

Germanic Genitives  
Workshop held at the Freie Universität Berlin

Thursday, 22th May 2014

8.30 – 9.15	REGISTRATION
9.15 – 9.30	INTRODUCTION
9.30 – 10.15	Kurt BRAUNMÜLLER (Hamburg) <i>On Possession in Germanic</i>
10.15 – 11.00	Jóhannes Gísli JÓNSSON & Þórhallur EYÞÓRSSON (Reykjavík) <i>The fate of genitive case in Insular Scandinavian</i>
11.00 – 11.30	COFFEE BREAK
11.30 – 12.15	Hjalmar P. PETERSEN (Faroe Islands) & Renata SZCZEPANIAK (Hamburg) <i>The decline of the synthetic genitive and the grammaticalization of prepositional phrases as possessive constructions in Faroese</i>
12.15 – 13.00	Caroline DÖHMER (Luxembourg) <i>Die Kategorisierung des Genitivs im Luxemburgischen. Aktuelle Belege und terminologische Überlegungen</i>
13.00 – 14.30	LUNCH
14.30 – 15.30	Alan K. SCOTT (Nottingham) <i>Genitive -s Omission in Modern German and Early Modern Dutch: A Contrastive Investigation into the Properties of Grammaticalisation in Progress</i>
15.30 – 16.15	Christian ZIMMER (FU Berlin) <i>Die Nutzung des Internet(s) – zur Einordnung und funktionalen Motivation s-loser Genitive im Gegenwartsdeutschen</i>
16.15 – 16.45	COFFEE BREAK
16.45 – 17.30	Simone UEBERWASSER (Zurich) <i>German Long and Short Genitive Endings and their Spacial Distribution</i>
17.30 – 18.15	Dirk PIJPOPS & Freek VAN DE VELDE (Leuven) <i>In search of the function of the Dutch partitive genitive: a corpus analysis</i>
18.15 – 19.00	John Ole ASKEDAL (Oslo) <i>Germanic genitives from a historical and typological perspective</i>
19.30	DINNER

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9.00 – 9.45	Barbara SCHLÜCKER (FU Berlin) <i>Proper name compounds and genitives</i>
09.45 – 10.30	Kristin KOPF (Mainz) <i>an des reichs rat and bey dem reichs rat: From genitive suffix to linking</i>
10.30 – 11.00	COFFEE BREAK
11.00 – 11.45	Jarich HOEKSTRA (Kiel) <i>Frisian Genitives</i>
11.45 – 12.30	Kerstin HOGE (Oxford) <i>A Genitive Analysis of Yiddish Possessives</i>
12.30 – 14.00	LUNCH
14.00 – 15.00	Peter GALLMANN (Jena) <i>Genitiv und Wortgruppenflexion</i>
15.00 – 15.45	Simone PESCHKE (Mainz) <i>Family names vs. place names. How semantic roles influence the pre- and postnominal positioning of genitive attributes</i>
15.45 – 16.15	COFFEE BREAK
16.15 – 17.00	Mirjam SCHMUCK (Mainz) <i>Personal names in genitive phrases as launching pad for the grammaticalization of the onomastic article</i>
17.00 – 17.45	Tanja ACKERMANN (FU Berlin) <i>tba</i>
17.45	DEPARTURE FOR BOAT TRIP

Saturday, 24th May 2014

9.30 – 10.15	Tijs D'HULSTER & Liisa BUELENS (Ghent) <i>On the edge of acceptability: The Flemish External Possessor</i>
10.15 – 11.00	Julia KOLKMANN (Manchester) & Ingrid LOSSIUS FALKUM (Oslo) <i>Genitive semantics revisited: the case of English pre-nominal possessives</i>
11.00 – 11.30	COFFEE BREAK
11.30 – 12.15	Simon KASPER (Marburg) <i>The genitive among other expressive strategies for adnominal possession in the German diasystem</i>
12.15 – 13.00	Hans C. BOAS, Marc PIERCE, Ryan DUX & Adams LABORDE (Austin) <i>The genitive in Texas German: Leveling , accommodation, and the influence of Standard German</i>
13.00 – 14.00	FINAL DISCUSSION
14.00	BEER GARDEN