

Workshop title: Measurement and Analysis of Morphological Complexity in Aphasia

Date: Friday, 19th September 2025

Location: Department of Nordic Studies and Linguistics, University of Copenhagen

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In connection with Science of Aphasia 2025, we plan to host a targeted workshop on the measurement and analysis of morphological complexity in aphasia. The main objective is to get an overview of the methods and metrics for morphological patterns or complexity in aphasiological research currently in use and develop suggestions for indexing morphological complexity.

At the workshop, invited speakers will present their data from aphasia in languages that are highly morphologically complex (synthetic, agglutinative, fusional) and will – together with workshop attendees – discuss best practices of elicitation techniques, data analysis, measures of morphological complexity, etc. Workshop attendees are invited to contribute perspectives from languages they study in discussion sessions. The workshop aims to be highly methods- and data-oriented, especially in terms of the granularity of linguistic detail. The workshop will link to Monday's session on Crosslinguistic Aphasia & Linguistic Theory.

Workshop attendance incurs no additional fee but is subject to registration. Please email soa2025@hum.ku.dk to register for the workshop.

Outcomes

- 1) To develop a methods paper based on the discussion with workshop presenters and interested attendees being the co-authors.
- 2) The creation of a network of scholars to meet quarterly to discuss aspects of morphological research in the context of adult neurological conditions.

Tentative workshop structure

9:00-10:00 Overview of previous work (organisers)

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10:00-10.30	Presenter 1
10:30-11:00	Presenter 2
11:00-11:30	Small groups discussions with coffee break
11:30-12:00	Whole group discussion
12:00-12:45	Lunch
13:00-13:30	Presenter 3
13:30-14:00	Presenter 4
14:00-14:30	Small groups discussions and break
14:30-15:00	Presenter 5
15:00-15:30	Presenter 6
15:30-16:00	Whole group discussion
16:00-16:15	Break
16:15-16:45	Action points and plans for methods paper
