



Review

Interpersonal function

Phatic and Communicative

Speech acts

- · Informative, Constitutive, and Obligative
- · Felicity conditions

Grice's Maxims

- The coöperative principle (and its ramifications)
- Speaking and understanding (conversational implicature)

Note that from a top-down (functional) view of linguistic performance, context is everything; however, a bottom-up nuts-and-bolts approach is necessary to gain maximum insight into language

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