Tagungsankündigung / Conference Announcement

"Word formation and discourse structure" (May 5-6, 2022; Leipzig, Germany)

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The workshop seeks to resume the relation between word formation and discourse structure by taking into account a wide range of word formation patterns with a focus on advanced discourse models and empirical approaches. This includes questions such as:

- Which discourse relations can be evoked by word formation patterns?
- How does formal recurrence of word formation elements increase coherence? More generally: What is the role of frequency in this connection?
- Which role do conversion and other word formation processes besides derivation and compounding play in this connection?
- How do word formation categories other than nominalization contribute to the coherence of the text and establishing discourse relations?
- In which way do different kinds of event nominalizations contribute to establishing the discourse structure? What about affixes that are not event nominalizations?
- How are related elements limited by distance?

Important dates:

Deadline for registration: April 25, 2022 Conference dates: May 5 & 6, 2022

Invited speaker: Manfred Stede, University of Potsdam

The workshop is planned to take place on site. Call for Papers is already closed.

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