

Curriculum Vitae

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Current position

2005-2008 Post-Doc LPC, CNRS & Université de Provence, France

Education

1999-2005 Psychology Ph.D., Harvard University, USA

1994-1999 Cognitive Science MA, Radboud University, the Netherlands

1992-1994 Computer Science Propaedeuse (BA), Radboud University, the Netherlands

Teaching

2001-2002 Psychology 1357 “Evolution of Language”

2001-2002 Psychology 13 “Introduction to Cognitive Psychology”

2000-2001 Psychology 1302 “The Psychology of Language”

Professional activities

Research Assistant at Max Planck Institute for Psycholinguistics, 1998-1999

Co-organizer and part of scientific committee ESCOP 2007

Honors & Awards

2006-2007 Fyssen Foundation Post-doctoral Fellowship (extension)

2005-2006 Fyssen Foundation Post-doctoral Fellowship

2002-2003 Sackler Scholarship in Psychobiology

2001-2002 Derek Bok Excellence in Teaching Award

2000-2001 Graduate Student Society Summer fellowship award

1999-2001 Harvard University stipend fellowship

1999-2000 Fulbright fellowship award

Professional Memberships

European Society of Cognitive Psychology (ESCOP)

Cognitive Science Society
Psychonomics Society of America

Ad-hoc reviewing

Language and Cognitive Processes
Cognitive Neuropsychology
Current Psychology Letters

Publications

- Janssen, N., & Caramazza, A. (2003). Selection of closed-class words in noun phrase production: The case of Dutch determiners. *Journal of Memory and Language*, 48, 635-652.
- Finkbeiner, M., Almeida, J., Janssen, N., & Caramazza, A. (2006). Lexical selection in bilingual speech production does not involve language suppression. *Journal of Experimental Psychology: Learning, Memory, and Cognition*, 32, 1075-1089.
- Janssen, N., Schirm, W., Mahon, B., & Caramazza, A. (2008). Semantic interference in a delayed naming task: Evidence for the response exclusion hypothesis. *Journal of Experimental Psychology: Learning, Memory and Cognition*, 34, 249-256.
- Janssen, N., Alario, F.-X., & Caramazza, A. (2008). A word-order constraint on phonological activation. *Psychological Science*, 19, 216-220.
- Janssen, N., Bi, Y., & Caramazza, A. A tale of two frequencies: Determining the speed of lexical access in Mandarin Chinese and English compounds. (*Language and Cognitive Processes*, in press).
- Janssen, N., Melinger, A., Mahon, B. Z., Finkbeiner, M., Geiger, K., & Caramazza, A. The role of grammatical class information in language production. (submitted)
- Bi, Y., Wei, T., Janssen, N., & Han, Z. The contribution of orthography to spoken word production: Evidence from Chinese. (submitted)
- Janssen, N., & Caramazza, A. Grammatical and phonological influences on word order. (submitted)
- Janssen, N. & Caramazza, A. Lexical selection in a multi-word context. (submitted).
- Kroll, J. F., Dijkstra, A., Janssen, N., & Schriefers, H. Selecting the language in which to speak: Cued-picture naming experiments on lexical access in bilingual production. (in preparation).
- Janssen, N. (2005). The dynamics of grammatical and phonological processing in language production. Unpublished Doctoral Dissertation. Harvard University, Cambridge, MA, USA.

Janssen, N. (1999). Bilingual word production: The time course of lexical activation in a mixed language context. Unpublished Master's Thesis. University of Nijmegen, The Netherlands.

Conferences – Oral presentations

Janssen, N., Alario, F.-X., & Caramazza, A. (2007). Language-specific influences on the production of color and object names. The 48st Annual Meeting of the Psychonomic Society 2007, Long Beach, CA, USA.

Janssen, N., Alario, F.-X., & Caramazza, A. (2007). Language-specific influences on the production of color and object names. The XVth Annual Meeting of the European Society for Cognitive Psychology, Marseille, France.

