



Partition and Individuation in Germanic & Slavic

Stuttgart, 15.06. – 17.06.2022

This is the kick-off workshop of the DFG-funded project *Partition and Individuation in Germanic* (PartInG) which examines phenomena such as (pseudo-) partitivity, measuring, counting, singling-out and their various lexicalization strategies – case marking, prepositions, (indefinite) articles, inflection etc. Close attention is paid to the fine structure of the lower nominal domain, structure-meaning correlations, syncretisms and multifunctionality of the items involved.

The workshop is intended to bring together our cooperation partners, and is co-hosted by Ljudmila Geist's DFG- project on the *Fine Structure of the Noun Phrase*.

We intend to use this opportunity to elaborate on our agenda, discuss research strategies, present preliminary results, and refine our research questions. The program furthermore includes three open/general discussion sessions on **lexical properties of n/N**, **countability**, and **multifunctionality**.

You are cordially invited to attend our workshop!

Should you wish to do so, please drop us a line:

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Program Workshop on “Partition and Individuation in Germanic & Slavic”

	Wednesday, 15.06 (M 17.16)*	Thursday, 16.06 (tba)	Friday, 17.06 (M 17.15)
9-10	informal meeting, coffee	<i>Svetlana Petrova</i> On the distribution of strong and weak adjectival inflection in OHG	<i>Sigríður Sæunn Sigurðardóttir</i> Nascent change in Modern Icelandic: The emergence of an indefinite article
10.15-11.15	11.00 Welcome and introduction Ellen Brandner	<i>Johanna Wood</i> On measure nouns and pseudopartitives	<i>Alex Rehn</i> The defective German indefinite paradigm - a new perspective from non-standard varieties
11.30-12.30	<i>Martina Wiltschko</i> Above and beyond the DP: the configuration of interaction in the nominal domain	<i>Pavel Caha</i> On the relationship among pseudopartitives, counting constructions and plurals	<i>Tom Leu</i> How complex “ein”-determiners help teasing apart adjectival agreement and oblique case morphology
14-15	<i>Paolo Acquaviva</i> (What) Does the nominal spine mean? Conceptual ontology and lexical knowledge.	<i>Alex Pfaff</i> Divide and count. On measuring and counting in natural language	<i>Ellen Brandner</i> On grammaticalization and nanosyntax
15.15-16.15	<i>Ljudmila Geist</i> The fine-grained structure of countability in Slavic: singulative, plural and mass/count elasticity General discussion: What is in little n?	General discussion: Countability and (Pseudo-)Partitivity	General discussion: How to deal with multifunctionality?
	Dinner	social event (to be announced)	

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