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Workshop

Gender marking in inter-sentential code-switching: potential self-repairs between languages

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Although the phenomenon of code-switching is well studied in the research field of bilingualism, inter-sentential switching has rarely been focused with respect to gender assignment. The aim of this workshop is to discuss the following research questions: a) Which gender is marked on clitics, demonstratives, and adjectives after a language switch? b) Are there cases of self-repairs due to gender mismatches in the involved language systems? c) Which gender can be predicted to be target-like? d) What do these utterances tell us about the degree of activation of a language in bilinguals? Two language combinations have been investigated: Italian-German and Spanish-German.

Please note that the workshop requires registration. To register, please contact K.F. Cantone: katja.cantone@uni.due.de

