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Present position

since 04/2014 Wissenschaftliche Mitarbeiterin (post-doctoral position)
Emerging Group *Dynamic Structure in Language and Communication*
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Education and qualifications

- 2013 French national qualification for Associate Professorship (*Maître de Conférences*) in General Linguistics (N. 14207198563), delivered by the National Council of University (*Conseil National des Universités*)
- 11/2008 **PhD** (Doctorat) in Theoretical and Computational Linguistics
Université Paris 7, Laboratoire de Linguistique Formelle (UMR 7110)
Title of the dissertation : *The semantic notion of event repetition. A study of additive and repetitive adverbs in Mandarin Chinese and a choice of Romance languages* Defended on november 29th, 2008.
Advisors : Prof. M-C. Paris and Prof. L. Tovena (Université Paris 7)
Reviewers : Prof. B. Laca (Université Paris 8)
Prof. D. Hole (Universität Stuttgart)
With honors (*Très honorable avec félicitations du jury à l'unanimité*)
- 10/2005 Admitted to the doctoral program in General Linguistics, Université Paris 7 with full PhD Fellowship (*Allocations de recherche*), allocated after national competition by the French Ministry of University and Research
- 06/2005 **Master Degree** (*Diplôme d'études approfondies*) in Chinese Linguistics
Université Paris 7, Laboratoire de Linguistique Formelle (UMR 7110)
With honors (*Mention très bien*)
- 06/2004 **BA** in Oriental Studies (*Laurea in Lingue e Civiltà Orientali*)
Faculty of Modern Languages, Università 'Ca' Foscari', Venezia (Italy)
Summa cum laude (110/110)
- 06/1999 Baccalaureat, Liceo Classico G.B. Brocchi, Bassano del Grappa (Italy)
Note : 100/100

Employment

- since 04/2014 **Wissenschaftliche Mitarbeiterin** Emerging Group *Dynamic Structure in Language and Communication*, founded by the Excellence Program of the Universität zu Köln
Collaboration to the preparation of the Sonderforschungs *Prominence in Language*
- 04/2013 – 09/2013 Maternity leave
- 11/2012 **Visiting lecturer**, Departamento de Linguística, Universidade de São Paulo (Brazil)
Grant from the Brazilian National Council for Research (CNPq)
- 02/2012 – 08/2012 **Post-Doctoral researcher** Projet PLU *Plurality and individuation of Reference*
Founded by the Laboratoire d'Excellence *Empirical Foundation of Linguistics*, Université Paris Cité. Program leader : C. Dobrovie-Sorin

- 09/2009 – 08/2011 **Full-time lecturer** (*Attaché temporaire d'enseignement et recherche*)
 Université Paris 8, Department of Language Sciences
 Undergraduate, graduate and master courses in French linguistics (192 hours/year)
- 12/2008 – 08/2009 Maternity leave
- 10/2005 – 08/2008 **Teaching assistant** (*Allocataire moniteur*)
 Université Paris 7, Departments of Linguistics and French
 Undergraduate, graduate and master courses in French linguistics (64 hours/year)
- 01/2005 – 09/2005 **Teacher** of Italian for Foreigners
 Collège Européen Sainte Thérèse, Ozoir-la-Ferrière (France)

Rankings

- 2014 Associate professorship in General Linguistics, with specialisation in semantics.
 Université de Tours. Ranked 3rd.
- 2012 Associate professorship in General Linguistics
 Université de Nantes. Ranked 2nd.
- 2011 Associate professorship in General Linguistics, with specialisation in text semantics.
 Université de Toulouse. Ranked 2nd.

