

# **Seminar – Wintersemester 2008/09:**

## **Automatisches Textverstehen für NLP Anwendungen**

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### **Termine, Themenvorschläge**

#### **09.10.2008**

**Einführung, Organisatorisches**

#### **16.10.2008**

**Überblick: Textstruktur, lokale und globale Kohärenz**

optional: Halliday & Hasan (1976), Webber (2001), Kehler (2000), Moore & Wiemer-Hastings (2003), Jurafsky & Martin (2008)

**Modell/Theorie: Centering**

Poesio et al. (2004)

optional: Sidner (1983), Grosz et al. (1995), Grosz & Sidner (1998), Poesio et al. (2004)

#### **23.10.2008**

**fällt aus**, Michael Strube bei EMNLP'08

#### **30.10.2008**

**Anwendung: Anaphernresolution (Centering)**

Brennan et al. (1987)

optional: Kehler (1997), Strube (1998), Strube & Hahn (1999), Tetreault (2001)

**Anwendung: Textqualität, Lesbarkeit (Centering, ML)**

Miltsakaki & Kukich (2004)

optional: Miltsakaki & Kukich (2000), Higgins et al. (2004), Heilman et al. (2007), Miltsakaki & Troutt (2008)

#### **06.11.2008**

**Anwendung: Informationsordnung (Centering, LSA, ML)**

Lapata (2003), Karamanis et al. (2009)

optional: Foltz et al. (1998), Althaus et al. (2004), Karamanis et al. (2004), Lapata (2006), Karamanis (2007)

### **13.11.2008**

#### **Modell/Theorie: Lexikalische Kohäsion**

optional: Morris & Hirst (1991)

#### **Anwendung: Zusammenfassung**

zur Vorbereitung: Barzilay & Elhadad (1999)

**Referat: Umut Saygin:** Barzilay & Elhadad (1999), Silber & McCoy (2002)

#### **Modell/Theorie: Entity-grid-Modell**

optional: Barzilay & Lapata (2005), Lapata & Barzilay (2005), Elsner et al. (2007), Barzilay & Lapata (2008)

### **20.11.2008**

#### **Modell/Theorie: Anaphernresolution, Koreferenzresolution**

**Referat: Pei Lu:** Lappin & Leass (1994)

zur Vorbereitung: Lappin & Leass (1994) oder Soon et al. (2001)

optional: Linguistik: Hobbs (1978), Hobbs (1979), Beaver (2004), Kehler et al. (2008)

optional: Heuristiken: Kennedy & Boguraev (1996), Baldwin (1997)

### **27.11.2008**

#### **Modell/Theorie: Machine Learning für Koreferenzresolution**

**Michael Strube:** Soon et al. (2001)

optional: Ng & Cardie (2002), Yang et al. (2003), Luo et al. (2004), Ponzetto & Strube (2006), Culotta et al. (2007), Haghighi & Klein (2007), Yang et al. (2008a), Yang et al. (2008b)

#### **Anwendungen: Koreferenzresolution für Zusammenfassung**

**Referat: Carina Silberer:** Steinberger et al. (2005), Steinberger et al. (2007)

zur Vorbereitung: Morton (2000)

optional: Baldwin & Morton (1998), Azzam et al. (1999), Boguraev & Kennedy (1999), Stuckhardt (2003)

### **04.12.2008**

#### **Anwendungen: Koreferenzresolution für Question Answering**

zur Vorbereitung: Watson et al. (2003)

**Referat: Nicoleta Szegedi:** Morton (1999), Watson et al. (2003)

### **11.12.2008**

#### **Modell/Theorie: Textsegmentierung**

zur Vorbereitung: Hearst (1997)

**Referat: Armin Schmidt:** Choi (2000), Galley et al. (2003)

optional: Passonneau & Litman (1997), Hearst (1997), Beeferman et al. (1999), Reynar (1999), Pevzner & Hearst (2002)

optional: **Anwendungen: Segmentierung für Zusammenfassung und Question Answering**

optional: Goldstein et al. (2000), Teufel & Moens (2002), Stokes et al. (2004), Narayanan & Harabagiu (2004)

### **18.12.2008**

#### **Modell/Theorie: Diskursstruktur**

**Referat: Hailian Jiang:** Hobbs (1985)

zur Vorbereitung: Hobbs (1985)

optional: Hobbs (1979), Hobbs (1982), Grosz & Sidner (1986), Hobbs et al. (1993), Walker (1996), Kehler (2004), Kehler et al. (2008)

### **08.01.2009**

zur Vorbereitung: Mann & Thompson (1987) oder Mann & Thompson (1988)

**Referat: Cäcilia Zirn: Anwendungen: Diskursstruktur und Zusammenfassung**

Marcu (1997), Marcu (1999), Marcu (2000)

## **15.01.2009**

### **Anwendungen: Diskursstruktur und Question Answering**

zur Vorbereitung: Verberne (2007b)

**Referat:** **Alex Judea:** Verberne et al. (2007), Verberne (2007a)

optional: Prasad & Joshi (2008)

