

International Conference on Youth Languages
Youth Language and Change
26-28 May 2021

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at Manchester Metropolitan University



Conference Programme

Times are GMT+1 (British Summer Time)

Wednesday 26 May	
9:30 - 10:00	Hannah Smithson & John Bellamy (MCYS, Manchester Metropolitan University) Welcome
10:00 - 11:00	Ellen Hurst-Harosh (University of Cape Town) Keynote: Changing approaches to youth language research in Africa
11:00 - 11:30	Break
11:30 - 12:00	Berta Badia-Barrera (University of Essex) T-glottalling revisited: variation and change in young RP
12:00 - 12:30	Renata Enghels, Linde Roels & Fien De Latte (Ghent University) Monitoring linguistic change in youth language: a Spanish case study in real time
12:30 - 13:00	Ignacio Palacios Martínez & Paloma Núñez Pertejo (University of Santiago de Compostela) Pragmatic reversal in the expression of (im)politeness in the language of (London) teenagers
13:00 - 14:00	Lunch
14:00 - 14:30	Dalal Belarbi (Canterbury Christ Church University) “Mansoutich”: Dzjoker’s YouTube Video that encompasses attractive linguistic features and endeavours a social and political change
14:30 - 15:00	Cristina Suárez Gómez (University of the Balearic Islands) & Elena Seoane (University of Vigo) Youth language across spoken World Englishes: a grammatical perspective
15:00 - 15:30	Ayodele Onanuga (Federal University Oye-Ekiti) Soro-Soke Werey: Language, #EndSARS Protest and Nigerian Youth’s Quest for Socio-political Change
15:30 - 16:00	Break

Wednesday 26 May (continued)	
16:00 - 16:30	Joaquín Bueno Amaro (Newcastle University) Consolidating language change: the case of intensifiers and emphasisers in Tyneside Teen Talk
16:30 - 17:00	Chimwemwe Kamanga (Mzuzu University) What is in a name of a language? A semantic analysis of the glossonyms of the urban contact vernacular language of Malawi

Thursday 27 May	
10:00 - 11:00	Kate Pahl (Manchester Metropolitan University) & Hugh Escott (Sheffield Hallam University) Keynote: Meaning matters: multimodality, (new) materialism and co-production with young people in applied linguistics
11:00 - 11:30	Break
11:30 - 12:00	Philipp Meer (University of Münster & University of Campinas) Teenagers as catalysts of American influence on postcolonial Englishes? A comparison of NURSE rhotacization in adolescent and adult speakers of Trinidadian English
12:00 - 12:30	Nurenzia Yannuar (State University of Malang) & Nazarudin (Universitas Indonesia/Leiden University) <i>Borahae</i> : Language and Identity among K-Pop Fans in Indonesia
12:30 - 13:00	Tamilla Mammadova (ADA University Azerbaijan) University exchange programs: towards new European identity and cross-linguistic competences
13:00 - 14:00	Lunch
14:00 - 14:30	Lisa Hilde, Reinhild Vandekerckhove & Walter Daelemans (University of Antwerp) Communicating across educational boundaries: accommodation patterns in adolescents' online interactions
14:30 - 15:00	Kate Westwood (MCYS, Manchester Metropolitan University) Language as a boundary and a catalyst: an interdisciplinary approach to the language of school exclusion
15:00 - 15:30	Spozmai Khan Exploring local perspectives regarding teaching indigenous languages in the government primary schools of Balochistan: a case study of Pashto language teaching (PLT)
15:30 - 16:00	Break

Thursday 27 May (continued)	
16:00 - 16:30	Margreet Dorleijn (University of Amsterdam) Depicting society through language. A typological approach to Creative Multilingual Practices in multicultural urban Europe
16:30 - 17:00	Melissa Schuring & Eline Zenner (KU Leuven) English lexical resources in Belgian Dutch preadolescents' language use
17:00 - 17:30	Dominique Hess, Christa Schneider & Anna Linder (Center for the Study of Language and Society, University of Bern) "Azzig Aute": Marking social identity in the Bernese youth language variety of Swiss German focusing on lexis

Friday 28 May	
10:00 - 11:00	Christian Ilbury (University of Suffolk) Keynote: Youth Styles in the Era of Digital Culture
11:00 - 11:30	Break
11:30 - 12:00	Jacomine Nortier (Utrecht University) The function of multilingualism in contemporary youth languages and old songs from the Low Countries
12:00 - 12:30	Jean-Claude Dodo (Université Felix Houphouet-Boigny) The identity of Nouchi / L'identité du nouchi
12:30 - 13:00	Samantha Goodchild & Unn Røyneland (Center for Multilingualism in Society Across the Lifespan, University of Oslo) The construction and deconstruction of lects – labelling of heterogeneous and fluid linguistic practices
13:00 - 14:00	Lunch
14:00 - 14:30	Avi Penhollow (University of Missouri) I ka 'ōlelo no ke ola - In the Language is Life Hawaiian Pidgin English and Linguistic Agency for Indigenous Youth
14:30 - 15:00	Robert Petrone & Adrianna González Ybarra (University of Missouri) Revitalizing language to story the future: Indigenous youth's language revitalization & teaching of future educators
15:00 - 15:30	Aretousa Giannakou & Katerina Varsami (University of Nicosia) The significance attached to Greek as a heritage language by young pupils living in the USA: Is speaking Greek part and parcel of their Greekness?
15:30 - 16:00	Break
16:00 - 17:00	Rob Drummond (MCYS, Manchester Metropolitan University) Closing discussion