Reviewing

- Since 2011 (Occasional) reviewer for the journals
Italian Journal of Linguistics / Rivista di linguistica
Natural Language and Linguistic Theory
Linguistics
Journal of Portuguese Linguistics
Recherches Linguistiques de Vincennes
- Since 2009 Reviewer for the conferences
Colloque de Syntaxe et Sémantique à Paris – CSSP (2009)
Journées d'études sur la Pluralité (2009 – 2017)
ESSLI Student session (2012)
ConSOLE (2012)
Rencontre d'Automne de Linguistique – RALFe (2014)
- Member of the scientific committee
Massif/comptable en philosophie et en linguistique
 Paris, Ecole Normale Supérieure, 2012
Theoretical East Asian Linguistics – TEAL
 Université de Nantes, 2014
International Conference on Prominence
 Universität zu Köln, 2015

Conference organisation

- 2016 International workshop *The profile of event delimitation*, 49th Annual Meeting of the Societas Linguistica Europæa (SLE) Naples, August 31-Sept 3 2016 (co-organised with Lucia Tovena)
- 2015 International workshop *Agentivity and Causation in Romance*, Universität zu Köln, November 24th, 2015 (co-organised with Marco García García)
- 2014 International workshop *Event identification and Delimitation*, Université Paris 7, March 7th, 2014 (co-organised with Lucia Tovena)
- 2010 International workshop *Bare Nouns and Genericity*, Paris, Université Paris Diderot, 7-8 oct 2010 (co-organised with Carmen Dobrovie-Sorin)
- 2008 *ConSOLE XVI – 16th International Conference of Students of Linguistics in Europe* Université Paris Diderot, January 8-10 2008 (co-organised with Nicola Lampitelli, Noam Faust, André Bittar)

Memberships

Societas Linguistica Europæa (since 2016)
European Association of Chinese Linguistics (since 2012)

Language skills

Italian (native)
French (bilingual)
Spanish (good command)
Brazilian Portuguese (good command)
German (basic)
English (proficient)

Research profile

My research focuses on the formal treatment of natural language semantics at its interface with syntax and morphology. I am interested in understanding the ontology of natural language and the way in which languages express definiteness, countability and reference in both the eventuality and nominal domain. My aim is to connect specific language phenomena to general laws, by following a comparative and theoretically informed perspective. My studies are based on the qualitative analysis of elicited data as well as on a quantitative and qualitative analysis of modern language corpora.

Together, the comparative research methodology that I privilege and the broad topic of investigating nominal and verbal parameters in Romance, foster the understanding of the micro- and macro-variation across Romance varieties, and shed a light on the relation between functional categories and semantic interpretation in a more general perspective. Some issues that I have investigated more specifically are :

- the contribution of aspect to the empirical phenomenon of event plurality. This work started with my PhD dissertation, defended in 2008, where I studied a number of adverbial markers across languages that I subsumed under a class defined by the theoretical notion of ‘event repetition’. I developed a comparative

perspective across Romance languages (Tovena & Donazzan 2008, Donazzan & Mardale 2010). In this perspective, I then extended the investigation to other related phenomena :

- the aspectual contribution of object noun phrases with different referential properties, with particular focus on bare nouns and weak indefinites in Romance (Donazzan & Gritti 2012) ;
- event identification and pluralisation in pluractional and non-pluractional languages, through a formalisation of the semantic contribution of reduplication (Donazzan & Müller 2015, Müller, Donazzan & Sanchez-Mendes submitted) and of functional aspectual markers (Donazzan 2012) ;
- the semantics of Time and the contribution of temporal and aspectual adverbs to the interpretation of sentences, in Italian and French (Donazzan & Becker to appear, Becker & Donazzan submitted) and in broader comparative perspective (Donazzan, Schwer & Tovena 2010, Jasinskaja, Chiriacescu, Donazzan et al. 2015) ;
- the referential properties of weak determiner phrases in Italian (Donazzan 2013a, Donazzan 2013b) and in French (Cangemi, Becker, Donazzan et al. 2015, Becker, Donazzan, Cangemi et al. 2015), looking in particular at the role played by contextual information such as frame setting and familiarity entailments ;
- event nominalisations and complex predicates in Italian. I focus in particular on the case of event nouns that refer to specific occurrences of events (*nomina vicis*), with the aim of refining this semantic characterisation and of comparing Italian event nouns to other Romance nominalisations (Donazzan & Tovena to appear (a) ; Donazzan & Tovena to appear (b)).

