

"First Steps for Language Documentation of Minority Languages:

Computational Linguistic Tools for Morphology, Lexicon and Corpus Compilation"

LREC2004 (Lisbon, Portugal)

Morning of 24th of May 2004

(8:00 to 13:30) Oral Session: First Steps for Language Documentation

08:00 Workshop Welcome and Introduction. Bojan Petek (Univ. of Ljubljana)

08:15 "Morphological Analysis and Generation: A First Step in Natural Language Processing"
Kenneth R. Beesley (Xerox)

08:45 "Laying Lexical Foundations for NLP: the Case of Basque at the Ixa Research Groups"
Xabier Artola (Univ. of The Basque Country))

09:15 "First steps in corpus building for linguistics and technology." Dafydd Gibbon (Univ.
Bielefeld)

09:45 Break

Oral Session: HLT and the Coverage of Languages

10:15 "First steps in FP6" Bojan Petek (Univ. of Ljubljana)

10:45 Panel discussion - Invited speakers will be included as panelist members.

12:00 Poster Session

1. Atelach Alemu & Lars Asker: Building an Amharic Lexicon from Parallel Texts

2. Jens Allwood & A. P. Hendrikse: Spoken Language Corpora in South Africa

3. Akshar Bharati, Rajeev Sangal, Dipti M Sharma, Radhika Mamidi: Generic Morphological Analysis Shell

4. Emily Bender Dan Flickinger, Jeff Good, Ivan Sag: Montage: Leveraging advances in grammar engineering, linguistic ontologies, and mark-up for the documentation of underdescribed languages.

5. Bordel G., Ezeiza A. , Lopez de Ipina K., Méndez M., Peñagarikano M., Rico T., Tovar C., Zulueta E.: Linguistic Resources and Tools for Automatic Speech Recognition in Basque.

6. Montserrat Civit, Núria Bufí and Ma. Pilar Valverde: Building Cat3LB: a Treebank for Catalan.

7. Mike Maxwell: From Legacy Lexicon to Archivable Resource.

8.László Németh, Viktor Trón, Péter Halácsy, András Kornai, András Rung , István Szakadát: Leveraging the open source ispell codebase for minority language analysis.

9.Ailbhe Ní Chasaide, Martha Dalton, Mika Ito, Christer Gobl: Analysing Irish prosody: A dual linguistic/quantitative approach.

10.Attila Novák: Creating a Morphological Analyzer and Generator for the Komi language.

11.Delyth Prys, Briony Williams, Bill Hicks, Dewi Jones, Ailbhe Ní Chasaide, Christer Gobl, Julie Carson- Berndsen, Fred Cummins, Máire Ní Chiosáin, John McKenna, Rónán Scaife, Elaine Ú Dhonnchadha: WISPR: Speech Processing Resources for Welsh and Irish.

12.Rajmund Piotrowski, Yuri Romanov: Imperial and Minority Languages in the Former USSR and in the Post- Soviet Area

13.Ksenia Shalonova and Roger Tucker: Issues in Porting TTS to Minority Languages.

14.Kiril Simov, Petya Osenova, Alexander Simov, Krasimira Ivanova, Ilko Grigorov, Hristo Ganев: Creation of a Tagged Corpus for Less-Processed Languages with ClaRK System.

15.Oliver Streiter, Mathias Stuflesser, Isabella Ties: CLE, an aligned Tri-lingual Ladin -Italian-German Corpus. Corpus Design and Interface.

16.Nicholas Thieberger: Building an interactive corpus of field recordings.

17.Trond Trosterud: Porting morphological analysis and disambiguation to new languages.
13:30 End

