

CiLD 2026 Programme

Plenaries: Lecture Hall A5
Parallel sessions: Rooms 2.20, 2.21 and TBA

Monday, 21 September 2026

Time	Room 2.20	Room 2.21	Room 2.22
08:30–9:30 9.45	Registration Conference opening		
10.00–11.00	Plenary lecture: Anna Bączkowska Lecture Hall A5 · CONSTRUAL IN POLITICAL SATIRE: BERT-BASED ANALYSIS OF DISCOURSE Chair: Janusz Badio		
11:00–11:10	Transition to parallel sessions		
Session theme	Section 1 Chair: Anna Pietruszewska	Section 2 Chair: Marek Molenda	Section 3 Chair: Janusz Badio
11:10–11:40	The underwater conceptualiser: Multimodal construal in scuba diving Rafał Augustyn Maria Curie-Skłodowska University, Poland IN PERSON	From concepts to narratives: Comparative construals of Hungarian hazugság and Indonesian bohong Ahmad Adha University of Szeged, Hungary ONLINE	Rethinking Frame Evocation: Construal, Misunderstanding, and Frame Selection in Discourse Kei Sakaguchi Kyushu Institute of Technology, Japan IN PERSON
11:45–12:15	Construal of Visual Meaning: Signers and Speakers in the Interpretation of Figurative and Abstract Images Agnieszka Dłużniewska Maria Grzegorzewska University, Poland IN PERSON	Mono- vs. bilingualism modulates path motion event construal in L1 German Anna Shadrova and Gajaneh Hartz University of Leipzig, Germany IN PERSON	Creativity in Interaction: A Typology of Meaning Construction in Non-Conventional Expressions Anna Kutscher and Patricia Linnemann Bielefeld University, Germany IN PERSON
12:15–12:45	Coffee break		
12:45–13:15	From Acoustic Prominence to Construal: Rethinking Qalqalah in Qur'anic Recitation Mashael Assaadi Taibah University, Saudi Arabia IN PERSON	Models of linguistic communication in Polish-Chinese families. Polish-Chinese bilingualism Michalina Koniuk Nicolaus Copernicus University in Toruń, Poland ONLINE	Allostructions reconsidered through construal: Limits of generalizing over Russian passive-related constructions Junya Taniura Kyoto University, Japan IN PERSON
13:20–13:50	Construing Space: Evidence from Preposition Use in Two Languages Nihal Bouabida and Michele I. Feist Moulay Ismail University, Morocco; University of Louisiana at Lafayette, USA ONLINE	Language-Specific Construals of WOMAN in Hungarian–English Late Bilinguals Veronika Schrenk University of Pannonia, Hungary ONLINE	Making construal consequential: Prosody, attention, and uptake in institutional interaction Janusz Badio University of Łódź, Poland IN PERSON
13:50–14:50	Lunch break		
14:50–15:50	Plenary lecture: Alan Cienki Lecture Hall A5 · CONSTRUAL IN GESTURE (Online) Chair: Kamila Ciepiela		

15:50–16:00	Transition to parallel sessions		
Session theme	Section 1 Chair: Karolina Sawa	Section 2 Chair: Iga Załuska	Section 3 Chair: Monika Kocot
16:00–16:30	Result-Oriented and Process-Oriented Construals: A Cognitive Grammar Approach to Japanese and English Akira Machida Nihon University, Japan IN PERSON	The analysis of selected discourse connectives in their procedural function Blanka Bobrowska Academy of Applied Sciences in Wałbrzych, Poland ONLINE	Text-semantic construal in argumentative essays in L1 vs. L2 German Gajaneh Hartz University of Leipzig, Germany IN PERSON
16:35–17:05	Objectivizing and subjectivizing lexical encapsulation as construals: A cross-linguistic approach Josep E. Ribera Universitat de València, Spain ONLINE	What Can't Be Passivized? The Event-Structural Foundations of the German <i>werden</i>-Passive Rebecca Karrer University of Graz, Austria ONLINE	Punctuation in Cognitive Grammar: The German Colon as a Construal Operator Franka Kermer University of Helsinki, Finland ONLINE

