

***The role of corpora in research on sign language communication:
An interdisciplinary approach***

Agenda

17.06.2013

Corpus compilation

09.00 - 09.30 **Registration, coffee break**

09:30 - 11:30 Moderator: T. Johnston – ***Auslan Corpus: Informants***

11:30 - 12:00 **Coffee break**

12:00 - 14:00 Moderator: T. Johnston – ***Auslan Corpus: Elicitation***

14.00 - 15.30 **Lunch**

15:30 - 17:30 Moderator: P. Rutkowski – ***PJM Corpus: Informants and elicitation***

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Corpus annotation

09.00 - 09.30 **Registration, coffee break**

09:30 - 11:30 Moderator: T. Johnston – ***Auslan Corpus: Glossing***

11:30 - 12:00 **Coffee break**

12:00-14:00 Moderator: T. Johnston – ***Auslan Corpus: Grammar tagging***

14:00-15:30 **Lunch**

15:30-17:30 Moderator: P. Rutkowski – ***PJM Corpus: Glossing and grammar tagging***

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Data analysis

09.00 - 09.30 **Registration, coffee break**

09:30 - 11:30 Moderator: T. Johnston – ***Auslan Corpus: Quantitative methods***

11:30 - 12:00 **Coffee break**

12:00-14:00 Moderator: T. Johnston – ***Auslan Corpus: Sample analyses***

14:00-15:30 **Lunch**

15:30-17:30 Moderator: P. Rutkowski – ***PJM Corpus: Sample Analyses***

Short notes on the experts:

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