
Plan Overview

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Title: Are super-complex words represented like sentences in speakers' minds?

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Project abstract:

A fundamental and unchallenged distinction in language is that between 'words' and 'phrases' (groups of words acting as a unit of meaning). Many Australian languages defy this common-sense distinction, by having very complex words with meanings that English would require a sentence to express. The project aims to show that the dichotomy is unfounded, by examining speakers' knowledge of super-complex words in the remote Australian language Wubuy, using innovative 'low tech' experimental approaches suited for field research, but rarely attempted. The results will change our views on the concept of what a 'word' is, and thereby the foundations not only of language description but also of speech processing.

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Overview

Expected project start date (DD-MM-YYYY)

01/01/2018

Expected project duration.

- 5 years

Have you applied for or received ethics approval?

- Yes

Please indicate Ethics ID

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Data Ownership

Will any of the following apply to your research data?

Please indicate all that apply

- Indigenous intellectual or cultural property rights
- Research conducted by graduate researchers

Are there any research agreements regarding data ownership in place?

- Yes

Describe your data ownership arrangements

Written agreement outlining management of Indigenous and Institutional (UMelb) IP

Data Storage

What type of research data and records will you be generating or storing?

Digital records: audio recordings, and transcripts

Will you store your digital research data and records on University-provided systems?

- Yes

Please indicate all University systems you will use to store your research data.

- Cloudstor
- OneDrive/Sharepoint

Will the project generate physical research materials or paper-based records?

- Yes

Where will you store these physical research materials or paper-based records?

My office at University of Melbourne. All records will be scanned and the electronic versions will be stored together with the other digital materials.

Data Security

Will the data in the research project fall into any of the following categories?

Please indicate all that apply

- Personal information regarding individuals (e.g. identifiable details, photos, audio recordings, video recordings)
- Data from or regarding First Nations peoples

What safeguards and security features will protect data from unintended access?

Data will be on password-protected laptops and in field notebooks. Personal data will not be shared.

Data Retention

Will your research data fall into any of the following categories?

- Data of high community significance or heritage value to the state or nation (Retain permanently)

How will you retain your data for the required retention period?

The data will be stored in perpetuity on applicable databases. Cloudstor will be used for the remainder of 2023. Thereafter, we will transfer the data to PARADISEC and/or AIATSIS, which both have protocols for data sharing with source communities.

Data Publication

Will you make your data available for re-use by others?

- No

Are there any restrictions (e.g. legal or ethical obligations) to making the data available for re-use?

- No