



# CHRONOS 15

15TH INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE

**on Actionality, Tense, Aspect,  
Modality/Evidentiality**

**29-31 May 2024 Toulouse** (France)

UNIVERSITÉ TOULOUSE - JEAN JAURÈS  
**Nouvelle Maison de la Recherche (Amphi F417)**

# Wednesday May 29

8h30-9h00	Registration	
9h00-9h30	Opening session ( <b>AMPHI F417</b> )	
9h30-10h30	<b>PLENARY SPEAKER: PIER MARCO BERTINETTO</b> (Scuola Normale Superiore di Pisa) ( <b>AMPHI F417</b> ) Narrating in a radically tenseless language	
	<b>AMPHI F417</b>	<b>ROOM E412</b>
10h30-11h00	<b>Eloise Choi</b> Aspects for Default Present Tense: Evidence from English aux-drop construction	<b>Brenda Laca</b> «Narrative» tenses: on how the (Historical) Present may shed light on the Past(s)
11h00-11h30	<b>Beatrice-Andreea Pahontu Serafino</b> La conventionnalisation de l'avertif en roumain : une approche empirique de la périphrase a fi pe cale litt. 'être en voie de'	<b>Björn Wiemer</b> Layers of shifted, transpositional and original uses of perfective present in Slavic languages
11h30-12h00	<b>Patrick Caudal, Robert Mailhammer</b> Why so-called Australian imperfectives are not (just) general imperfectives	<b>Paola Esposito</b> Future Tense Markers from Temporal Adverbs: New Insights from Arabic
12h00-13h30	Lunch Break & Poster Session 1	
	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Peter Arkadiev, Evgeniya Klyagina</b> : Tense, finiteness and discourse coherence: Lessons from Abaza oral narratives</li> <li><b>Anna Kulikova</b> : Nor tense nor aspect: can Forest Nenets aorist qualify as perfect?</li> <li><b>Dalila Ayoun</b> : The acquisition of English modality by Francophone learners in second language (ESL) and foreign language (EFL) settings</li> <li><b>Ana Bravo</b> : The Spanish Future: Against a foretold dead</li> <li><b>Birgit Füreder</b> : Aspectual distinctions in Romance – a view from L2 acquisition</li> <li><b>Jacqueline Guéron</b> : Modality in the grammar</li> <li><b>Iva Kovač</b> : 'Know' at the crossroads of evidentiality and iterativity</li> <li><b>Rosa Ludovica Sovani Althea</b> : In between tenses and moods: theoretical challenges from Vedic Sanskrit</li> <li><b>Jiayu Jiang, Yan Gu</b> : Understanding Time in Children's Mind: Development of Mental Timeline and Temporal Orientation on Three Axes (<b>ZOOM</b>)</li> <li><b>Anna Alexandrova</b> : Avertives, proximatives and beyond: A typological perspective on the semantics of irresultativity (<b>ZOOM</b>)</li> <li><b>Karolina Berzina, Arkady Shaldov</b> : Baltic evidence to external aspect (<b>ZOOM</b>)</li> <li><b>Pavel Astafiev</b> : Tense, aspect, and definiteness: the case of the Russian factual imperfective (<b>ZOOM</b>)</li> <li><b>Ilaria Frana, Paula Menendez Benito</b> : X-marking and the Reportative Conditional (<b>ZOOM</b>)</li> </ol>	
13h30-14h00	Hommage à Co Vet ( <b>AMPHI F417</b> )	
14h00-15h00	<b>PLENARY SPEAKER: HENRIETTE DE SWART</b> (University of Utrecht) ( <b>AMPHI F417</b> ) Harry Potter and the cross-linguistic semantics of tense and aspect	
	<b>AMPHI F417</b>	<b>ROOM E412</b>
15h00-15h30	<b>Éric Corre</b> The expression of habituality across three different languages	<b>Maarten Boogards, Jens Fleischhauer, Roné Wierenga</b> A corpus-based analysis of periphrastic prospective constructions in West-Germanic
15h30-16h00	<b>John Lyon</b> Continuous Aspect in Nsyilxcn (Okanagan Salish)	<b>Susana Azpiazu Torres, Jakob Egetenmeyer</b> Ayer sentí que el tiempo ha pasado muy rápidamente. The Spanish compound past embedded under verbs of perception marked for perfective past
16h00-16h30	Coffee Break & Poster Session 1 (suite)	
16h30-17h00	<b>Olena Pchelintseva</b> Aspect, Type Frequency and Token Frequency of Slavic Verbal Nouns	<b>Dag Haug, Daniel Altschuler</b> Deriving the paradoxical effects of metalepsis
17h00-17h30	<b>Nina Dobrushina</b> From the verb 'say' to jussives and optatives: a story of one grammaticalization	<b>Ana Muller, Marta Donazzan</b> 'Before' and 'after', with and without
17h30-18h00	<b>Alexandra Evdokimova</b> What is punctual when you can stretch time? Actionality in Khwarshi proper	<b>Ruoying Zhao</b> Before degree achievements: Case study in Mandarin Chinese
18h00-18h30	<b>Murad Suleymanov, Monika Rind-Pawłowski</b> Vector verbs in the Caucasus: A comparative approach based on material from three language families	<b>Anne Le Draoulec, Josette Rebeyrolle</b> Après «après»... au tour de «ensuite». De l'émergence d'un nouveau marqueur pragmatique
18h30-19h30	Cocktail Party	

