

Dr. Eleni Metheniti

Curriculum Vitae

PERSONAL DETAILS

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WORK EXPERIENCE

Postdoctoral Researcher in RAKEL Project

February 2024 - ongoing

Artificial and Natural Intelligence Toulouse Institute (ANITI)

- Research on LLM explainability and hallucinations
- Teaching NLP and Neural Network modules in Intro2AI class

Postdoctoral Researcher in Andiamo Project February 2023 - July 2024 Institut de Recherche en Informatique de Toulouse (IRIT)

- Participation in DISRPT 2023 Shared Task: Discourse Relation Classification across Formalisms
- Development of systems for discourse analysis with multilingual and multi-framework capacities

Research Assistant in iRead Project

April 2017 - October 2019

Deutsches Forschungszentrum für Künstliche Intelligenz, Part-time

- Construction of age-specific German corpus and word dictionary with phonological, morphological, orthographic features.
- Construction of German Grammar with phonological, morphological, syntactic rules and assigned rule difficulty based on Language Acquisition theory.
- Construction of Syntactic rule matching algorithm using aforementioned syntactic rules in order to assign syntactic difficulty to text based on syntactic complexity.

Language Consultant in vivl.io

July 2014 - January 2016

thinking lpc, Part-time

- Linguistic and literary analysis of book text, digital annotations based on TEI XML specifications.
- Member of the winning team of HackTheBook hackathon, Athens 2016.

EDUCATION

PhD Researcher

November 2019 - June 2023

CNRS & University of Toulouse 2

Thesis title: What do you know, BERT? Exploring the linguistic competencies of Transformer-based contextual word embeddings

Thesis advisors: Dr. Nabil Hathout (CLLE), Dr. Tim Van de Cruys (KU Leuven)

MSc Language Science and Technology

October 2016 - September 2019

Saarland University

Thesis title: Linguistically-inspired neural morphological inflection

Thesis advisors: Dr. Günter Neumann, Dr. Josef van Genabith

BA Greek Philology, Major in Linguistics

October 2010 - September 2015

University of Patras

Thesis title (in Modern Greek): A clitic dictionary of Modern Greek nouns & adjectives in Python Thesis advisor: Dr. Kyriakos Sgarbas (Dept. of Electrical and Computer Engineering)

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(PEER-REVIEWED, DOUBLE-BLIND)

Politician—An Imitation Game D. Kuboň, E. Metheniti, and B. Hladká International Conference on Internet Science	2017
Wikinflection: Massive semi-supervised generation of multilingual inflectional corpus from Wiktionary E. Metheniti and G. Neumann	2018
Proceedings of the 17th International Workshop on Treebanks and Linguistic Theo (TLT 2018)	ries
Identifying Grammar Rules for Language Education with Dependency Parsing in German E. Metheniti, P. Park, K. Kolesova, and G. Neumann International Conference on Dependency Linguistics (DepLing)	2019
Wikinflection corpus: A (better) multilingual, morpheme-annotated inflectional corpus E. Metheniti and G. Neumann Proceedings of the Twelfth Language Resources and Evaluation Conference	2020
How relevant are selectional preferences for transformer-based language models? E. Metheniti, T. Van de Cruys, and N. Hathout Proceedings of the 28th International Conference on Computational Linguistics (LR 2020)	2020 REC
Prédire l'aspect linguistique en anglais au moyen de transformers E. Metheniti, T. Van de Cruys, and N. Hathout Actes de la 28e Conférence sur le Traitement Automatique des Langues Nature Volume 1: conférence principale	2021 elles.
About Time: Do Transformers Learn Temporal Verbal Aspect? E. Metheniti, T. Van de Cruys, and N. Hathout 12th Workshop on Cognitive Modeling and Computational Linguistics (CMCL 2022)	2022 2)
"Chère maison" or "maison chère"? Transformer-based prediction of adjective placement in French E. Metheniti, T. Van de Cruys, W. Kerkri, J. Thuilier, and N. Hathout Findings of the Association for Computational Linguistics: EACL 2023	2023
DisCut and DiscReT: MELODI at DISRPT 2023 E. Metheniti, C. Braud, P. Muller, and L. Rivière 3rd Shared Task on Discourse Relation Parsing and Treebanking (DISRPT 2023)	2023
Feature-augmented model for multilingual discourse relation classification E. Metheniti, C. Braud, and P. Muller 5th Workshop on Computational Approaches to Discourse (CODI 2024)	2024
Zero-shot learning for multilingual discourse relation classification E. Metheniti, P. Muller, C. Braud, and M. Hernández-Casas Proceedings of the 2024 Joint International Conference on Computational Linguist Language Resources and Evaluation (LREC-COLING 2024)	2024 tics,

REFERENCES

Available on demand by Prof. Dr. Nabil Hathout (<u>nabil.hathout@univ-tlse2.fr</u>) and Dr. Philippe Muller (philippe.muller@irit.fr).

SCHOLARSHIPS

CNRS Project 80|Prime

2019 - 2023

3-year full-time funding of doctoral thesis.

Erasmus+ Mobility for Traineeships

January 2015 - April 2015

Scholarship for an international internship in the European Union.

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Master's Thesis Supervisor

2021-2022

Ordre des mots et modèles neuronnaux: La place de l'adjectif epithète en français Wissam Kerkri, Co-supervision with Juliette Thuilier, University of Toulouse 2

Master's Thesis Supervisor

2021-2022

Prédire l'aspect verbal en français avec des modèles neuronaux Nikola Telenga, Co-supervision with Nabil Hathout, University of Toulouse 2

Program Committee Member

Since 2018

ACL Rolling Review (various), ACL, EMNLP, EACL, CONVERSATIONS, LoResMT

Session Chair

EACL 2024

LANGUAGES

Modern Greek, English French, Ancient Greek, Latin Spanish Fluent

Advanced

Intermediate

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Programming Languages Python (advanced), Perl (basic), Java (basic)

Python Libraries Transformers, PyTorch, Keras, pandas, nltk, matplotlib

Markup Languages-Vocabularies HTML, XHTML, XML, Dublin Core

Other GitHub, GitLab, LATEX, WordPress