

DOCTORAL PROGRAMME

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Multilingualism: Acquisition, Education, and Society
University of Fribourg | Institute of Multilingualism

On Field Access in Language Research: Echange d'expérience / Erfahrungsaustausch

Organisation

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Abstract

In this workshop, we will be looking at questions of field access in language research. The aim of the workshop is to critically discuss and reflect on experiences in the field, to share 'success stories' and/or 'fallback options', and to provide participants with concepts and ideas on how to deal with challenges that almost necessarily arise prior to and during the process of collecting empirical data.

Program

A short introduction by Prof. Alexandre Duchêne will be followed by insightful fieldwork accounts provided by Dr. Renata Coray, Dr. Beatriz Lorente, Stefanie Meier, Dr. Elisabeth Peyer, and Eva Wiedenkel. Concludingly, the workshop will allow participants to elaborate on questions of how to gain (long term) access to their particular area of research and to its possibly (politically or otherwise) sensible data.

The languages of the workshop will be German, French and English.

Venue

Institute of Multilingualism, Murtengasse 24 / Rue de Morat 24,
1700 Fribourg, Room K1.03

Participation

Doctoral students of the programme's partner universities (Fribourg, Berne, and Lausanne) are eligible to participate. Students from other Swiss universities may participate depending on places available.

Registration

To register, please contact Naomi Shafer (naomi.shafer@unifr.ch) by Feb. 20, 2019.

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The event is part of the doctoral programme Multilingualism: Acquisition, Education, and Society. It is organized by the Institute of Multilingualism and the study domain Multilingualism and foreign languages at the University of Fribourg and carried out in close collaboration with the Center for the Study of Language and Society of the University of Bern and with professors from the University of Lausanne.