

# Language Logic & Cognition Center January 2020

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
			1/1 LLCC seminar: Yoad Winter (12:30-14:00) Research Brunch: Maya Inbar (14:00-15:30)	2/1
5/1	6/1 LLCC Proseminar (13:00-14:30)	7/1	8/1	9/1 Semantics Reading Group (14:00-15:30)
12/1	EMODHEBREW (10:30-12:00) LLCC Proseminar (13:00-14:30) Language experiments discussion group: Noa Bassel (14:45-16:15)	14/1	15/1	Mandel Scholion Research Group "Historical Linguistics and Formal Semantics" (12:30-14:00)
19/1	20/1 EMODHEBREW (10:30-12:00) LLCC Proseminar (13:00-14:30)	21/1	22/1 LLCC seminar: Reut Tsarfaty (12:30-14:00)	23/1 Mandel Scholion Research Group "Historical Linguistics and Formal Semantics" (12:30-14:00)
26/1	EMODHEBREW (10:30-12:00) Research Brunch: Vera Agranovsky (12:00-13:00) LLCC Proseminar (13:00-14:30) Language experiments discussion group: Rana Abu-Zhaya (14:45-16:15)	28/1 End of first semester		



## 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.

#### **LLCC Proseminar**

Organized by David Kashtan and Aron Hirsch

The LLCC proseminar is a forum to discuss foundational questions in the study of language. This year's edition will focus on issues surrounding modularity and the interfaces. The proseminar this year concentrates on the modular conception of the grammar.

## Language experiments discussion group

Organized by Amir Efrati and Yaara Lador

In this group we will discuss linguistic and philosophical research from the perspective of methods, data analysis, hypothesis formulation, and sampling. During each meeting, a member of the group will present their research (past, present or future) and share with us the process of determining the appropriate research method.

#### 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.

### **Semantics Reading Group**

Organized by Luka Crnič 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.