

The Edmond Benjamin de Rothschild Institute for Interdisciplinary Computer Science

Call for Participation**Israeli Seminar on Computational Linguistics (ISCOL'01)****University of Haifa, Thursday, 15 February 2001**<http://cs.haifa.ac.il/~shuly/iscol/>

Computational linguistics and natural language processing are active research fields in Israel today, as well as popular areas of activity in industry. The Israeli Seminar on Computational Linguistics is a venue for exchanging ideas, reporting on work in progress as well as established results, forming extramural cooperations and advancing the collaboration between academia and industry.

Program

- 9:30-10:00 Registration and coffee
 10:00-10:15 Opening
 10:15-11:00 Invited talk: **Erhard Hinrichs**
Robust Syntactic Annotation of Corpora and Memory-based Parsing
 11:00-11:15 Break
 11:15-12:55 Session I (4 × 25 minutes): **Applications**
 David Carmel, Doron Cohen, Miki Herscovici and Yoelle Maarek
Palm Pirate - An Information Retrieval System for the Palm platform
 Lev Finkelstein, Evngeny Gabrilovich, Zach Solan and Eytan Ruppin
Placing Search in Context: The Concept Revisited
 Nissim Francez, Yaroslav Fyodorov and Yoad Winter
An Order-Based Inference System for a Natural Language
 Svetlana Sheremetyeva and Sergei Nirenburg
A Domain-Tuned Tool For Multilingual Document Management
 12:55-14:00 Lunch break
 14:00-15:40 Session II (4 × 25 minutes): **Hebrew and Arabic**
 Outi Bat-El, *On the Site of Vowel Deletion in Modern Hebrew Verbs and Nouns*
 Gabi Danon, *The Hebrew Object Marker as a Type-shifting Operator*
 Shlomo Izre'el, *Towards the Compilation of The Corpus of Spoken Israeli Hebrew*
 Judith Rosenhouse, *Computerized Arabic Morphology and Syntax (for Teaching Purposes)*
 15:40-15:55 Break
 15:55-17:35 Session III (4 × 25 minutes): **Statistical approaches**
 Meni Adler and Miki Tebeka, *Unsupervised Hebrew Part-of-speech Tagging*
 Yuval Krymolowski, *Augmenting Evaluation Schemes Using the Distribution of Performance*
 Yuval Krymolowski and Ido Dagan, *Compositional Memory-based Partial Parsing*
 Zvika Marx and Ido Dagan, *Conceptual Mapping through Keyword Subset Coupling*
 17:35-17:50 Break
 17:50-18:35 Invited talk: **Sergei Nirenburg**
Ontological Semantics and Its Applications

Venue: Mitzpor Hall, at the 29th floor of Eshkol Tower, University of Haifa.**Registration:** On line at <http://cs.haifa.ac.il/~shuly/iscol/>.**Organizers:** Shuly Wintner, University of Haifa and Yoad Winter, Technion.

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