

## Konferenzen 2018

Oktober

### **International Conference on Figurative Thought and Language**

FTL4, 23.–26. Oktober 2018

The Faculty of Philosophy and Social Sciences of the Catholic University of Portugal and the Center for Philosophical and Humanistic Studies are pleased to announce the 4th International Conference on Figurative Thought and Language (FTL4), to be held in Braga (Northern Portugal) on 23-26 October 2018. FTL4 aims to continue as a forum for the discussion of links between figurative thought and language started at previous events in Thessaloniki (2014), Pavia (2015) and Osijek (2017).

September

### **Internationale Konferenz der Deutschen Gesellschaft für Kognitive Linguistik (DGKL)**

DGKL 8, 26.–28. September 2018

Die von Prof. Dr. Constanze Juchem-Grundmann, Prof. Dr. Susanne Niemeier, Michael Pleyer und Monika Pleyer organisierte internationale Konferenz mit dem Schwerpunkt „Applied Cognitive Linguistics“ schreibt die Tradition der zweijährig stattfindenden Konferenzen der Deutschen Gesellschaft für Kognitive Linguistik (DGKL) fort. Forscher\*innen aus aller Welt werden drei Tage lang ihre aktuellen Forschungsergebnisse vorstellen und sowohl aus der Kognitiven Linguistik als auch aus benachbarten Disziplinen, wie etwa der Psychologie, der Psycholinguistik und der Künstlichen Intelligenz, kognitive Sichtweisen auf Sprache und Denken eröffnen.

### **Conference of the Polish Cognitive Linguistics Association**

24.–26. September 2018

The Polish Cognitive Linguistics Association (PCLA) and the Faculty of English at Adam Mickiewicz University in Poznań are pleased to announce the 2018 annual PCLA conference, Cognitive Linguistics in the year 2018, to be held in Poznań, 24 – 26 September 2018. We would like to invite you to submit papers and posters for the conference. The leitmotif of the conference is “Multimodal Patterns in Cognition and Communication”.

Juli

### **International Gesture Conference in Cape Town**

4.–8. Juli 2018

The International Society for Gesture Studies (ISGS) is pleased to announce the Eighth Conference of the International Society for Gesture Studies: “Gesture and Diversity”. It will be held in Cape Town, South Africa, July 4-8, 2018.

Established in 2002, the ISGS is an interdisciplinary group of researchers including anthropologists, cognitive scientists, computer scientists, linguists, neuroscientists, psychologists, and semioticians. The Society convenes for a major international conference every two years to share perspectives on the study of gesture and bodily communication.

Juni

### **Metaphor across contexts and domains: From description to application**

RaAM 12, 27.–30. Juni 2018

The 12th conference of RaAM – the Association for Researching and Applying Metaphor – which will be held at The Hong Kong Polytechnic University from 27 June to 30 June 2018. The conference will be hosted by the university’s Department of English.

The theme of RaAM12 is “Metaphor across contexts and domains: from description to application”. It aims at highlighting the multi-contextual and inter-disciplinary nature of contemporary metaphor scholarship, and the various steps along the trajectory from description to application. The conference provides a platform where researchers and practitioners can discuss descriptive, theoretical, conceptual, and/or applicative aspects of their work, across different forms, functions, contexts, and domains of metaphor use in the social world.

### **Bringing into being: Multimodality and cognition in interaction**

24.–25. Juni 2018

A Specialized Seminar will be held on 25 June 2018 at the University of Nottingham Ningbo China, hosted by the School of English. The theme of the seminar is “Bringing into Being: Multimodality and cognition in interaction”. A pre-seminar workshop in gesture studies and multimodal analysis will be offered on 24 June.