



**Course literature for LINN15 Linguistics: Language in the Visual Modality
- Gestures and Sign, 7,5 hp**

Approved by Section 1 at the Centre for Languages and Literature, on 4 December 2019.

Obligatory literature

- Bavelas, J., Gerwing, J., Sutton, C., & Prevost, D. (2008). Gesturing on the telephone: Independent effects of dialogue and visibility. *Journal of Memory and Language*, 58(2), 495–520. (25 pp.)
- Gullberg, M. (2010). Methodological reflections on gesture analysis in SLA and bilingualism research. *Second Language Research*, 26(1), 75- 102. (27 pp.)
- Gullberg, M., de Bot, K., & Volterra, V. (2008). Gestures and some key issues in the study of language development. *Gesture*, 8(2), 149-179. (30 pp.)
- Kelly, S. D., Barr, D. J., Breckinridge Church, R., & Lynch, K. (1999). Offering a hand to pragmatic understanding: The role of speech and gesture in comprehension and memory. *Journal of Memory and Language*, 40(4), 577-592. (15 pp.)
- Kelly, S. D., McDevitt, T., & Esch, M. (2009). Brief training with co-speech gesture lends a hand to word learning in a foreign language. *Language and Cognitive Processes*, 24(2), 313 - 334. (21 pp.)
- Kendon, A. (1986). Some reasons for studying gesture. *Semiotica*, 62(1/2), 3-28. (25 pp.)
- Kendon, A. (1994). Do gestures communicate?: A review. *Research on Language and Social Interaction*, 27(3), 175-200. (25 pp.)
- Kita, S., & Özyürek, A. (2003). What does cross-linguistic variation in semantic coordination of speech and gesture reveal?: Evidence for an interface representation of spatial thinking and speaking. *Journal of Memory and Language*, 48(1), 16-32. (16 pp.)
- De Ruiter, J.-P. (2007). Postcards from the mind: The relationship between speech, gesture and thought. *Gesture*, 7(1), 21-38. (17 pp.)
- Sandler, W. & Lillo-Martin, D. (2002). Natural Sign Languages. In Aronoff, M. and J. Rees-Miller (eds), *The Handbook of Linguistics*. Blackwell Publishing. Blackwell Reference Online. 10 December 2010.
- Senghas, A., Kita, S., & Özyürek, A. (2004). Children creating core properties of language: Evidence from an emerging sign language in Nicaragua. *Science*, 305(5691), 1779-1782. (3 pp.)

- Streeck, J. (2009). Forward-gesturing. *Discourse Processes*, 46(2), 161-179. (18 pp.)
- Tomasello, M., & Camaioni, L. (1997). A comparison of the gestural communication of apes and human infants. *Human Development*, 40, 7-24. (17 pp.)
- Willems, R. M., & Hagoort, P. (2007). Neural evidence for the interplay between language, gesture, and action: A review. *Brain and Language*, 101(3), 278-289. (11 pp.)

Reference literature

- Goldin-Meadow, S., Chee So, W., Özyürek, A., & Mylander, C. (2008). The natural order of events: how speakers of different languages represent events nonverbally. *Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences of the USA*, 105(27), 9163-9168. (5 pp.)
- Gullberg, M. (2006). Some reasons for studying gesture and second language acquisition (Hommage à Adam Kendon). *International Review of Applied Linguistics*, 44(2), 103-124. (21 pp.)
- Kendon, A. (1995). Gestures as illocutionary and discourse structure markers in Southern Italian conversation. *Journal of Pragmatics*, 23(3), 247-279. (32 pp.)
- Kendon, A. (2004). *Gesture. Visible action as utterance*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press. Chapter 7, pp.108-126. (18 pp.)
- Kita, S. (2009). Cross-cultural variation of speech-accompanying gesture: A review. *Language and Cognitive Processes*, 24(2), 145 - 167. (22 pp.)
- McNeill, D. (1992). *Hand and mind. What the hands reveal about thought*. Chicago: Chicago University Press. Chapter 1-2, + pp. 75-94. (19 pp.)
- Newport, E. L., & Meier, R. P. (1985). The acquisition of American Sign Language. In Dan I. Slobin (Ed.), *The Crosslinguistic Study of Language Acquisition*. Volume 1: The Data (pp. 881-938). Hillsdale, NJ: Erlbaum.
- Woll, B. (2012). Second language acquisition of Sign Language. In Chapelle, C. (Ed.) *The Encyclopedia of Applied Linguistics*. New York: Wiley Blackwell. Doi: [10.1002/9781405198431.wbeal1050](https://doi.org/10.1002/9781405198431.wbeal1050)

(Total: ca 367 pp



LUNDS
UNIVERSITET

Språk- och litteraturcentrum