Research projects

Personal projects

(submitted, 10/2016) *Nominal and verbal events in Romance causative constructions and the semantics of (in)direct causation*

This project is about the syntax and semantics of non-lexical causative constructions in Romance languages. We will analyse causative constructions by relating their syntactic complexity to the semantics of causation, focussing in particular on the distinction between direct and indirect causal relations. Our hypothesis is that the direct/indirect causation parameter is related to the syntactic and semantic expression of the participants of the caused event(s). While previous work applied the (in)direct causation parameter to account for the structural difference between lexical (synthetic) and periphrastic (analytic) causatives, this project investigates causative relations expressed by distinct types of periphrastic constructions : (i) light-verb constructions where the causative verb embeds an event noun (It. *fare una dormita* lit. ‘make a sleeping’) ; (ii) factitive causative constructions, where the causative verb embeds an infinitive clause (It. *fare dormire i bambini* ‘make the children sleep’).

Romance synthetic causative structures have intriguing properties that have made them the subject of several outstanding studies in the past. Yet, with the exception of Vecchiato (2011), the interpretation of these constructions with respect to the semantics of causative relations has never been explored in a systematic way. This project aims at filling this gap, and proposes an analysis of syntactic causative constructions in Romance that addresses the issue of semantic composition at the interface with syntax. The comparison with complex light verb constructions, which are still relatively understudied, offers a new approach to the study of causative structures in Romance, comparing different syntactic constructions (factive and light-verb constructions) and accounting for the micro-variation across Romance varieties in a systematic way.

Activities

[•] International workshop *Agentivity and Causation in Romance*, Universität zu Köln, Nov. 24 2015

(co-organised with Marco García García)

Collaborators

Bridget Copley (Université Paris 8/CNRS); Hamida Demirdache (Université de Nantes); Marco García García (Universität zu Köln); Chiara Gianollo (Universität zu Köln); Fabienne Martin (Universität Stuttgart); Chiara Melloni (Università di Verona); Elena Soare (Université Paris 8); Lucia Tovena (Université Paris 7)

2014 – 2018

Delimiting and identifying events (DelimitEvent)

Founded by the Fédération Typologie et Universaux du Langage
(CNRS FR 2559) Co-directed with Lucia Tovena (Université Paris 7)

The project explores the issue of the identification of events as countable and measurable entities. We start from the consideration that the realisation of the properties that are accessible to functional operators for counting and measuring, traditionally defined on a temporal dimension, are not uniformly available across languages, or can be encoded in a different way at the interface with morphosyntax. A particular problem is posed by complex structures made of sub-events that are defined on causal or functional, non-temporal relations. The project gathers a network of researchers, specialists of different languages, whose contributions focus on the cross-linguistic comparison of event modifiers, and in particular on the following empirical phenomena : morpho-phonological marking of the verb ; verbal classifiers and co-verbs ; adverbs and adverbials with presuppositional and aspectual content ; event nominalisations.

Activities

[●] International workshop *The profile of event delimitation*, 49th Annual Meeting of the Societas Linguistica Europaea, Naples, August 30/Sept 2, 2016 (co-organised with Lucia Tovena)

[●] *The profile of event delimitation* Thematic issue of the *Journal of Italian Linguistics/Rivista di linguistica*. Planned for 2017

[●] International workshop *Event identification and Delimitation*, Université Paris 7, March 7th, 2014 (co-organised with Lucia Tovena)

[●] Organisation of the monthly seminars of the research group, Université Paris 7 (2014-2016)

Collaborators : Patricia Cabredo-Hofherr (Université Paris 8/CNRS); Patrick Caudal (Université Paris 7/CNRS); Bridget Copley (Université Paris 8/CNRS), Denis Creissels (Université de Lyon); Richard Huyges (Université de Fribourg); Eva Schultze-Berndt (University of Manchester); Elena Soare (Université Paris 8).

