

**Linguistic Society of Hong Kong  
2006 Annual Research Forum Program**

**Day 1 (Dec 2, 2006)**

<b>AG 710 (7<sup>th</sup> floor)</b>			
9:00-9:30	Registration		
9:30-9:45	<b>Opening Ceremony &amp; Presentation of Outstanding Thesis Awards</b>		
9:45-10:00	MA Awardee Report: <u>Mi, Di</u> "L2 Acquisition of Preposition Stranding and Pied-piping by Chinese Learners of English"		
<b>Coffee Break</b> (AG Building, 7 <sup>th</sup> floor)			
	<b>Sociolinguistics (AG 710)</b>	<b>Syntax 1 (AG 434)</b>	<b>Morphosyntax (AG 712)</b>
	Chair: Guest, John	Chair: Pan, Haihua	Chair: Au Yeung, Ben
10:15-10:45	<u>Li, David</u> Validating self-reported code-switching through breaching: A study of code-switching motivations in Hong Kong and Taiwan	<u>石定栩</u> “的”字结构与向心结构	<u>Chan, Samantha</u> A Comparative Study of Proper Name Derivatives in Chinese and English
10:45-11:15	<u>Ge, Lingling</u> A Survey on Presupposition and Appreciation of Jokes	<u>Fan, Xiaoqian</u> A Preliminary Exploration of Headless Relative Clauses in Chinese	<u>Fung, Cauvis</u> Topic and Focus in Cantonese
11:15-11:45	<u>Lin, Angel</u> Cantonese Verbal Art and Youthful Defiant Voices: An Analysis of Hong Kong Hip Hop Rap Lyrics	<u>Guo, Jie</u> A Preliminary Analysis on the Derivation of Chinese Comparative Constructions	<u>Huang, Aijun</u> Is there count-mass distinction in Chinese?
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<b>Lunch</b> (4 <sup>th</sup> floor, Communal Building)			
<b>Plenary Talk: Prof. William Wang</b> "A Critical Look at the 'Critical Age Hypothesis'" AG 710 (7 <sup>th</sup> floor)			
<b>Coffee Break</b> (AG Building, 7 <sup>th</sup> floor)			
	<b>Phonology/ Phonetics 1 (AG 710)</b>	<b>Syntax 2 (AG 434)</b>	<b>Acquisition 1 (AG 712)</b>
	Chair: Cheung, Kwan-hin	Chair: Matthews, Stephen	Chair: Yip, Virginia
3:45-4:15	<u>Mok, Peggy</u> Language-specific realisations of syllable structure on vowel-to-vowel coarticulation	<u>Sio, Joanna &amp; Tang, Sze-Wing</u> The structure of manner adverbials in Cantonese	<u>Wong, Colleen &amp; Man, Patricia</u> Aspectual contributions of verbal particles: spatial, temporal and functional
4:15-4:45	<u>Sun, Jingtao</u> Syllable Weight in Shunping Mandarin -- Evidence from retroflex suffixation	<u>Tao, Yuan</u> 贵阳方言中“把”字的特殊用法	<u>Zhang, Yanyan</u> Omission and Overgeneration of BE in Chinese-English Interlanguage Grammar: A Corpus-based Study
4:45-5:15		<u>Wong, Kwong-Cheong &amp; Bodomo, Adams</u> Serial Verb Constructions in Cantonese and Dagaare: A Head-driven Phrase Structure Grammar Analysis	<u>Gu, Chenjie</u> The acquisition of Cantonese double object and prepositional datives in Cantonese-English bilingual children

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**Day 2 (Dec 3, 2006)**

	<b>Phonology/Phonetics 2 (AG 712)</b>	<b>Acquisition 2 (AG 710)</b>	<b>Syntax 3 (AG 434)</b>
	Chair: Wong, Cathy	Chair: Leung, Samuel	Chair: Lai, Tom
9:30-10:00	<u>Lau, Chunfat</u> Hong Kong Cantonese Pronunciation: Chaos, Cause and Consequence	<u>Fan, Li</u> Child Language Acquisition of Modality and its Scale of Strength in Mandarin Chinese	<u>Peng, Guozhen &amp; Gu, Yang</u> Resultative Constructions in Jingpo
10:00-10:30	<u>Wong, Tak-Sum</u> A Look at the Phonological System of Cantonese in Mid-19th Century: by the Cantonese Romanisation Scheme Used by the British	<u>Wakefield, John</u> Acquiring Null Subjects and pre- vs. post- Verbal Modals in English-Cantonese Interlanguage: A Test of the Full Transfer/Full Access Hypothesis	<u>Yap, Foongha &amp; Huang, Joan</u> The Grammaticalization of <i>zhe</i> in Classical Chinese
10:30-11:00		<u>Huang, Yueyuan &amp; Yang, Suying</u> 汉语作为第二语言被字句习得的考察	

11:00-11:15 **Coffee Break**  
(AG Building, 7<sup>th</sup> floor)

11:15-11:45 **PhD Awardee Report: Au-Yeung, Wai Hoo Ben**  
**“An Interface Program for Parameterization of Classifiers in Chinese”**

11:45-12:45 **Plenary Talk: Prof. Benjamin T'sou**  
**"LIVAC - A Synchronous Corpus of Chinese: Some Methodological Considerations and Applications"**  
AG 710 (7<sup>th</sup> floor)

12:45-2:00 **Lunch**

	<b>Typology/ Chinese Text (AG 710)</b>	<b>Syntax 4 (AG 434)</b>	<b>Applied Linguistics (AG 712)</b>
	Chair: Lun, Caesar	Chair: Lee, Peppina	Chair: Fang, Alex
2:00-2:30	<u>Sye, Sui Kam</u> An Investigation into Lexical Numeral Systems—Leading to the Way of Greenbergian Relative Language Universals	<u>Sybesma, Rint &amp; Shen, Yang</u> 结果补语小句分析和小句的内部结构 Small clause results and the internal structure of the Chinese resultative small clause	<u>Mok, Sui Sang</u> Computer-mediated communication – an anthropological-linguistic approach
2:30-3:00	<u>张小衡</u> 两岸三地汉字笔顺规则比较与讨论	<u>Sun, Jing</u> A study on “you (有)+VP” structure in Mandarin Chinese	<u>Yoshimura, Noriko &amp; Nakayama, Mineharu</u> Improving English Skills in a Short-term Study Abroad Program
3:00-3:30	<u>馮淑儀</u> 大陸中文的語言特點	<u>何元建, 王伟</u> 汉语表达空间域的认知策略及语序	<u>劉頌浩</u> <漢語語言文字啓蒙>與字本位教學法

3:30-3:45 **Coffee Break**  
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3:45-4:00 **MPhil Awardee Report: Cheung, Ki Shun Antonio**  
**“Processing Factors in Language Comprehension and Production: the Case of Cantonese Dative Constructions”**

4:00-5:00 **Plenary Talk: Prof. Thomas Lee**  
**“The Acquisition of Syntactic Categories by Mandarin-Speaking Children”**  
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7:00- **LSHK 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Dinner**  
(Hon King Restaurant, 3/F China Minmetals Tower, 79 Chatham Road South)

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