### **Modell/Theorie: Temporale Diskursrelationen**

zur Vorbereitung: Lapata & Lascarides (2004)

**Referat: Johannes Reichel:** Lapata & Lascarides (2006)

optional: Moens & Steedman (1988), Webber (1988), Passonneau (1988), Hwang & Schubert (1992), Hitzeman et al. (1995), Mani & Wilson (2000), Lapata & Lascarides (2006), Mani et al. (2006)

## **22.01.2009**

**Referat: Lennart Ritterhoff: Modell/Theorie: DLTAG** Webber (2004), Prasad & Joshi (2008)

zur Vorbereitung: Webber & Joshi (1998)

### **Modell/Theorie: Diskursstruktur**

optional: Mann & Thompson (1988), Moore & Pollack (1992), Moser & Moore (1996), Marcu & Echihabi (2002), Blair-Goldensohn et al. (2007), Sporleder & Lascarides (2008)

### **Modell/Theorie: RST vs. PDTB vs. Wolf**

optional: Marcu et al. (1999), Carlson et al. (2003), Webber (2006), Wolf & Gibson (2005)

### **Modell/Theorie: Diskurskonnektoren**

optional: Knott & Mellish (1996), Knott & Sanders (1998), Hutchinson (2004), Wellner & Pustejovsky (2007)

## **29.01.2009**

evtl. **Modell/Theorie: Argumentation** Cohen (1987), Reed & Long (1998), Katzav & Reed (2008)

**Diskussion, Zusammenfassung, Rückblick** – zur Vorbereitung (schriftlich): Was ist der Status von Diskursmodellen in der automatischen Sprachverarbeitung? Für welche Anwendungen konnten sie erfolgreich eingesetzt werden? Für welche nicht? Für welche Anwendungen könnten Diskursmodelle in fünf Jahren eingesetzt werden?

### **Weitere Themenvorschläge:**

**Zuverlässigkeit (reliability) der Annotation:** Carletta (1996), Carletta et al. (1997), Di Eugenio & Glass (2004), Craggs & McGee Wood (2005), Reidsma & Carletta (2008), Artstein & Poesio (ress)

**SDRT (Segmented Discourse Representation Theory):** Schilder (1998), Lascarides & Asher (2007)

## **Bemerkungen**

**Leistungsnachweise:** Lektüre und aktive Teilnahme (1/3), Referat (1/3), Hausarbeit (1/3). Hausarbeit: 8-10 Seiten (Proseminar), 12-15 Seiten (Hauptseminar) inkl. Bibliographie. Die Hausarbeit kann auch per Email an mich geschickt werden, aber *nicht* als Word-Datei sondern nur als PDF-Datei. – Ich empfehle, wissenschaftliche Texte mit Latex und Bibtex zu verfassen.

Regelmäßige Teilnahme (d.i. nicht mehr als zweimal unentschuldigtes Fehlen) ist Voraussetzung für Scheinerwerb. Ich bitte um Abgabe von jeweils zwei Fragen (!) zu einem Papier, das in der Sitzung vorgestellt wird, entweder per Email bis spätestens 15 Uhr am Tag der Sitzung oder schriftlich direkt vor der Sitzung. Dies geht in die Bewertung für aktive Teilnahme am Seminar ein.

**Literatur:** Viele Papiere können direkt aus der *ACL Anthology* kopiert werden (<http://acl.ldc.upenn.edu/>), insbesondere alle Papiere der (E/NA)ACL-, Coling- und EMNLP-Konferenzen, alle Workshops, die im Rahmen dieser Konferenzen veranstaltet wurden und die Zeitschrift *Computational Linguistics*.

**Sprechstunde:** Auf Vereinbarung (Email, Telefon) bei mir im Büro, ggf. auch im Anschluß an das Seminar.

**Hausarbeiten:**

maximal 8-10 Seiten (Proseminar), 12-15 Seiten (Hauptseminar) inkl. Abbildungen, inkl. Literaturverzeichnis

**Inhalt:** Fokus auf das vorgestellte Papier; NICHT *Related Work*-Kapitel referieren, wenn die entsprechenden Papiere nicht gelesen wurden; Evaluierung berichten; WICHTIG: mit eigener Meinung oder Bewertung abschließen.

**Stil:** Wissenschaftlichkeit drückt sich nicht durch lange, komplizierte Sätze und exzessiven Gebrauch von Fremdwörtern aus – deshalb bitte kurze Sätze, einfache Sprache; Hausarbeiten vor der Abgabe Korrektur lesen oder Korrektur lesen lassen (s. auch *Dos and donts: Hinweise zur Abfassung wissenschaftlicher Arbeiten* von Prof. Frank – [http://www.cl.uni-heidelberg.de/~frank/materials/dos\\_and\\_donts.pdf](http://www.cl.uni-heidelberg.de/~frank/materials/dos_and_donts.pdf)).

**Abgabetermin:** bis spätestens 15. Februar 2009; per Email als PDF-Datei (kein Word!) oder ausgedruckt per Post – Matrikelnummer nicht vergessen!

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