Tuesday, 22 September 2026

Time	Room 2.20	Room 2.21	Room TBA
09:00–10:00	Plenary lecture: Henryk Kardela Lecture Hall A5 · NARRATIVE DISCOURSE: A COGNITIVE POETICS APPRAISAL OF ROMAN INGARDEN'S LITERARY WORK OF ART Chair: Janusz Badio		
10:00–10:10	Transition to parallel sessions		
Session theme	Section 1 Chair: Janusz Badio	Section 2 Chair: Monika Kocot	Section 3 Chair: Monika Tosik
10:10–10:40	Countering the Climate Threats: Counter-Proximation and the Legitimation of EU Environmental Policy Discourse Ali Basarati and Melike Alsac VIZJA University; University of Warsaw, Poland IN PERSON	Construal of Cultural Space: Toponyms of the Górale–Lachy Borderland in Narrative Discourse Joanna Adamczyk Jagiellonian University, Poland IN PERSON	Julian of Norwich's use of GOD AS MOTHER metaphor: From idiosyncratic experience to the metaphorical construal of the divine Katarzyna Stadnik Maria Curie-Skłodowska University, Poland ONLINE
10:45–11:15	Multimodal Polarization at the EU–Belarus Border: Competing Crisis Frames in Polish Media Marcin Kosman VIZJA University, Poland IN PERSON	Foregrounding and Backgrounding in Qur'ānic Narratives: Linguistic Characteristics and their Functions Yehudit Dror University of Haifa, Israel IN PERSON	Words of the Year as Cultural Construal: Conceptual Metaphor and Evaluative Framing in Polish and English Public Discourse Agnieszka Poznańska University of Wrocław, Poland IN PERSON
11:15–11:45	Coffee break		
11:45–12:15	Construing Newsworthiness: News Values Beyond Journalistic Mediation Kayla Heglas University of Birmingham, United Kingdom IN PERSON	Hiding in Plain Sight: Reference Point Construction in English Translations of Dōgen's "Raihai" and Alan Spence's "After Dōgen" Monika Kocot University of Łódź, Poland IN PERSON	Reading, Running, and Algorithms: How Women Reclaim Cognitive Control in the Age of Attentional Collapse Izabela Belz-Kaczmarek University of Information Technology and Management, Rzeszów, Poland IN PERSON

12:20–12:50	Why distance matters in news discourse: the Media Proximity Approach and journalistic perspectives Monika Tosik University of Łódź, Poland IN PERSON	Quoting Wisdom: Authority and Moral Construal in Mongolian Sargaal Texts Krisztina Szótér Jilin International Studies University, China; Eötvös Loránd University, Hungary ONLINE	Beauty, biology and the market: anti-feminist discourse in the TikTok videos of French manosphere female influencer Thais d'Escufon Mehdi Galiere University of Szeged, Hungary IN PERSON
12:50–13:50	Lunch break		
13:50–14:50	Plenary lecture: Krzysztof Kredens Lecture Hall A5 · FROM FACT TO NARRATIVE: DISCURSIVE SHIFTS IN THE CONSTRUCTION OF EXPERT EVIDENCE IN CRIMINAL PROCEEDINGS Chair: Janusz Badio		
14:50–15:00	Transition to parallel sessions		
Session theme	Section 1 Chair: Kamila Ciepiela	Section 2 Chair: Anna Pietruszewska	Section 3 Chair: Karolina Sawa
15:00–15:30	Framing the enemy in the Polish communist cartoons. A social semiotic multimodal analysis Anna Łazuka-Banach University of Szczecin, Poland ONLINE	Male Names for Trans Women: Metonymic Construal and Identity Construction in Peruvian Social Media Discourse Frank Domínguez Chenguayen, Jeancarlo García and Ian Paul Brossard Universidad Tecnológica del Perú; Universidad Nacional Enrique Guzmán y Valle; Universidad de Ingeniería y Tecnología, Peru ONLINE	Constructing Queer Identity Through Language: A Discourse-Pragmatic Study of The Adventures of Priscilla, Queen of the Desert Iga Załuska University of Łódź, Poland IN PERSON
15:35–16:05	Ideologised Media Relations and The Practice of Framing Slurs. A Pragmatic Perspective Franciszek Maksymilian Świergiel University of Szczecin, Poland IN PERSON	Framing the self by framing the other: A discourse analysis of how masculinity is construed in online spaces and the process of construction as ideological Olga O'Toole Jagiellonian University, Poland ONLINE	Gauging the meaning construction of video game users across languages and cultures Karolina Sawa University of Łódź, Poland IN PERSON