# Thursday May 30

9h00-10h00	<b>PLENARY SPEAKER: JANICE CARRUTHERS</b> (Queen's University, Belfast) <b>(AMPHI F417)</b> Temporality, Orality and Discourse Structuring	
	<b>AMPHI F417</b>	<b>ROOM E412</b>
10h00-10h30	<b>Louise Garrigou, Myriam Bras</b> Structuration temporelle du récit en occitan : comparaison écrit - oral sur un corpus de contes	<b>Daniela Palleschi</b> Elvis is dead: lifetime-tense congruence effects for the past, present (perfect), and future
10h30-11h00	Coffee Break	
11h00-11h30	<b>Xavier Bach</b> From expressing the past to expressing the future: the diachrony of the GO + infinitive periphrase in Occitan	<b>Giulia Greco</b> Verba dicendi et scribendi, future perfect and pluractionality: a case study.
11h30-12h00	<b>Adeline Patard, Mathieu Goux</b> [Aller + INF] : naissance et grammaticalisation d'une construction	<b>Eva Poliakova</b> Is it "where" or "when": on the past forms' opposition in Khwarshi
12h00-12h30	<b>Björn Wiemer, Peter Arkadiev, Piotr Wyroślak</b> Functional overlaps of tense distinctions in the non-past domain	<b>Patrick Dendale, Anne Vanderheyden</b> Évidentialité ou modalité épistémique: comment décider ? Le cas de 'sans doute' en français contemporain
12h30-14h00	Lunch Break & Poster Session 2 1. <b>Irene Gorbunova</b> : Comparative Modals: Introducing a new hierarchy 2. <b>Emmanuelle Labeau, Anne-Sophie Bally</b> : «It's hard to make predictions, but especially about the future": Diatopic, temporal and modal variation in horoscopes in French and English 3. <b>Marie Legentil</b> : L'imperfectif en rembarnga 4. <b>Hao Lin, Yan Gu</b> : Back to the past and down to the future: Asymmetric timeline expressions in Chinese Sign Language based on naturalistic data 5. <b>Vsevolod Masliukov</b> : Atelicity marking and scales: semantics of the Forest Nenets suffix -(m)p'o- 6. <b>Daria Mordashova</b> : Variable-force modality and inevitability in Tatyshly Udmurt: the case of the -ono modal form 7. <b>Tanja Mortelmans</b> : Modal verbs vs. modal adverbs: the expression of epistemic possibility in English, German and Dutch 8. <b>Inès Saddour</b> : Raconter des événements passés en langue seconde : étude longitudinale des moyens morphologiques employés par deux apprenantes syriennes dans leurs récits personnels à l'oral et à l'écrit 9. <b>Marianne Vergez-Couret, Myriam Bras</b> : Quels temps verbaux pour (ra)conter en occitan ? 10. <b>Julia Krebs, Evie Malaia, Ronnie Wilbur, Roehm Dietmar</b> : Visual Encoding of Event Structure in Sign Languages and Interpretation by Non-Signers <b>(ZOOM)</b> 11. <b>Julie Goncharov</b> : Pragmatics of intentions <b>(ZOOM)</b> 12. <b>Valeria Gradimondo, Lucia Tovenà</b> : Approximation and immediate proximity <b>(ZOOM)</b> 13. <b>Angelica Hill</b> : On the similarity of modals and causatives: Priming abstract modal mechanisms <b>(ZOOM)</b>	
