MWE 2021
Opening

Online workshop at ACL 2021, August 6 2021
MWE 2021

https://multiword.org/mwe2021

● 17th edition of the Workshop on Multiword Expressions

● Proceedings online on ACL Anthology
  ○ https://aclanthology.org/volumes/2021.mwe-1/

● Organized and sponsored by
  ○ Special Interest Group on the Lexicon (SIGLEX) of the ACL
MWE 2021 stats

- 19 submissions
  - 10 long papers
  - 9 short papers
- 7 accepted papers
  - 4 long papers
  - 3 short papers
- **36% acceptance rate overall**
- 1 invited ACL Findings paper
- All papers presented orally, some available as videos
Program at a glance (times in CEST)

- 14:00-14:10 Opening
- 14:10-14:30 **Session 1: Long Papers** (chair: Preslav Nakov)
  - 5 papers, 18min each including Q&A
- 15:50-16:05 Break ✉️
- 16:05-17:05 **Session 2: Invited talk** (Chair: Paul Cook)
  - A long hard look at MWEs in the age of Language Models by Vered Shwartz
- 17:05-17:20 Group picture 📸 and Break ✉️
- 17:20-18:05 **Session 3: Short Papers** (Chair: Vered Shwartz)
  - 3 papers, 13min each including Q&A
- 18:05-18:20 Break ✉️
- 18:20-19:00 **Session 4: Joint panel with WOAH** (Chairs: Jelena Mitrović, Bertie Vidgen)
  - On GatherTown: Thematic spaces
- 19:00-19:20 **Session 5: Community discussion** (Chair: Carlos Ramisch)
  - Back to MWE's zoom
How does it work?

- Single zoom session, except for joint session with WOAH (Gather.town)

- **Presenters, session chairs**
  - Long papers = 20 min, short papers = 15 min
    - Presentation should last 13..15 min / 8..10 min for long / short papers
    - Q&A should last 3-5 min after presentation
    - Please allow 1-2 min for transitions
  - The session chair will help keep the timing, keep an eye on their video
  - Please turn off your mic when others are speaking

- **Attendees**
  - Type your questions in the zoom chat at any moment
    - Questions typed on Underline are not visible on zoom
    - You cannot delete messages from the chat
  - OR use the "Raise hand" button and join the live session with mic/camera
  - Asking questions live makes the workshop more lively/human :-)

- Avoid "zoom fatigue": frequent breaks to stretch, drink water, eat a snack, ...
Invited talk

Vered Shwartz

A long hard look at MWEs in the age of Language Models

At 14:05 UTC (16:05 CEST, 10:05 EDT) on zoom
Organisation

- **Program chairs**
  - Paul Cook
  - Jelena Mitrović
  - Carla Parra Escartín
  - Ashwini Vaidya

- **Publication chairs**
  - Petya Osenova
  - Shiva Taslimipoor

- **Communication chair**
  - Carlos Ramisch
Thank you!


Session chairs: Paul Cook, Jelena Mitrović, Preslav Nakov, Carlos Ramisch, Vered Shwartz, Bertie Vidgen

ACL 2021 organizers, workshop chairs, volunteers, Underline staff

All authors, presenters, participants
Enjoy the workshop!