CUNY PHONOLOGY FORUM CONFERENCE ON THE SEGMENT

Wednesday January 11th, 2012

8:30-9:00 Registration

8:45-9:00 Opening Remarks, Charles Cairns

Session I Session chair: Juliette Blevins, Graduate Center, CUNY
9:00-9:30 Markus Pöchtrager, Boğaziçi University
Beyond the segment

9:30-10:00 Kuniya Nasukawa, Tohoku Gakuin University
The Segment in Monostratal Phonology

10:00-10:30 Hitomi Onuma, Tohoku Gakuin University
Silent Segments and Prosodic Dependency

10:30-11:00 BREAK

Session II Session chair: Ann Delikan, New York City College of Technology and the Graduate Center, CUNY
11:00-11:30 Jochen Trommer, University of Leipzig
Floating-Mora and Defective-Segment Affixation in Anywa

11:30-12:00 Eva Zimmermann, University of Leipzig
Templates as Affixation of Segment-Sized Units: the Case of Southern Sierra Miwok

12:00-12:30 Juliette Blevins, City University of New York
The Life Cycle of Voiceless Sonorants

12:30-2:00 LUNCH

Session III Session chair: Dianne Bradley, Graduate Center, CUNY
2:00-2:30 Anastassi Loukina, University of Oxford
Chilin Shih, University of Illinois
Greg Kochanski, University of Oxford
How Universal is the Boundary between Vowels and Consonants?

2:30-3:00 Elizabeth Casserly, Indiana University
David Pisoni, Indiana University
Kate Sherwood, Indiana University
Consonants Versus Vowels: Phonetic Changes under Acoustic Feedback Transformation

3:00-3:30 Ryan Bennett, University of California, Santa Cruz
Grant McGuire, University of California, Santa Cruz
Jaye Padgett, University of California, Santa Cruz
Márie Ni Chiosáin, University College Dublin
(In)Variance in Irish Palatalization and Velarization: an Ultrasound Study

3:30-4:00 Jonathan Bucci, Université de Nice
Unity and Difference of Velars and Labials: the Case of Coratino

4:00-4:30 BREAK

Invited Speaker I
4:30-6:00 William Marslen-Wilson, University of Cambridge
Phonological Processing and Representation in a Neurocognitive Context
Thursday January 12th, 2012

8:30-9:00am  Registration

Session IV  Session chair: San Duanmu, University of Michigan
9:00-9:30  Hans Basbøll, University of Southern Denmark
*The Notion of Segment as a Challenge for a Sonority Syllable Model*
9:30-10:00  Harry van der Hulst, University of Connecticut
*On the Nature of Phonological Primes*
10:00-10:30  Chris Golston, California State University Fresno
Wolfgang Kehrein, University of Amsterdam
*The Prosodic Licensing of Vocalic Features*

10:30-11:00  BREAK

Session V  Session chair: William Idsardi, University of Maryland
11:00-11:30  Sean Fulop, California State University Fresno
Chris Golston, California State University Fresno
*If Segments are Real, What are They?*
11:30-12:00  Jonathan Keane, University of Chicago
Diane Brentari, University of Chicago
Jason Riggle, University of Chicago
*Segments in ASL Fingerspelling*
12:00-12:30  San Duanmu, University of Michigan
*Segments and Features*

12:30-2:00  LUNCH

Session VI  Session chair: Harry van der Hulst, University of Connecticut
2:00-2:30  Elena Babatsouli, University of Crete
*Spring-like Effect Near a Child's Phonological Acquisition of Target Segments*
2:30-3:00  Katharina Nimz, Humboldt University of Berlin
*The Perception of Manipulated German Vowels by Turkish GFL Learners*
3:00-3:30  Katsumasa Shimizu, Nagoya Gakuin University
*A Study on Phonetic Features in the Acquisition of English Stop Consonants by Korean, Thai and Chinese Speakers*
3:30-4:00  Maria de Fátima de Almeida Baia, Universidade de São Paulo and University of York
*Reduplication in Early Brazilian Portuguese Acquisition: A Whole-Word and Templatic Phonology Approach*
4:00-4:30  BREAK

Invited Speaker II
4:30-6:00  William Idsardi, University of Maryland
*The Neural Representation of Segments and Features*

6:30-8:30  Reception, Seventh Floor Lounge, all participants invited. Plenty of food, wine, and good cheer. (Included in registration fee.)
**Friday January 13th, 2012**

8:30-9:00am  Registration

Session VII  Session chair: Eric Raimy, University of Wisconsin
9:00-9:30  Samir Ben Si Said, University of Nice
*Segment Sequences in Diatopic Variation of Kabyle Berber*

9:30-10:00  Alex Vaxman, University of Connecticut
*Head Accessibility and Complex Segments*

10:00-10:30  Doug Whalen, Graduate Center, CUNY
Patricia Shaw, University of British Columbia
Aude Noiray, Yale University and Haskins Laboratories
Reethee Antony, Graduate Center, CUNY
*Segments calling each to each: Consonant harmony in Tahltan*

10:30-11:00  BREAK

Session VIII  Session chair: Kathleen Hall, City University of New York
11:00-11:30  Christina Bjornsdal, Cornell University
*The Phonology and Phonetics of Ambiguity: A Case Study of /v/

11:30-12:00  María Riera, Universitat Rovira | Virgili
Joaquín Romero, Universitat Rovira | Virgili
*American English V+/l/ and V+/r/ Sequences: Segments and Gestures*

12:00-12:30  A Case of Grounded Compensatory Lengthening in Hungarian
Mária Gósy, Research Institute for Linguistics, Hungarian Academy of Sciences
Robert Vago, Queens College and the Graduate Center, CUNY

12:30-2:00  LUNCH

Session IX  Session chair: Robert Vago, Queens College and the Graduate Center, CUNY
2:00-2:30  Charles Chang, University of Maryland
*On the Disparity between Within- and Cross-language Segmental Similarity*

2:30-3:00  Jong-mi Kim, Kangwon National University
*Segments Predict Non-native Accents: Prosody Lends Little*

3:00-3:30  Rebecca Morley, Ohio State University
*A Gradient Treatment of Contrast: Repercussions for Implicational Universals*

3:30-4:00  Kathleen Currie Hall, City University of New York, College of Staten Island
*Categorical Segments, Probabilistic Models*

4:00-4:30  BREAK

Invited Speaker III
4:30-6:00  Carol Fowler, University of Connecticut and Haskins Laboratories
*Segments in Articulatory Phonology*

6:30-8:30  To celebrate our conference, we will convene for dinner at Ichiumi, 6 East 32nd St, two blocks south of the Graduate Center. This is not included in the registration fee, but it is economical (at least by New York City standards).