2012

Semantic variation. Event plurality in Chinese and Karitiana Founded by the Centro Nacional da Pesquisa (CNPq), Brazil. Co-directed with Ana Müller (Universidade de São Paulo)

In this project, we compare strategies of event pluralisation in two unrelated languages, Mandarin Chinese (Sino-Tibetan) and Karitiana (Arikèm, Tupi), which display determiner-less nouns and make productive use of reduplication across lexical categories, albeit with distinct semantic values. The aim is to understand the parametric differences related to morphological marking in the two languages, so as to account for semantic variation in a systematic way.

Activities

[●] Master classes, Universidade de São Paulo (USP), Brazil, fall 2012 : Verbal plurality, event plurality and pluractionality ; Counting and measuring events in a cross-linguistic perspective : (I) nominalizations and adverbs in Italian ; (II) verbal classifiers in Mandarin.

Collaborators : Ana Müller (Universidade de São Paulo); Luciana Sanchez-Mendes (Universidade Fe-

deral Fluminense); Luciana Storto (Universidade de São Paulo)

Collaborations (since 2010)

2010 – 2020 *PLU : plurality and individuation*. Project of the Labex EFL, University Paris 7 and Laboratoire de Linguistique Formelle. Directed by Carmen Dobrovie-Sorin (LLF).

2010 – 2012 *Brazilian Portuguese bare nouns at the syntax-semantic interface* Cooperation project with the Universidade Federal de Santa Catarina (UFSC), Brazil. Project leaders : Carmen Dobrovie-Sorin (LLF) and Roberta Pires de Oliveira (UFSC) Founded by CAPES-COFECUB joint program.

Publications

PhD dissertation

Donazzan, M. (2008) *La notion sémantique de répétition. Étude d'adverbes additifs et répétitifs en chinois mandarin et dans certaines langues romanes*. Université Paris 7.

Available online on the HAL repository <https://tel.archives-ouvertes.fr/tel-01313621>

Edited volumes

to appear Tovena, L. and M. **Donazzan** (to appear) *The profile of event delimitation*. Special issue of the *Italian journal of linguistics/Rivista di linguistica* Expected 2017

Peer-reviewed publications

submitted **Donazzan, M.** (sub.) (In)complete events and the grammar of causation. Submitted to *Revista Letras*, february 2017

submitted **Donazzan, M.** and M. Becker (sub.) Deissi e relazioni di coerenza testuale. Il caso di "ora". In M. Becker and L. Fesenmeier (eds.) *Serialität : Reihen, Fortsetzungen, Folgen/ Sequenzialità : collane, continuazioni, puntate*. January 2017

submitted Becker, M. and M. **Donazzan** (sub.) *Ora, or, maintenant : perspective temporelle et perspective argumentative*. Submitted to *Discours*, december 2016

accepted Tovena, L. and M. **Donazzan** Event nouns ending by -ata in Italian and the *nomen vicis* interpretation. Accepted (with revisions) by *Italian Journal of Linguistics/Rivista di linguistica*.

in press **Donazzan, M.** and L. Tovena (t.a., (a)) Pluralities of events : semelfactives and a case of "single event" nominalisation. To appear in D. Heap and S. Perpiñan (eds) *Romance Languages and Linguistic Theory 2015* John Benjamins

2016 Müller, A., M. **Donazzan** and L. Sanchez-Mendes (sub.) A Semântica dos Numerais

Distributivos : um estudo entre línguas. Revista da ABRALIN/Associação Brasileira de Linguística

