

**Facing the Interfaces:
Linking Language to Domain-General Processes**

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Irrespective of whether we view human language as a fundamentally domain-specific faculty or as a specialized instantiation and application of domain-general mechanisms, we have to describe and explain how language operates in coordination with other areas of cognition. In this talk, I will highlight some recent examples of psycho- and neurolinguistics studies from my lab (and other labs) that have explored the interfaces between language and memory, perception, and executive control. The long-range goal is not to only understand how language itself is structured, but moreover how human cognition is organized to allow for real-time language use.