# Recent NLP Highlights AM11/AM12

Week 1

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## who's this?

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#### this course

- AM11 / AM12 Current Topics in Computational Linguistics
- "Recent NLP Highlights"
- We'll read and discuss recent(-ish) literature on NLP.
- Recent = Neural Networks.
- Recent-ish: Not from this week's ArXiV feed. "Classics"

#### course website

- https://compling-potsdam.github.io/sose19-am11-nlphighlights/
- Piazza for class: <u>https://piazza.com/uni-potsdam.de/spring2019/msccogsysam11am12/home</u>

## summary

- (at least) once: prepare session, ie. provide background information, important parts of paper, etc. (see website)
- always: read paper, and contribute to discussion

### next week

I need one brave volunteer for next week!

#### homework

- Please register on PULS, if you haven't already.
- Send me (by email, <u>david.schlangen@uni-potsdam.de</u>) your three choices (ranked). Use AUTHOR [et al.] YEAR + TITLE to denote paper.
  - By end of Sunday April 14.

## advertisement

• The CL Colloquium! <a href="https://github.com/compling-potsdam/sose19-cl-colloquium">https://github.com/compling-potsdam/sose19-cl-colloquium</a>

| Week | Date       | Presenter(s)                      | Title / Abstract                              |
|------|------------|-----------------------------------|---|
| 01   | 2019-04-10 | no talk scheduled                 |   |
| 02   | 2019-04-17 | David Schlangen                   | Information on getting credit for this course |
| 03   | 2019-04-24 | CL students                       | Poster Slam                                   |
| 04   | 2019-05-01 | public holiday                    |   |
| 05   | 2019-05-08 | Alan Nichols (RASA)               | tba   |
| 06   | 2019-05-15 | Shlomi Hod (Potsdam)              | tba   |
| 07   | 2019-05-22 | Alan Akbik (Zalando)              | tba   |
| 80   | 2019-05-29 | no talk scheduled                 |   |
| 09   | 2019-06-05 | no talk scheduled                 |   |
| 10   | 2019-06-12 | Staffan Larsson (Gothenburg)      | tba   |
| 11   | 2019-06-19 | Feiyu Xu (Lenovo) to be confirmed | tba   |
| 12   | 2019-06-26 | Milica Gasic (Düsseldorf)         | tba   |
| 13   | 2019-07-03 | Raquel Fernández (Amsterdam)      | tba   |
| 14   | 2019-07-10 | no talk scheduled                 |   |
| 15   | 2019-07-17 | no talk scheduled                 |   |