- 2015 **Donazzan, M.** and A. Müller (2015) Reduplicated Numerals as Pluractionals : distributivity as a window to the individuation of events. *Journal of Portuguese Linguistics* 14 (1) : special issue *Issues in the formal semantics of referentiality* 95 – 129
- 2013 **Donazzan, M.** (2013a) Familiarity constraints on weak readings. About Italian definite DPs. *Recherches Linguistiques de Vincennes* 42. Special issue *Weak definites across languages : theoretical and experimental investigations* (ed. by C. Beyssade and R. Pires de Oliveira).
- Donazzan, M.** (2013b) Weak (in)definites, familiarity and reference to kinds. The view from Italian. *Revista da Abralín/Associação Brasileira de Linguística*, Special issue *Weak Definiteness and Referentiality*, (ed. R. Pires de Oliveira) (XII/1), janeiro/junho 2013.
- 2010 **Donazzan, M., S. Schwer** and L. Tovena (2010) Les adverbes *encore* et *zài* dans le treillis des temps verbaux de Reichenbach revisité. *Cahiers de Linguistique Asie Orientale*, 39(2) :129-155
- Donazzan, M.** and A. Mardale (2010) Aspectual and additive particles : towards an analysis for Romanian *mai*. *Revue de Linguistique Romane*, (4)/2010, Tome LV, pp. 247-269.
- 2008 Tovena, L. and M. **Donazzan** (2008) On Ways of Repeating. *Recherches Linguistiques de Vincennes* 37 Special issue *Aspect et pluralité d'événements*, pp. 85-112.

Book chapters

- to appear **Donazzan, M.** and L. Tovena (t.a., (b)) Dispositions in event nouns : decomposing the agentivity constraint. In F. Martin, M. Pitteroff and T. Pross (eds) *Morphological, syntactic and semantic aspects of dispositions*. SinSpec Series of SFB732, University of Stuttgart
- 2013 **Donazzan, M.** and L. Lemos Gritti (2013) Another look at telicity and homogeneity. Constraints on weak readings in two Romance languages. In K. V. Molsing (ed.) *Time and TAME across languages*. Cambridge : Cambridge Scholar Publishing.

Papers in proceedings of peer-reviewed conferences

- 2015 Jasinskaja, K., S. Chiriacescu, M. **Donazzan**, K. von Heusinger and S. Hinterwimmer (2015) Prominence in discourse. In De Dominicis, A.(ed.) *Prominences in linguistics. Proceedings of the pS-prominenceS International Conference*. Università della Tuscia, Viterbo : DISUCOM
- 2012 **Donazzan, M.** (2012) On counting and measuring events. *Proceedings of Sinn und Bedeutung* 17. Paris : Ecole Normale Supérieure.
- 2011 Dobrovie-Sorin, C. and M. **Donazzan** (2011) Nominalization and relativization strategies. The case of Mandarin DE. Gao Ming-le (ed) *Universals and variation. Proceedings of*

GLOW in Asia VIII, Beijing Language and Culture University Press, pp. 135-142

2008 **Donazzan, M.** (2008) Presupposition, times and degrees : the case of Mandarin hái. *Proceedings of the 20th North American Conference of Chinese Linguistics* pp. 597-611. Columbus (USA)

2007 **Donazzan, M.** and L. Tovená (2007) A temporal analysis for 'irrealis' zài. *Proceedings of the 8th Workshop of Chinese Lexical Semantics*, pp. 79-85. Hong Kong Polytechnic University

Book reviews

2016 Alla ricerca del Tempo perduto. Review of Sun (2014) *Temporal construals of Bare Predicates in Mandarin Chinese*. *Annali di Ca' Foscari - Serie Orientale*, Vol. 25, giugno 2016

Talks in peer-reviewed conferences

forthcoming Dobrovie-Sorin, C. and **M. Donazzan** Mass-count shifts and the Mass-Count distinction. *39 Jahrestagung der Deutschen Gesellschaft für Sprachwissenschaft, Workshop CALF : Coercion Across Linguistic Fields*, 8-10 march 2017, Saarbrücken : Universität des Saarlandes.

2017 Dobrovie-Sorin, C. and **M. Donazzan** More on Count Bare NPs and the Mass-Count divide. *International Workshop on Co-Distributivity 2017*, 22-23 february 2017, Paris : University of Paris 8.

