

UWO Linguistics Outreach Event

March 24, 2017

Arrival Alumni Hall 8:30-8:55

Greetings, introduction 9:00-9:10 AHB 2R07, 2R09

All rooms in Arts and Humanities Building (AHB)

	2R07 (44)	2R09 (44)	2G30 (30)	1R43 (lab 30)	1R44 (lab 30)
9:00-9:10	Welcome	Welcome			
9:15-10:05	How do I write in....?	Language diversity	Museum	Visualizing language sounds	Canadian English, eh?
10:15-11:05	How do I write in....?	Language diversity	Museum	Visualizing language sounds	Canadian English, eh?
11:05-11:55	LUNCH	LUNCH			
11:55-12:45	Language impairments	Language diversity	Museum	Visualizing language sounds	What is language?
12:55-1:45	Language impairments	How do I write in....?	Museum	Canadian English, eh?	What is language?
1:50-2:00	Closing	Closing			

How do I write in....? (Tania Granadillo)

What does Inuktitut writing look like? How does it work? What are some of the principles of writing hieroglyphs? Come learn how to write in Inuktitut and Egyptian hieroglyphs!

Language diversity (Ileana Paul)

We all know language have different sounds and different words ('dog' vs 'chien'). But how many different word orders are there? Do all languages have tense? Come learn about just how diverse human languages are.

Museum (Lyndon Rey and Chantal Lloyd)

Are you Canadian? Did you ancestors come from another part of the world? The Canadian ways of talking are all shaped by the peoples that call Canada home.

Visualizing language sounds: You are your own instrument. (David Heap)

How do we produce human language sounds? Is it possible to see these sounds? Using first your vocal tract and then with special software you will discover some basics about acoustics.

Canadian English, eh? (Michael Iannozzi)

Do you think Canadians sound like Americans? Do all Canadians talk the same? Put on your bunnyhug, grab a Bismarck Bun, and come learn all about the different ways Canadians speak.

What is Language? (Karen Pennesi)

How is human language different from other animal communication systems? Can animals learn human language?

Language impairments (Madeline Walker)

What is a language impairment? Language and the brain, what's going on? What are some kinds of language impairments?