

Workshop on the Semantics/Syntax of Possessive Constructions

Call for Abstracts

Abstracts are invited for 30-minute presentations (plus 10 minutes discussion) on topics dealing with the semantics and/or syntax of possessive constructions. The proceedings of which will be published both in Moscow and Amherst. Limit one individual abstract plus one joint abstract per author.

Send a ONE-PAGE ANONYMOUS abstract, with one optional additional page for examples, by e-mail to: poss@linguist.umass.edu. Please specify "Abstract for workshop" in the subject line, and the following information in the body of the message:

- 1) title of paper
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Electronic abstracts may be sent as plain text, or as files in Word, Word Perfect, PDF, .ps or .prn format. The organizers cannot be responsible for problems arising from clashes of hardware or software; try to 'embed fonts' in any files you send and/or avoid the use of non-standard fonts. No fax submissions will be accepted.

Since we are rather late in getting this call for abstracts out, we have decided to forgo submissions by standard mail as well. (If, however, electronic submission is absolutely impossible, please get in touch with us right away.)

Deadline for receipt of abstracts: February 20, 2002.

(Authors are advised to re-check examples and glosses with speakers of the languages involved.)

Questions?

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All who are interested in attending the workshop are invited to register their e-mail and/or mailing addresses at the conference address above. E-mail is the preferred means of communication for all business.

Attempts will be made to partially subsidize accommodation costs for participants from economically disadvantaged countries; the extent of subsidy will not be known for some time, but please do not hesitate to inquire. For those willing, there will also be some crash

space available; please contact the organizers for the necessary arrangements. Further information concerning accommodations will soon be posted on the website.

Workshop website: <http://www.umass.edu/linguist/PossessiveWorkshop.html>

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