2016 **Donazzan, M.** Nominal and verbal events in Romance causative structures. *Going Romance 2016*, Frankfurt am Main : Goethe Universität, 7-10 december 2016

Donazzan, M. Romance causative structures and (in)direct causation. *XI Workshop on Formal Linguistics*, Curitiba : Universidade Federal do Paraná, Nov. 9-11 2016

L. Tovená and **M. Donazzan** Verbal morphology, nominal aspect. *Chronos 12 – 12th International Conference on Tense, Aspect, Modality/Evidentiality*, Université Caen Normandie, June 2016

Donazzan, M. (2016) Varieties of pluralisation. A case study of Mandarin Chinese. *International Workshop on Co-distributivity*, Université Paris 8, february 10-11 2016

2015 **Donazzan, M.** (2015) Distributive numerals in Mandarin Chinese and the scope of pluractionality. *EACL 9 - 9th Conference of the European Association of Chinese Linguistics*. Universität Stuttgart, September 24-26 2015

Cangemi, F., M. Becker, **M. Donazzan**, L. Rousier-Vercruyssen, M. Sandoz, M. Fossard (2015) Exploration des données textuelles dans un corpus oral : un aperçu des stratégies de construction narrative. *Journées Internationales de Linguistique de Corpus* Université François Rabelais, Orléans, 2-5 september 2015

Becker, M., F. Cangemi, , **M. Donazzan**, L. Rousier-Vercruyssen, M. Sandoz, M. Fossard (2015)

Strong frames make up for weak definites. *AMLaP 2015 – Architectures and Mechanisms for Language Processing* University of Malta, 3-5 september 2015

Donazzan, M. and A. Müller (2015) Numerais Distributivos. *III CIEL - III Congresso Internacional de Estudos Linguísticos* University of Brasilia, August 17-21 2015

Tovena, L. and M. **Donazzan** (2015) Event structure in nominalisations : more on the nomen vicis interpretation. *JENom6 : 6th Workshop on Nominalizations*. University of Verona, June 30-July 1 2015

2014 **Donazzan, M.** and A. Müller (2014) Reduplication and distributivity in two numberless languages. *X Workshop on Formal Linguistics* Porto Alegre : Universidade Federal do Rio Grande do Sul (UFRGS)

Donazzan, M. and L. Tovena (2014a) Aspectual classes in event nouns : plurality and unity of events. *Chronos 11 – 11th International Conference on Tense, Aspect, Modality/Evidentiality* Pisa, Scuola Normale Superiore

Donazzan, M. and L. Tovena (2014b) Pluralities of events : a lesson from instrument semelfactives in Italian. *Linguistic Symposium of Romance Languages 44* London (Ontario), Western university

2013 **Donazzan, M.** and L. Tovena (2013a) Event decomposition and argument realization in an event noun. *JeNom 5 : 5th international workshop on nominalizations : Eventualities beyond verbs* Barcelona, Universitat Pompeu Fabra, 20-21 june 2013

Donazzan, M. and L. Tovena (2013b) Classifiers and events. *EACL 8 : 8th conference of the European Association of Chinese Linguistics*, Paris : EHESS, september 26-28 2013

2012 **Donazzan, M.** (2012) Weak (in)definites, familiarity and reference to kinds : the view from Italian. *Linguistic Symposium of Romance Languages (LSRL 42)*, Cedar City, Southern Utah University (declined for personal reasons)

Donazzan, M. (2012) Familiarity constraints and reference to kinds : the view from Italian. *Workshop on weak referentiality and definitude*, Florianopolis : UFSC

2011 Badan, L. and M. **Donazzan** (2011) Indefinite Bare Nouns in analytic languages : a case for semantic incorporation. *Third International Conference on Bare Nominals : Theory . and Experiments* Universidade Federal de Rio de Janeiro.

Badan, L. and M. **Donazzan** (2011) Types of incorporation and adverbial modification : adverbial modifiers of the NP. *14èmes Journées de Linguistique d'Asie Orientale*, Paris, EHSS

Donazzan, M. (2011) Temporal and non-temporal modals : the view from a tenseless language. *L'expression du futur dans les langues naturelles*, Università di Roma Tor Vergata, Rome

Donazzan, M. and L. Lemos Gritti (2011) Bare Nouns, episodic events and event types : a look

into perfective VPs. *Encontro Intenacional de sintaxe e semântica e suas interfaces* (EISSI), Pontificia Universidade Católica do Rio Grande do Sul (PUCRS), Porto Alegre, Brésil

