>T. Maisak</b> Predicate topicalization in East Caucasian languages	<b>V. Vydrin</b> Ergative/Absolutive and Active/Stative alignments in Niger-Congo: The Southwestern Mande case
17.30 – 18.00	<b>R. Lacroix</b> From free relative clauses to topic markers: the case of Laz	<b>M. Vanhove</b> An intriguing focus and modality pattern in Beja	<b>E. Verhoeven</b> Syntactic ergativity in Cabécar (Chibcha)
18.00 – 19.30	Break		
19.30	Conference Dinner — Radisson BLU Hôtel, 129 rue Servient, 69003 Lyon		

Sunday 26 September			
	Marc Bloch Lecture Hall	Elise Rivet Room	André Bollier Room
9.00 – 10.50	<i>Ditransitivity, encoding of three participant events</i>	<i>Discourse structure and syntax</i>	<i>Relativization</i>
9.00 – 9.30	<b>A. Siewierska &amp; E. van Lier</b> Three-participant scenarios: assessing the combined effects of verb classes and referential hierarchies	<b>D.T. Do-Hurinville</b> A study of the Vietnamese marker <i>Mà</i>	<b>G. Authier</b> A new strategy for relative clauses in Caucasian Tat
9.40 – 10.10	<b>B. Fernandez &amp; M. Rezac</b> Dative displacement in Basque: Between dative and primary indirect objects	<b>J. van der Wal</b> The complicated relation between the Bantu verb and its devoted followers	<b>M. Daniel &amp; Y. Lander</b> A girl of word, meat of a ram, and a life of longing. On peculiar cases of relativization in East Caucasian Languages
10.20 – 10.50	<b>E. Van Lier &amp; K. Haude</b> The encoding of three-participant events in languages with referentially determined argument realization	<b>H. Willson</b> Marshallese wh- questions as pseudoclefts	<b>T. Nikitina</b> Left-dislocated constituents and relativizing constructions in Wan
11.00 – 11.30	Farewell coffee — ISH cafeteria		
11.30 – 13.30	Lunch Break		
14.30 – 16.30	Lyon sightseeing tour — Old Renaissance town		