

CMN'15

Sixth International Workshop on Computational Models of Narrative
Special Focus: Cognitive Systems and Computational Narrative
Tech Square Research Building, Georgia Institute of Technology
Atlanta, Georgia, USA
May 26-28, 2015

SCHEDULE

TUESDAY, MAY 26, 2015

09:00-09:20 **Opening remarks and welcome**
Mark Finlayson

Session 1

9:20 AM – 10:30 AM

09:20-10:00 “Schemas for Narrative Generation Mined from Existing Descriptions of Plot”
Pablo Gervás, Carlos León and Gonzalo Mendez

10:00-10:30 “Towards Narrative-Based Knowledge Representation in Cognitive Systems”
Nicolas Szilas

10:30 AM-11:00 AM **Coffee Break**

Session 2

11:00 AM-12:30 PM

11:00-11:40 “Animacy Detection in Stories”
Folgert Karsdorp, Marten Van der Meulen, Theo Meder and Antal Van den Bosch

11:40-12:20 “Optimal Eventfulness of Narratives”
Fritz Breithaupt, Eleanor Brower and Sarah Whaley

12:30 PM-2:00 PM **Lunch**

Session 3

2:00 PM-3:30 PM

2:00-2:40 “The Love Equation: Computational Modeling of Romantic Relationships in French Classical Drama”

Folgert Karsdorp, Mike Kestemont, Christof Schöch and Antal Van den Bosch

2:40-3:20 “Governing Narrative Events With Institutional Norms”
Matt Thompson, Julian Padget and Steve Battle

3:30 PM-4:00 PM **Coffee Break**

4:00 PM-4:40 PM **Open Discussion**

WEDNESDAY, MAY 27, 2015

09:00-10:30 **Keynote Address**

“Tell me a story: Toward More Expressive and Coherent Computational Narratives”
Janet H. Murray

10:30 AM-11:00 AM **Coffee Break**

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Session 5

11:00 AM-12:30 PM

- 11:00-11:20 "Structured Narratives as a Framework for Journalism: A Work in Progress"
David Caswell
- 11:20-11:50 "Cross-document Narrative Frame Alignment"
Ben Miller, Ayush Shrestha, Jennifer Olive and Shakthidar Gopavaram
- 11:50-12:30 "Impulse: a formal characterization of story"
Markus Eger, Camille Barot and R. Michael Young

12:30 PM-2:00 PM Lunch

Session 6

2:00 PM-3:30 PM

- 14:00-14:40 "From Episodic Memory to Narrative in a Cognitive Architecture"
Tory Anderson
- 14:40-15:20 "Imaginative recall with Story Intention Graphs"
Sarah Harmon and Arnav Jhala

3:30 PM-4:00 PM Coffee Break

4:00 PM-4:40 PM Open Discussion, CMN'16 Business

THURSDAY, MAY 28, 2015

Session 7

9:20 AM – 10:30 AM

- 09:00-09:40 "Model-based Story Summary"
Patrick Winston
- 09:40-10:20 "A Call for Flow Modeling in Interactive Storytelling"
Vadim Bulitko

10:30 AM-11:00 AM Coffee Break

Session 8

11:00 AM-12:30 PM

- 11:00-11:40 "The Evolution of Interpretive Contexts in Stories"
Beth Cardier
- 11:40-12:00 "Good Timing for Computational Models of Narrative Discourse"
David Winer, Adam Amos-Binks, Camille Barot and R. Michael Young
- 12:00-12:40 "Learning Components of Computational Models from Texts"
Marjorie McShane, Sergei Nirenburg, Bruce Jarrell and George Fantry