Wednesday, 23 September 2026

Time	Section 1: Room 2.20 Chair: Marek Molenda	Section 2: Room 2.21 Chair: Janusz Badio	Section 3: Room TBA Chair: Anna Pietruszewska
9:00-10:00	Plenary lecture: Iwona Witczak-Plisiecka Lecture Hall A5 · Title TBA Chair: Janusz Badio		
10:00-10:30	Frame (Re)negotiation and Patient Autonomy in Monolingual and Multilingual Obstetric Consultations Sofía Antequera Manzano University of Alcalá, Spain ONLINE		Epistemic stance in spoken L2 English: variation across L1 backgrounds and task types Linsey C. Yang, Jet Hoek, Wilbert Spooren and Nathan Vandeweerd Radboud University, Netherlands ONLINE

10:30-11:00	The Functions and Contexts of Discourse Markers yaʕni (That means/I mean), Wallah (By God), and affirmative particle naʕam (Yes) in Kuwaiti Arabic: A Longitudinal Corpus-Linguistic Study Nushour Alduaij and Eiman Alsharhan Kuwait University, Kuwait IN PERSON	Construal in Legal Discourse: Symbolic and Subsymbolic Processing in the Interpretation of Legal Meaning Piotr Milwicz-Cichocki University of Warsaw, Poland ONLINE	Extending linguistic knowledge to multimodal texts in Construction Grammar Julia Maria das Dores Duarte Federal University of Minas Gerais, Brazil; Catholic University of Eichstätt-Ingolstadt, Germany IN PERSON
11:00–11:30	Coffee break		
11:30–12:00	Who is Listening? Audience Design, Shared Cultural Knowledge, and Olfactory Construal in Saudi Arabic–English Bilinguals Ghadeer Damfo Taibah University, Saudi Arabia IN PERSON	Construally organizing the abstract: Attentional framing and Gestalt structure in visually enclosed law and linguistics abstracts Ariadna Strugielska Nicolaus Copernicus University in Toruń, Poland IN PERSON	Construing Continuity and Change: Nominal and Comparative Resources in Turner Syndrome Identity Narratives Kamila Ciepiela University of Łódź, Poland IN PERSON
12:00-12:30	The dynamic interaction of metaphor and agency in accounts of perinatal loss Eline Put Université de Lille, UMR STL, France IN PERSON	From Borrowing to Belonging: Motivations for the Use of Anglicisms among Polish Youth Marcelina Masłowska University of Bielsko-Biała, Poland ONLINE	Construal and Emotional Labor in Second Language Teaching: Critical Discourse Analysis of a Novice Teacher’s Narrative from the Socio-Cognitive Perspective Szymon Wyrwiński University of Wrocław, Poland IN PERSON
12:30-13:00	Double Empathy and Construal Misalignment: Toward a Construal-Level Model of Autistic–Neurotypical Communication Joanna Mazur-Okalowe University of Rzeszów, Poland IN PERSON		Definiteness and the construal of abstract domains in C2 English writing by L1 Polish learners Anna Pietruszewska University of Łódź, Poland IN PERSON
13:00-13:15	Conference closing		
13:15 -	Lunch		

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