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Incomplete utterances and the syntax/pragmatics interface
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‘Incompleteness in argument structure: diagnosing implicit arguments.’
Eleni Gregoromichelaki & Ruth Kempson
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Eleni Savva, Kasia M. Jaszczolt, & Michael Haugh
‘A pragmatic approach to subsentential speech: The case of disjunctive questions.’
Chi-Hé Elder
‘Incomplete conditionals: A pragmatic analysis.’
Christina Kim
‘Predictability and implicit communicative content’.

Adaptability, contextualism, and the composition of discourse meaning
International Pragmatics Association 14th Conference, Antwerp, 26-31 July 2015
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‘Default interpretations: When context pales’
Philippe De Brabanter & Antonin Thuns
‘Reconciling semantic deference and pragmatic enrichment’
Luca Sbordone
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Eleni Savva
‘Subsentential speech: the syntactic vs. the pragmatic approach’
Roslyn Rowen & Michael Haugh
‘The semantics of person categorisation in interaction: social category terms as locally-situated meanings’
Kasia M. Jaszczolt
‘Adaptable indexicals and pragmatic compositionality’
Thorstein Fretheim
‘Grammaticalization, polysemy and contextualism: the case of Norwegian “gjerne”/German “gern(e)”’
Keith Allan
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Mira Ariel
‘On the distinctness between or construction alternatives’
Nicolas Ruytenbeek & Mikhail Kissine
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Caterina Mauri & Andrea Sansò
‘Contextually dependent reference to sets and categories’

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‘First-person pronouns in quotation: A case for radical contextualism?’
Federica Da Milano
‘Dynamics of self-expression across languages: a comparison between Indo-European and East-Asian languages (with a focus on Japanese)’
Rodanthi Christofaki
‘Self-reference in Japanese: a challenge for essential indexicality’
Rungpat Roengpitya
‘The Thai-English self expressions and address terms in the Thai business discourse’

Expressing the self: Linguistic and philosophical aspects
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Speakers:
Friederike Moltmann
‘The scope and importance of first-person-oriented genericity’
Elizabeth Coppock & Stephen Wechsler
‘The proper treatment of egophoricity in Kathmandu Newari’
Lisa Bylinina, Eric McCready & Yasutada Sudo
‘Perspective-sensitive anaphora: the case of Japanese zibun’
Eros Corazza
‘On the essentiality of thoughts (and reference)’
Kasia Jaszczolt
‘The demise of the first-person indexical’
Minyao Huang
‘Generic one and degrees of detached self-reference’
Rodanthi Christofaki
‘Pronominality and personhood: the case of Japanese’
Sonja Zeman
‘Expressing the selves: Splitting subjects and grammatical schizophrenia’
Wolfram Hinzen, Kristen Schroeder & Camelia Dascalu
Franziska Köder & Emar Maier
‘The attraction of self-ascription in children’s interpretation of quoted pronouns’

Truth conditions and perspectival meaning
Linguistics Association of Great Britain Annual Meeting, 7 September 2016, University of York
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Roberto B. Sileo & Rodanthi Christofaki

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‘Unifying the syntax of overt and implicit evaluation’
Moreno Mitrovic
‘Rhetoricity & inquisitivity’
Rodanthi Christofaki
‘The self and its meaning: Insights from Japanese’
Eleni Kapogianni
‘The meaning of oxymoronic propositions: Loose talk, metaphor, and irony’
George Tsoulas
‘Encoding perspective’