

Preface

The Fifteenth International Workshop on Treebanks and Linguistic Theories (TLT15) is being held at Indiana University in Bloomington, Indiana (USA) 20–21 January 2017, for the first time in the USA. This year’s TLT saw the contributions of 10 solid papers. Additionally, we have the honor of including some distinguished invited speakers: James Pustejovsky (Brandeis University, USA), with a talk on *Annotating Quantifier and Modal Scope Dependencies in Uniform Meaning Representations*, and Marie-Catherine de Marneffe (The Ohio State University, USA), speaking about *Universal Dependencies: The Good, the Bad, and the Potential*. As a new addition, we also are featuring a panel on Universal Dependencies, featuring William Croft, Marie-Catherine de Marneffe, and Daniel Zeman.

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