

# PhD day 2026

June, 19<sup>th</sup> 2026

Conference room C 7 4, Campus Saarland University



## **13:15 Opening/ Oral talks Session I** (chair: Uliana Sentsova)

Miriam Schulz – Is Prediction-by-Production Winner-Takes-All? Evidence from Reading Times and Brain Potentials (30 min)

Sergei Bagdasarov – Formulaicity Across Time and Register: A Diachronic Comparison of Multi-word Expressions in English Scientific vs General Language Texts (30 min)

## **14:15 Coffee break**

## **14:30 Poster Session**

Isabell Landwehr + Carmen Schacht – CoBra: A Compound Branching Resource for Nominal Triconstituent Compounds in English and German

Christina Pollkläsener – Are duration and type of filler particles connected to the surprisal of following words?

Andy Dyer – Representing information management across languages

Xinyue Jia – The influence of dependency length on expectancy: Evidence from reading times and ERPs

Uliana Sentsova – Exploring idiom processing in autoregressive transformers across languages

## **15:30 Oral talk Session II** (chair: Andrew Dyer)

Celina Rolgeiser – Downstream Consequences of Disconfirmed Predictions across the Lifespan revealed by an Implicit Memory Test (30 min)

Sofía Aguilar Valdez – Modeling the spread and competition of concepts in scientific discourse (30 min)

## **16:30 Closing and BBQ**

## **17:30 Pub Quiz**