

Advancing Prosodic Transcription for Spoken Language Science and Technology
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We believe the time is ripe to review the major approaches to prosodic transcription that have been developed over the past few decades, compare their various motivations, strengths and challenges, and consider how to move forward toward a more comprehensive and more universally accepted approach to the prosodic labeling of large corpora. To this end we will be conducting a workshop with invited speakers who include developers of transcription systems as well as researchers who are using these systems in their investigation and/or developing large prosodically labelled corpora. In addition we invite submissions of one-page abstracts for an accompanying poster session. The work should address transcription systems or practices, the development of speech databases related to prosody, and/or the use of prosodic transcription in speech research.

Abstract due date: Wednesday February 29, 2012

Decisions announced: April 1, 2012

Date of Workshop: Monday July 30, 2012

Abstract format: 1-page abstract (1" margins, single-spaced, and no smaller than 10 pt font) with a second page for figures and references. Submissions should be sent to Advancing.Prosodic.Transcription@gmail.com.

Inquiries can be sent to the organizers at jsc@illinois.edu or sshuf@mit.edu.

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