14h00-15h00	<b>PLENARY SPEAKER: LERA BORODITSKY</b> (University of California, San Diego) <b>(AMPHI F417)</b> Time and space through language and culture	
	<b>AMPHI F417 (ZOOM SESSION)</b>	<b>ROOM E412</b>
15h00-15h30	<b>Evodie Schaffner, Mélanie Sandoz, Jean-François Démonet, Marion Fossard</b> Référence temporelle et cognition : le cas du marquage de l'aspect grammatical en français dans la maladie d'Alzheimer	<b>Astrid De Wit, Door Spruijt, Connie De Vos</b> The cognitive foundation of time: Evidence from the sign language Kata Kolok
15h30-16h00	<b>Francesca Masini, Beatrice Bernasconi</b> The expression of averativity in Italian: the periphrasis «fare per Vinŋ»	<b>Yan Gu, Hao Lin, Yejiu Zheng</b> Back to the future or the past? The effect of Chinese Sign Language (CSL) on deaf CSL-Mandarin bilinguals' spatial conceptualisation of time
16h00-16h30	Coffee Break & Poster Session 2 (suite)	
16h30-17h00	<b>Rebeka Kubitsch</b> Past tense systems in the languages of the Volga-Kama linguistic area	<b>Sylvia Schreiner</b> Imperfectives as spatiotemporal predicates
17h00-17h30	<b>Maksim Melenchenko</b> Mirativity as continuative evidentiality	<b>Aude Rebotier</b> La spécificité des futurs par opposition au présent futur – étude contrastive français, allemand, italien, polonais
17h30-18h00	<b>Adeline Chailly</b> Variations énonciatives dans des textes narratifs d'élèves de 8 à 11 ans.	<b>José Amenós-Pons, Aoife Ahern, Pedro Gujarró-Fuentes</b> Evidentiality and Bilingualism: Conjectural Future in Catalan Spanish Bilingual Speakers
18h00-18h30	<b>Natacha Cordonier, Marion Fossard</b> « Hier, il parlera » – Origine et nature des difficultés de flexion verbale dans l'aphasie	<b>Roxane Gagnon, Matthieu Merhan</b> Les « deux mondes énonciatifs » : vers des choix didactiques raisonnés, résonnants ?
20h00	Conference Dinner (registration required)	

9h00-10h00

**PLENARY SPEAKER: JAMES BEDNALL** (Charles Darwin University) **(ZOOM - AMPHI F417)**  
Topics in aspectuo-temporal expression in Anindilyakwa

**AMPHI F417 (ZOOM SESSION)**

**ROOM E412**

10h00-10h30

**Margaret Asperheim**  
Nukuoro demonstratives in the temporal domain

**Patrick Caudal**  
Apprehensives in Australian languages: a preliminary survey and tentative analysis

10h30-11h00

Coffee Break

11h00-11h30

**Aleksei Baklanov**  
Nominal Tense-like Categories in Siberia: a Case of Even and Possible Contact Influence

**Erika Asztalos**  
Resultatives grammaticalizing into perfects and past tense forms in Udmurt

11h30-12h00

**Sumedha Gupta**  
On the Tense-Aspect system of Koḍa

**Yejiu Zheng, Yan Gu, Rein Cozijn, Marc Swerts**  
Looking downward to the future: What eye movements reveal about Chinese people's conceptualisations of time

