

Teaching and Learning (iM) Politeness

8–10 July 2013

SOAS, University of London

Conference Programme

DAY 1 – Monday 8 July			
12:30 – 14:00	Registration (+ lunch)		
14:00 – 14:30	BRUNEI GALLERY LECTURE THEATRE Welcome greetings SOAS Director Prof. Paul Webley Dean of Faculty of Languages and Culture Prof. Anne Pauwels		
14:30 -15:30	BRUNEI GALLERY LECTURE THEATRE PLENARY 1: Prof. Asif Agha - The Imp in (Im)politeness		
15:30 – 16:00	BRUNEI SUITE coffee break		
	B204	B211	G2
16:00 – 16:30	1. Gardosi The terms of address in Hungarian – some educational implications	2. Schauer Impoliteness and culture: investigating English and German native speakers' perceptions of impoliteness	3. Long A reassessment of deference phenomena within postmodern theories of politeness
16:30 – 17:00	4. Aba-alalaa Address Terms in Saudi Arabic: Najdi Dialect	5. Uh Understanding Politeness in British and Korean culture: A Cross-cultural Study	6. Haugh & Kadar Understandings of im/politeness
17:00 – 17:15	Pause		
17:15 – 17:45	7. Kaya Politeness through Correct Alerting: The Use of Turkish Alerters by Turkish-German Bilinguals	8. Mapson Pathways to im/politeness	
17:45 – 18:15	9. Lumley A longitudinal study of person reference and social status in L2 Japanese	10. Al-Khawaldeh & Zegarac A linguistic exploration of politeness orientation in Jordanian and British culture: a Comparative Cross-Cultural Pragmatic Study	11. Padilla-Cruz Epistemic vigilance and (im)politeness
18:20 – 20:00	BRUNEI SUITE welcome reception		

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DAY 2 – Tuesday 9 July			
	BRUNEI SUITE: poster presentation all day (to 17:00)		
9:00 – 10:00	BRUNEI GALLERY LECTURE THEATRE PLENARY 2: Prof. Victoria Escandell-Vidal - Mirroring expectations. From cognitive science to SLA		
10:00 – 10:30	BRUNEI SUITE coffee break		
	B204	B211	G2
10:30 – 11:00		12. Ahmad Politeness discourse in the English textbooks of Afghanistan	13. Culpeper & O'Driscoll The neglected west: first-order politeness in Britain
11:00 – 11:30	14. Bou-Franch & Garcés-Conejos Blitvich Conflict in online responses to public service advertising	15. Andon & Ogiermann Politeness in school textbooks for teaching English in Germany and German in the UK	16. Krylová Public verbal aggression and its socio-communicative functions in ancient Roman society
11:30 – 12:00	BRUNEI SUITE coffee break		
12:00 – 12:30	17. Mugford Choices, conflicts, dilemmas: Trying to be polite in one's own way in a foreign language	18. Wolanski Gender and politeness in handbooks of the Polish language for Japanese students	19. Placencia & Lower You seriously do have the CUTEST kiddos! Complimenting behavior on Facebook among family and friends
12:30 – 13:00	20. Shigemori-Bucar "Polite" or "rude"? Universal and language-specific aspects	21. Yanagida How to behave at match-making party (gou-kon)? Gendered double standards in Japanese how-to books	22. Merrison & Bousfield The perils of Facebook: the taking of offence on behalf of others via third-party misinterpretation
13:00 – 14:30	BRUNEI SUITE lunch		
14:30 – 15:00	23. Langford & Merrison "This part of the course starts grumpily": mitigating face attack in a student 'bollocking'		24. Sifianou & Tzanne Teaching politeness?
15:00 – 15:30	25. Eslami Perceptions of (im) politeness in Student-Faculty Email Communication		26. Locher Teaching communication skills at a medical school: From keeping eye contact to creating rapport

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DAY 2 – Tuesday 9 July (continued)			
15:30 – 16:00	27. Davies & Merrison How students go about getting stuff done: cross-cultural institutional complainables in higher education		28. Matsumura & Kyoko Teaching Politeness by Focusing on Difference in Recognition between Japanese People and Learners
16:00 – 16:30	BRUNEI SUITE coffee break		
16:30 – 17:00	29. Faya Cerqueiro Hercule Poirot or how to depict politeness in a foreign character	30. Ghanmi Indoctrinating impoliteness in post-Mubarak Islamist TV shows in Egypt	31. Price & Merrison “Stump up in other words”: Managing face and equity in doing negotiation
17:00 – 17:30	32. Pleyer Learning, Understanding and Judging Impoliteness – Rude Character Comments in German and English Narratives for Children	33. Balfaqqeh The negotiation of Power versus Politeness Post the ‘Arab Spring’	34. Ogino Reexamining the Concept of “Face”: A Comparison between English and Japanese Polite Requests
17:30 – 18:00	35. Chi Impoliteness Design and Humor in a Taiwanese Talk Show: Kan Xi Lai Le	36. Asswae The use of taboo and swearing words on the web	37. Orthaber & Márquez-Reiter ‘You only asked about departure times!’ Face-threats in service calls
18:00 – 19:00	gathering and transfer to dinner		
19:00 – 22:00	social dinner		

DAY 3 – Wednesday 10 July

9:30 – 10:30	BRUNEI GALLERY LECTURE THEATRE		
	PLENARY 3: Prof. Jean-Marc Dewaele – Can one swear “appropriately”? A comparison of swearing in English L1 and English LX users		
10:30 – 11:00	BRUNEI SUITE coffee break		
	B204	B211	G2
11:00 – 11:30	38. Ogiermann Requests for objects at Polish family dinners	39. Asiko Humor and (Im) politeness: A Theoretical perspective of Possible Challenges Experienced by Adult Foreign Swahili Language Learners	40. Cook How do L2 learners of Japanese unlearn the “polite form”? Learners’ individual differences
11:30 – 12:00	41. Grainger, Mills, Kerkham, Monsoor Offering and Hospitality in Arabic, Kurdish and English	42. Ikuta sociolinguistic transfer in L2 politeness - a case study of Japanese learners of English	43. Gyogi Voices from the Japanese Language Classroom – “Honorifics do far more than politeness”
12:00 – 12:30	44. Defibaugh (skype session) Management of Care vs. Management of Face: Indirectness in Nurse Practitioner/ Patient Interactions		
12:30 – 14:00	BRUNEI SUITE lunch		
14:00 – 14:30	45. Calvetti Strategies of impoliteness in Japanese spontaneous talks		46. Mitchell Agency in interaction: evaluations of non-polite in ‘getting acquainted’ recordings
14:30 – 15:00	47. Miyabayashi Polite or plain form?: Speech style of native Japanese speakers toward non-native Japanese speakers		48. Obana & Haugh Politeness as the Implementation of Roles - The Application of Symbolic Interactionists’ Role Theory
15:00 – 15:30	49. Barros & Terkourafi The Production and Perception of Politeness by Spanish Native and Nonnative Speakers		50. Haugh & Obana Soliciting, politeness and interactional roles
15:30 – 16:00	BRUNEI SUITE coffee break		
16:00 – 17:00			PLENARY 4: Prof Sara Mills Rethinking English Politeness
17:00 – 17:30	closing		