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DISCOURSE RELATIONAL DEVICES

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Linguistic & Psycholinguistic Approaches to Text Structuring

After a first edition in Paris in September 2009 and a second edition at the University of Louvain (Louvain-la-Neuve, Belgium) in 2011, a third edition of *Linguistic & Psycholinguistic Approaches to Text Structuring* (LPTS 2016) will take place at the University of Valencia, Spain, on January, 24-26, 2016.

The aim of the conference is to analyze how discourse relational devices (DRDs) work in oral and written texts. The term 'discourse relational devices' (DRDs) includes, but is not limited to, discourse markers, and it refers to expressions such as *because, but, however, I mean, well, first, second, to take an example* or *in this line*, that help a speaker structure and organise discourse.

Conference themes

    Functional classifications

    Formal classifications

    Relevant features in DRDs description and classification

    Cross-linguistic variation and typological studies

    Translation studies on DRDs

    DRDs annotation and tools

    Psycholinguistic approaches to DRDs

    Experimental research on DRDs

    Acquisition of DRDs

Keynote speakers

Liesbeth Degand (Université catholique de Louvain) "Discourse Relational Devices in TextLink: From (categorial) description to corpus annotation, and back again"

Kerstin Fischer (University of Southern Denmark) "Discourse markers: definitions and boundaries"

Völker Gast ((University of Jena) "'Doing corpus-based typology: Concessivity in a cross-linguistic perspective'"

Óscar Loureda (University of Heidelberg) "Discourse markers and Experimental Linguistics"

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