- 2010 **Donazzan, M.** (2010) Counting eventualities with Indefinite Bare Nouns in Mandarin Chinese. *Joint conference of the International Association of Chinese Linguistics (IACL 17)/ North American Conference of Chinese Linguistics (NACCL)*, Harvard University
- Badan, L. and M. **Donazzan** (2010) Bare Nouns incorporation and iterative-durational phrases in Mandarin Chinese : an inquiry at the syntax-semantics interface. *Bare Nouns and Genericity*, Paris, Université Paris Diderot
- Dobrovie-Sorin, C. and M. **Donazzan** (2010) Nominalizers and relativization strategies : the case of Mandarin DE. *Adjectives and relative clauses* Università di Venezia Ca' Foscari and Université Paris I – Chaire d'Excellence *Semantic Structure and Ontological Structure*
- 2009 **Donazzan, M.** (2009) Once more again : the double side of Mandarin zài. *The 17th annual conference of the International Association of Chinese Linguistics (IACL 16)* Paris : EHESS
- Donazzan, M.** and L. Tovenà (2009) Une analyse sémantique de l'adverbe *encore* en français. *Chronos : International Conference on Tense, Aspect and Modality*. Université Paris 7
- 2008 **Donazzan, M., S. Schwer and L. Tovenà** (2008) Le Pape est encore mort. Une analyse sémantique de l'adverbe *encore* en français . *Journées d'Etudes sur Pluralité Nominale et Verbale*, Paris, Université Paris 8, novembre 2008
- 2007 **Donazzan, M.** and A. Mardale (2007) Towards a semantic analysis for Romanian *mai*. *5th Workshop of Syntax and Semantics*, Univesidad Autònoma de Barcelona
- Donazzan, M.** and A. Mardale (2007) Romanian *mai* as an additive particle. *Formal Semantics in Moscow* Moscow : Moscow State University
- Donazzan, M., S. Schwer and L. Tovenà** (2007) Apport du treillis associé à l'interprétation d'adverbes itératifs. *Symposium of the Association for French Language Studies*, Boulogne-sur-Mer : Université du Littoral
- Donazzan, M.** and L. Tovenà (2007) A temporal analysis for irrealis zài. *Journées de Sémantique et Modélisation 2007*, Paris, Université Paris 7
- 2006 **Donazzan, M.** and L. Tovenà (2006) Zài, *encore* and the issue of plurality in the event domain. *Journées d'Etude sur la Pluralité Nominale et Verbale*. Paris, Université Paris 8

Invited talks

International workshops and conferences

- 2016 (with Lucia Tovenà) Agentive dispositions and causal responsibility. A case study. Workshop "Agentivity and Event Structure", 38. Jahrestagung der Deutschen Gesellschaft für Sprachwissenschaft, Universität Konstanz, February 24-26, 2016
- 2013 (with Lucia Tovenà) A name of act. Workshop *Plurals and Nominalizations*, Paris : Université Paris 8
- 2009 On Indefinite Bare Objects in Mandarin Chinese. International Workshop *Bare Nouns : their Interpretations and Syntactic Representation*. Paris : Université Paris 7
- 2005 Additive and scalar particles : the case of Mandarin *hái*. International workshop *Even and Friends* Paris : Université Paris 7

Seminars and university-internal workshops

- 2016 L'individuation des événements dans le langage et la cognition. Quelques lignes d'exploration linguistique du sujet. *Séminaire du LLING*, Université de Nantes, March 10, 2016
- 2010 Verbal distributivity in Mandarin Chinese. Departamento de Linguística, Universidade de São Paulo (USP), Brazil
- 2012 Pluralité verbale et comptage des événements. Questions théoriques et empiriques. Université de Nantes, Laboratoire de Linguistique de Nantes.
- On the countability of events and eventualities. A look into Romance nominalizations and adverbial counters. Universidade Federal do Paraná (UFP), Curitiba (Brazil)
- 2008 (with Lucia Tovenà and Sylviane Schwer) An algebra for repetition. *Pluralité Nominale et Verbale*, Université Paris 8
- 2007 (with Lucia Tovenà) Temporal and non temporal semantics for Mandarin *zài*. *Temporalité, Typologie et Acquisition*, UMR 7023, Université Paris 8