12h00-12h30

**Manfred Krifka**  
Epistemicity and Evidentiality in the Speech Act of Assertion: Syntax and Interpretation of Adverbs and Modal Verbs in German

**Rishabh Suresh**  
Tense as a Morpho-semantic Category in Dravidian: A Parallel Corpus-Based Study on Tamil

12h30-14h00

Lunch Break & Poster Session 3

1. **Jonathan MacDonald** : Evidence for an aspectual projection
2. **Vsevolod Masliukov, Anna Kulikova** : Progressive and Resultative: do opposites attract? A Northern Khanty case study
3. **Ana Stulic** : La locution conjonctive temporelle *en loka* en judéo-espagnol : étude diachronique
4. **Eleni Valma, Céline Corteel** : Analyse des stratégies de repérage et de classification du participe passé à valeur adjectivale chez des élèves de cycle 3
5. **Margot Vancauwenbergh, Astrid De Wit, Peter Petré** : Progressive uses of a parallel corpus: Using Europarl to trace cross-linguistic unconventionality in verbal constructions
6. **Qiujun Zhang, Maria Rosenberg** : An empirical study on the usage and the grammaticalization of the progressive *hålla på* construction in Swedish, including comparison with Dutch and German
7. **Jelena Zivoinovic, Natalia Jardón Pérez** : How to talk about the past in Torlak
8. **Federico Silvagni** : On the aspectual compatibility between secondary non-selected predications and copular clauses: a view from Spanish **(ZOOM)**
9. **Anujin Munkhbat** : Mongolian *-lee* suffix in the TAME domain **(ZOOM)**
10. **Jeanne Lecavelier** : Aspect and argument saturation: perfect(ive) particles in Standard Indonesian **(ZOOM)**
11. **Stellan Petersson** : Progressive Aspect in Swedish and English **(ZOOM)**
12. **Anastasia Tsilia, Zhuoye Zhao** : Why is then incompatible with the present? **(ZOOM)**
13. **Cecilia Mihaela Popescu** : Futur et conditionnel: convergences et divergences en contexte roman **(ZOOM)**

14h00-15h00

**PLENARY SPEAKER: DANIEL ALTSHULER** (University of Oxford) **(HYBRID - AMPHI F417)**  
Co-reference in (linguistic-)pictorial discourse

**AMPHI F417 (ZOOM SESSION)**

**ROOM E412**

15h00-15h30

**Louis De Saussure**  
Temporal and aspectual mismatches are pragmatically motivated

**Fabio Del Prete, Giuseppe Spolaore**  
Future tense and modal forcing

15h30-16h00

**Fabio Loporcaro**  
The Semantic Values of Indicative and Subjunctive in Evaluative Sentences with the Neuter Article in Spanish: A Qualitative Analysis of "lo bueno es que"

**Tom Koss**  
Future tenses and future-time reference across languages

16h00-16h30

Coffee Break & Poster Session 3 (suite)

16h30-17h00

**Giuliano Armenante**  
Embedded tense and adverbial modification: the view from Romance

**Aigul Zakirova**  
Diachrony of optative constructions in Mari

17h00-17h30

**Vesela Simeonova**  
Modals for the present and for the past: evidence from Bulgarian

**Sergei Tatevosov**  
On the structure of Russian verb: one solution to three puzzles

17h30-18h00

Closing session **(AMPHI F417)**

19h00-20h00

City walk (registration required)

## Saturday June 1

A wonderful excursion in the Lot region  
(registration required)

8:30 AM: departure from UT2J campus (meeting at 8:15 AM)

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