



Language Logic & Cognition Center

December 2019

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
1/12	2/12 EMODHEBREW (10:30-12:00)	3/12	4/12	5/12
8/12	9/12 EMODHEBREW (10:30-12:00) --- Mini course: Subjective Meaning (12:30-16:00)	10/12	11/12 Mini course: Subjective Meaning (12:30-16:00)	12/12 Semantics Reading Group (14:00-15:30)
Winter School on Learning in Phonology (TAU)				
15/12	16/12 EMODHEBREW (10:30-12:00) --- Mini course: Subjective Meaning (12:30-16:00)	17/12	18/12 Mini course: Subjective Meaning (12:30-16:00)	19/12 Mandel Scholion Research Group "Historical Linguistics and Formal Semantics" (12:30-14:00)
22/12	23/12 EMODHEBREW (10:30-12:00) --- Mini course: Subjective Meaning (12:30-16:00)	24/12	25/12 Christmas	26/12 Mandel Scholion Research Group "Historical Linguistics and Formal Semantics" (12:30-14:00) --- Semantics Reading Group (14:00-15:30)
29/12 Hanukah Vacation	30/12 EMODHEBREW (10:30-12:00)	31/12		

Semantics Reading Group

Organized by *Luka Crnić and Aynat Rubinstein*

A reading group dedicated to digging deep into current research in semantics, focusing on topics and papers that are of interest to the participants.

Subjective meaning

Prof. *Chris Kennedy*

The course will investigate the semantics and pragmatics of language used to express subjective perspectives about taste, experience, aesthetic judgment, normative judgment, and so forth. We will identify the challenge of subjective language for traditional, truth-conditional theories of linguistic meaning, and lay out leading responses in the literature to this challenge. Additionally, we will take a closer look at key empirical features of subjective language, which distinguish it from objective language. We will ask how different approaches to subjectivity explain these properties, with particular attention to recent work aimed at accounting for subjectivity within a descriptivist/truth-conditional semantics.

Mandel Scholion Research Group "Historical Linguistics and Formal Semantics"

Organized by *Elitzur Bar-Asher Siegal, Nora Boneh, Eitan Grossman, Aynat Rubinstein*

The group jointly explores in a systematic manner how studies in historical linguistics and in semantics can contribute to one another, in an attempt to draw conclusions about the properties of a variety of semantic categories (e.g. negation, temporality, modality), their universality, and the mechanisms underlying recurring shifts in meanings over time, or paths of semantic change, within these categories.

Winter School on Learning in Phonology (TAU)

<https://scholars.huji.ac.il/llcc/blog/winter-school-learning-phonology>

ERC EMODHEBREW (MABAR)

Organized by *Elitzur Bar Asher Siegal and Miri Bar-Ziv Levy*

The group discusses a particular type of linguistic discontinuity – language revival – inspired by the revival of Hebrew at the end of the 19th century. We aim to construct a model of the linguistic factors which have shaped the revival of Hebrew. We document the development of the grammar of Modern Hebrew, in particular its syntax, and conceptualize it within existing theories of linguistic contact and discontinuity.



More info on <https://scholars.huji.ac.il/llcc/home>