Invited lectures

- 2010 Aspectual adverbs across languages : towards a generalization. Departamento de Letras Portuguesas, Universidade Federal de Santa Catarina (UFSC), Brazil
- Bare Nouns in Romance and Mandarin Chinese. Departamento de Letras Portuguesas, Universidade Federal de Santa Catarina (UFSC), Brazil

Teaching profile

During my training as a PhD student and in the years after my PhD, I had the opportunity to work as a teacher in university in France and Germany, at various levels, being in relation with students coming from different social and academic backgrounds.

I had the opportunity of teaching courses related to various aspects of language learning, and this experience proved to be very important for defining my own philosophy of teaching, which is the reflection of the view that I have of linguistics and of the role of academia in promoting knowledge and research.

During my service as a lecturer at Paris 7 and Paris 8, I have been teaching French grammar (focussing on syntax and semantics, and also on morpho-phonology and phonetics) and French stylistics. My courses addressed students of French for Second Language Learners (*Français Langue Etrangère*), foreign students and students of literature and arts. More recently, as part of my teaching service in Cologne, I also delivered one course focussing on comparative Romance linguistics, looking in particular at variation in the syntax and semantics of noun phrases across Romance (at the Romanisches Seminar); a further comparative course on the syntactic and morphological differences between Romance and Germanic languages is planned for the students of the English and German departments for the upcoming semester. My experience in the Romanisches Seminar at Cologne University also features a course on word order in French, in which I addressed the issue of word order variation in the perspective of grammar and of stylistics.

My experience of teaching in the German academia introduced me also to the task of supporting and evaluating research work done by students at a very early stage of their curricula, such as term papers and class reports (Hausarbeiten and Referate). In this occasion, I was also lead to help students developing the ability to structure a text or a presentation with a scientific argumentation, to find sources and to be confident in their judgments. In this perspective, I could rely on the experience that I acquired in teaching writing skills and scientific argumentation in my previous position in France. Altogether, this part of my teaching duties strengthened my belief on the importance and adequacy of the methodology that I use in lecturing.

Teaching experience

University courses

[●] Haupt- und Oberseminar, Universität zu Köln

SoSe 2016 – 2017 Institut für Deutsche Sprache und Literatur 1, Englisches Seminar
Hauptseminar *Definitheit* (with K. von Heusinger)
Hauptseminar *Comparing syntax and morphology in English and Romance*

WiSe 2016 – 2017 Romanisches Seminar
Hauptseminar *Ordre des mots et structure de l'information en français et en italien*
Hauptseminar *Noms avec et sans déterminants dans les langues romanes*

SoSe 2016 Institut für Deutsche Sprache und Literatur 1
Oberseminar *Prominence in Discourse*

[●] Undergraduate, graduate and master classes. Université Paris 7 (2005-2008) , Paris 8 (2009-2011), Lille 3 (2015-2016)

Course	Institution	Year(s)	n. hours	type
<i>Sémantique lexicale</i>	Paris8	2009-2011	48 X 2	BA
<i>Stylistique du français</i>	Paris8	2009-2011	48 X 2	BA
<i>Introduction à la linguistique</i>	Paris8	2009-2011	92h X 2	BA
<i>Sémantique di temps et de l'espace</i>	Paris8	2010-2011	24h	MA
<i>Sémantique du temps en Chinois et français</i>	Paris8	2009-2010	12h	MA
<i>Argumentation</i>	Paris8	2009-2011	48h X 2	BA
<i>Phonétique, phonologie, morphologie du Français</i>	Paris7	2005-2008	48h X 3	BA
<i>Syntaxe du Français</i>	Paris7	2007-2008	48h	MA/BA
<i>Sémantique formelle</i>	Paris7	2007-2008	24h	MA

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