

Schedule

Friday – Umeda Campus, 7F, Room 701

Time		Schedule	Speaker
8:00	Registration		
8:45	Opening Remarks		
Session 1: Pragmatics in Asian Contexts (part 1)			
9:00	Sorry, Democracy, and the Director: The Sociopragmatics of Foreign Borrowings and Facework in Burmese Communication		Richard Dare
9:30	Pragmatic functions of the "new honorific" ssu in mixed-age teasing in Japanese		Keiko Okabe
10:00	Keynote Speaker: Professor Michael Haugh Getting Acquainted Across Cultures		
Session 2: Pragmatics in Asian Contexts (part 2) (Parallel Session)			
11:00	Upgrades & Assessments: At the Interface of Pragmatics and Culture		John Campbell-Larsen
11:30	Evaluations of Chinese Compliment Responses: Accounting for Individual Differences in Attributed Pragmatic Reasons		Mian Jia
12:00	Lunch Break		
Session 4: Sociopragmatics of Place, Media, and Identity in East Asian Contexts (Parallel Session)			
13:30	Mixed Use of Dialect and Standard Japanese in a Local Kansai Pub: The Case of Negative Forms of Verbs		Andrew Barke & Momoyo Shimazu
14:00	Small Hospitality Spaces as Sites of Metapragmatic Reflection: Evidence from a Japanese Neighbourhood Bar		Todd J. Allen & Xiangdong Liu
14:30	Relational Boundaries and Hierarchies: Fictive Kinship Terms in Chinese, Korean, and Japanese		Xiangdong Liu, Yoko Yonezawa, & Narah Lee
15:00	Compliment Responses in social media Contexts: A Cross-Cultural Comparison of Influencers in China and Singapore		Mengyuan Tang
15:30	Afternoon Break		
Session 6: Interaction, Institutions, and Intercultural Communication			
16:00	Beyond Culture: Intercultural Communication Breakdowns in the Courtroom (Pre-recorded)		Ziting Guo
16:30	Responding to Non-Response: Exploring Progressivity of Talk as a Site of L2 Interactional Competence		Sajjad Pouromid
17:00	Multilevel Identity Negotiation in Sino-Japanese Cyber Conflicts: A Pragmatic Recursive Framework CANCELLED		Wei Zhang
17:00	Closing Remarks		

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Session 3: Situated Pragmatics: From Everyday Interaction to L2 Development (Parallel Session)		
11:00	A Comparative Study of the L2 Pragmatic Competence of University Students in Hong Kong and the Chinese Mainland	Scott Aubrey & Rod Ellis
11:30	A Preliminary Exploration of Mama's Discourse: Identity, Politeness, and Community in an Okinawan <i>Izakaya</i> in Osaka	Todd J. Allen
12:00	Lunch Break	

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Session 5: Politeness, Identity, and Digital Media (Parallel Session)		
13:30	I'm Sorry, but....: Public Ritual Apology and Identity Performance of Social Media Influencers	Yichen Li
14:00	Reframing (Im)politeness Ontology: From Strategy to Disclosure CANCELLED	Chaoqun Xie
14:30	Interpreting Self-Praise in Esports: A pragmatic Study Based on the Principle of (Im)politeness Reciprocity CANCELLED	Xinru Ding
15:00	Bending and Bonding in and through Complaint Responses: Webcare Acts on a University-Based Niche App CANCELLED	Ying Tong
15:30	Afternoon Break	

Saturday – Senriyama Campus, Iwasaki Kinenkan (岩崎記念館), Room F402.

Saturday – Sanyama Campus, Wasaki Kinokuni (石崎記念館), Room 1402.		
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Session 7: Language, Media & Trends		
9:00	Recontextualizing ‘Demure’: Pragmatic Functions and Semantic Extension in a Viral Twitter Trend	Haruka Nishiyama
9:30	Linguistic Landscape of the Namdaemun Market: Focusing on the Japanese Repertoires	Benio Suzuki
10:00	Keynote: Professor Yasuko Obana Directness and Indirectness in Japanese Interaction -Aiming at a more realistic view-	
Session 8: Microaggressions & Impoliteness Across Contexts		
11:00	Microaggressions and their Sociopragmatic Impact: Implications for Second Language Pragmatics Instruction in Japanese Higher Education	Gregory Paul Glasgow & Noriko Ishihara
11:30	Microaggressions in the Sky: Impoliteness in Aviation English as a Lingua Franca	Noriko Ishihara
12:00	Lunch Break	
13:30	Invited Talk: Dr Yoko Yonezawa Grammatical Framing of Gender-Based Harassment in Japanese Media: Pragmatic Motivations and Responsibility	
14:00	Session 9: Kansai University Graduate Student Panel: Conflict, Politeness, and Intercultural Pragmatics in Japanese and Cross-Cultural Communication	
	Pragmatic Differences in Expressing Dissatisfaction: Politeness Strategies among Japanese and English Speakers	Lenon Umeto
	Communication Strategies in Conflictive Interactional Events in Japanese from an Interactional Sociolinguistic Perspective	Zihao Wei
	Intercultural Communication in Japanese Language Education aimed at Russian Students	Aleksei Sagaidak
15:00	Afternoon Break	
Session 10: Negotiating Meaning, Humour, and Stance		
15:30	Tracking Rapport and Common Ground Dynamics: Sociopragmatic Insights from Bilingual Storytelling by Japanese EFL Learners	Lala Takada
16:00	Negotiating Moral Stakes in Conversational Humour in English as a Lingua Franca	Amir Sheikhan
16:30	Epistemic Status in Japanese Sentence-Final Particle	Yosuke Ogawa
17:00	FTA Balance-Seeking Behaviours in Japanese Variety Shows	Ami Sato
17:30	Closing Remarks and Future Directions	