Subject Gooniyandi text

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Dear Prof. Hodge,

my name is Chris Bentz, I'm a PostDoc at the University of Zurich involved in a project to build a text corpus for 100 typologically diverse languages in order to also give under-resourced languages a place in corpus linguistics (<a href="https://www.spur.uzh.ch/en/departments/research/textgroup/MorphDiv.html">https://www.spur.uzh.ch/en/departments/research/textgroup/MorphDiv.html</a>). Particularly for some of the smaller languages it is a difficult task to find text material. In our search we came across your publication on "Structures of language and myth: an analysis of Gooniyandi text". I wanted to inquire whether you have objections to us extracting the example text to get machine readable texts of Gooniyandi, of course with reference to your original work. The aim is to eventually make the 100 language corpus available under a CC by 4.0 license to the public.

Thanks for your time, Chris Bentz

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