

Joint Postgraduate Student Symposium on Language, Culture and Cognition
(JPSS 2018)

Friday 20th April 2018, AG710

Programme Rundown

Time	Activity
9:00 – 9:28	Registration (MCs: Mark Nartey and Kathleen Macdonald)
9:30 – 9:35	Welcome Speech Professor Chu Hung-lam, Dean, Faculty of Humanities
9:35 – 9:40	Opening Remarks Professor Bernadette Watson, Associate Head, ENGL

The Best Paper Award candidate presentations (Chair: Natthaya Parinyanat)	
9:40 – 10:00 A	Xie PAN (ENGL) The Effectiveness of the Conceptual Metaphor Approach to English Idiom Acquisition by Young Chinese Learners
10:00 – 10:20 B	Yating YU (ENGL) Media Representations of ‘Leftover Women’ in China: A Corpus-Assisted Critical Discourse Analysis
10:20 – 10:40 C	Madhu Bastola NEUPANE (ENGL) Giving and Receiving Ends of Supervisory Feedback: Where is the Missing Link?
10:40 – 10:45	Photos

Coffee Break

Best Paper Award candidate presentations (Chair: Anqi Wang)	
11:00 – 11:20 G	Longxing LI (CBS) A Comparative Study of <i>Mingwang</i> , <i>Shengwang</i> and <i>Weiwang</i> through Chinese Word Sketch
11:20 – 11:40 E	Francisco WONG (ENGL) Focus-on-Form or Focus-on-Meaning: The Implications of Senior Secondary School Practice in Hong Kong Schools
11:40 – 12:00 F	Huiheng ZENG (ENGL) Statistical Modeling of Metaphors in Hong Kong Political Discourse
12:00 – 12:20 D	Amber XU (CC) The Failure of Racial Empire: Probing the Depths of Anti-Semitism in Nazi Germany, 1919-1945

12:20 – 13:20 – Lunch Break

Language, Culture and Cognition presentations (Chair: Natthaya Parinyanat)	
13:20 – 13:40	Kathleen MACDONALD (ENGL) Construing Musical Discourses: Contrastive Descriptions of Ideational Resources in English and Korean with Reflection on Translation.
13:40 – 14:00	Tiffany CHING (ENGL) A Preliminary Study of Rhetorical Moves in Environmental, Social and Governance Reports
14:00 – 14:20	Steven Ming-chiu WONG (ENGL) Rhetorical Question Strategies in Electoral Discourse: Implications for the Construction of Political Identities
14:20 – 14:40	Francois WOLFAARDT (CBS) Hong Kong Primary School Children's Second Language Acquisition: The Impact of Filipina Domestic Workers
14:40 – 15:00	Jingli CHEN (DAL5) Global or Local: A Social Semiotic Approach to Hybridized Social Media Images of Victoria's Secret
15:00 – 15:20	Sau Kwan CHUNG (DAL5) Intercultural Communicative Experience of International Students in Canada: An Exploratory Study
15:20 – 15:40	Mark NARTEY (ENGL) Towards a Decade of Synergizing Corpus Linguistics and Critical Discourse Analysis: A Meta-Analysis

Coffee Break

16:00 – 17:20	Panel discussion (Moderator: Jesus Guerra-Lyons) Topic: <i>the interface between language, mind and society</i> Panel: Professor Christian Matthiessen (Department of English); Professor Huang Chu-Ren (Department of Chinese and Bilingual Studies); Dr Pan Lu (Department of Chinese Culture)
17:20 – 17:25	Presentation of the Best Paper Award Professor Kathleen Ahrens, Departmental Research Committee Chair, ENGL
17:25 – 17:30	Close and handing over JPSS to the Department of Chinese Culture (CC) for next year

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