Program for ASAL 32

Friday, Feb 23, 2018 (Memorial Union 202, Alumni Lounge)

8:00-8:45    Registration and coffee
8:45-9:00    Opening remarks

Phonetics and Phonology I    (Session chair: Kathryn Pruitt)

9:00-9:30    Noor Abo Mokh and Stuart Davis (Indiana University)
              What Triggers 'imāla: Focus on a Palestinian Variety with Phonological Implications

9:30-10:00   Aaron Freeman (University of Pennsylvania)
              Two Kinds of Emphasis Spread in Moroccan Arabic

10:00-10:30  Yahya Aldholmi (University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee and King Saud University)
              and Anne Pycha (University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee)
              Segmental Contribution to Speech Intelligibility in Arabic

10:30-11:00  Honaidah Ahyad and Michael Becker (Stony Brook University)
              Vowel distribution in the Urban Hijazi Arabic root

11:00-11:15  Break

Syntax and Semantics I    (Session chair: Usama Soltan)

11:15-11:45  Bader Alharbi (University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee and Qassim University) and
              Hamid Ouali (University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee)
              Case and Agreement in the Arabic Predicational Copular Clause

11:45-12:15  Mahmood Al Fkaiki (The University of Texas at Austin)
              Inherent Negation as a New Licensor of Negative Polarity Items in Arabic Dialects

12:15-2:00   Lunch

Pragmatics and Discourse Analysis I    (Session chair: Amel Khalfaoui)

2:00-2:30    Youssef Haddad (University of Florida)
              When you is you and me: Unselected dative you in Levantine Arabic

2:30-3:00    Dina Hassan (University of Oklahoma)
              The Linguistic Phenomenon of Politeness in Trevor Le Gassick’s Translation of Ibn Kathir’s As-Sira Al-Nabawiyya
3:00-3:15  Break

Sociolinguistics I  
(Session chair: Youssef Haddad)

3:15-3:45  Kalyani Rai and Amal EL Haimeur (University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee)  
A comparative analysis of heritage language development in two immigrant communities

3:45-4:15  Uri Horesh (University of Essex)  
Relative clause formation in Palestinian Arabic: Between language contact and pragmatics

4:15-4:30  Break

4:30-5:30  Keynote  
(Introduction: Neimeh Mousa)  
Kristen Brustad (The University of Texas at Austin)  
Performing Multiple Dialects

Saturday, Feb 24, 2018 (Memorial Union 202, Alumni Lounge)

8:30-9:00  Registration and coffee

Language Acquisition  
(Session chair: William Kruger)

9:00-9:30  Mohammed Alquraishi (Northern Arizona University and King Saud University)  
Making Connections between an Arabic Corpus and Selected Arabic Grammar Resources

9:30-10:00  Eman Saadah (University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign)  
The effects of collaborative writing on Language acquisition in Arabic classrooms

10:00-10:30  Zafer Lababidi (Florida State University)  
The L2 Perceptual Development of Arabic Plain and Emphatic Sounds by American English Learners

10:30-10:45  Break

10:45-11:45  Keynote  
(introduction: Johanna Wood)  
Reem Khamis-Dakwar (Adelphi University)  
Investigating Arabic Communication Sciences and Disorders: The promise and potential of interprofessional approach to clinical linguistic research

11:45-1:30  Lunch (and Arabic Linguistics Society Business Meeting)
1:30-2:30  Plenary Poster Session (Memorial Union 202, Alumni Lounge)

Rayya Aljarallah (Arizona State University)
*A Critical Discourse Analysis of Twitter Posts on the Perspectives of Women Driving in Saudi Arabia*

Mohammad Aljutaily (Qassim University and University of Georgia)
*LOR and its influence on the production of Arabic vowels by immigrant speakers: Acoustic Analysis*

Yaseen Azi (University of New Mexico)
*Arabic Pragmatic Markers in Teacher Talk: A Case Study in the U.S.*

Elijah Reynolds (Indiana University)
*Bootlegging Monosyllable Loanwords into Cairene Arabic*

Sessions resume at 2:45

**Syntax and Semantics II**

(Session chair: Mohammed Almutlaq)

2:45-3:15  Yasser Albaty (University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee and Qassim University)
*The Syntax and Semantics of Modality in Arabic: A New Perspective*

3:15-3:45  Juman Al Bukhari (University of North Georgia)
*Sprouting in Jordanian Arabic*

3:45-4:15  Salem Albuhayri and Hamid Ouali (University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee)
*The Complementizer Layer in Standard Arabic Revisited*

4:15-4:30  Break

4:30-5:30  Keynote (introduction of speaker, Elly van Gelderen)
Usama Soltan (Middlebury College)
*On the grammar of correlation: Evidence from Egyptian Arabic*

Social Dinner: (Memorial Union 202, Alumni Lounge. 5:30-9:00) (Payments are made on the registration link)
Sunday, Feb 25, 2018 (Memorial Union 202, Alumni Lounge)

Phonetics and Phonology II (Session chair: Stuart Davis)

10:00-10:30 Noor Abo Mokh, Abdullah Alfaifi, Sarah Robinson, Sherman Charles, Steven Lulich, and Kenneth De Jong (Indiana University)
A Study of the Place of Articulation of the Arabic Voiceless Dorsal Fricative in Six Different Varieties

10:30-11:00 Musa Alahmari (Indiana University)
Stress Assignment and Foot Construction in a Southwestern Saudi Arabian Arabic Dialect

Grammaticalization (Session chair: Mekhlid Alsaeedi)

11:00-11:30 Maris Camilleri and Louisa Sadler (University of Essex)
The grammaticalisation of a stage-level copula in vernacular Arabic

11:30-12:00 Estefania Valenzuela Mochon (The University of Texas at Austin)
The Grammaticalization Path of the Arabic Verb /ṭalaʕ/

12:00-12:15 Break

Pragmatics and Discourse Analysis and Sociolinguistics II (Session chair: Hamid Ouali)

12:15-12:45 Amel Khalfaoui (University of Oklahoma)
The semantics and pragmatics of the Tunisian Arabic discourse marker ?ama

12:45-1:15 William Cotter (University of Arizona)
Investigating negative marking in Palestinian Arabic as a site of contact-induced syntactic change

1:15-1:45 Ibrahim Alaswad (Arizona State University)
The Pragmatic Analysis of Discourse Markers in Twitter Communications among Najdi Arabic Speakers

1:45-2 Closing Remarks