Janssen, N., Mahon, B. Z., Schirm, W., & Caramazza, A. (2007). Semantic interference in a delayed naming task: Evidence for the Response Exclusion Hypothesis. The Annual Meeting of the Architecture and Machines for Language Processing conference, Turku, Finland.

Conferences – Poster presentations

Janssen, N., Melinger, A., Finkbeiner, M., Mahon, B. Z. M., & Caramazza, A. (2008). The grammatical class effect in the Picture-Word Interference paradigm. The 14th Annual Meeting of the Architecture and Machines for Language Processing conference, Cambridge, UK.

Janssen, N., Schiller, N. O., & Alario, F.-X. (2008). The Production of Free Standing and Bound Morphemes in Language Production: A Task Comparison [Abstract]. In B. C. Love, K. McRae, & V. M. Sloutsky (Eds.), Proceedings of the 30th Annual Conference of the Cognitive Science Society (p. 201). Austin, TX: Cognitive Science Society.

Janssen, N., Melinger, A., Finkbeiner, M., Mahon, B. Z. M., & Caramazza, A. (2008). The grammatical class effect in the Picture-Word Interference paradigm. The 5th meeting of the International Workshop on Language Production, Annapolis, MD, USA.

Ayora, P., Janssen, N., Dell'Acqua, R. & Alario, F.-X. (2008). Attentional requirements for selecting words from different grammatical categories. The 5th meeting of the International Workshop on Language Production, Annapolis, MD, USA.

Riès, S., Janssen, N., Dufau, S., Alario, F.-X., Burle, B. (2008). Characterization of electroencephalographic (EEG) components elicited by overt speech production in the picture-naming task. The 5th meeting of the International Workshop on Language Production, Annapolis, MD, USA.

Janssen, N., Alario, F.-X., & Caramazza, A. (2007). Language-specific influences on the production of color and object names. The 4th meeting of the International workshop on Language Production, Muenster, Germany.

Janssen, N., Mahon, B. Z., Schirm, W., & Caramazza, A. (2007). Semantic interference in a delayed naming task: Evidence for the Response Exclusion Hypothesis. The XVth Annual Meeting of the European Society for Cognitive Psychology, Marseille, France.

Janssen, N., Alario, F.-X., & Caramazza, A. (2007). Language-specific influences on the production of color and object names. The Annual Meeting of the Architecture and Machines for Language Processing conference, Turku, Finland.

Janssen, N. (2007). Numbers of stages in lexical access: Implications from compound word production. Morphological Processing Workshop 2007. Marseille, France.

Janssen, N., & Caramazza, A. (2005). The selection of free standing and bound morphemes: Evidence from Dutch adjectives. CUNY 2005. Tucson, AZ, USA.

Janssen, N. Bi, Y., & Caramazza, A. (2004). The number of layers in lexical access: Implications from compound word production. Trends in Current European Cognitive Psychology Symposium, Napoli, Italy.

Invited talks

Janssen, N. (2008). Constrained based models of syntactic processing in language production. Department of Psychology, Universidad La Laguna, Tenerife, Spain.

Janssen, N. (2007). The dynamics of processing in language production. Language and Cognition Group, Leiden University, the Netherlands.

Janssen, N. (2006). Processing dynamics of syntactic and phonological information in language production. State Key Laboratory of Cognitive Neuroscience, Beijing Normal University, China.

Janssen, N. (2006). Processing dynamics of syntactic and phonological information in language production. Laboratoire de Psychologie Cognitive, Marseille, France.

Janssen, N. (2004). Interaction of syntax and phonology in language production. Paper presented at the Cognitive, Brain and Behavior program at Harvard University

Janssen, N. (2004). Influence of syntax on word form priming. Paper presented at the Cognitive Neuropsychology Lab, Columbia University, New York.

Janssen, N. (2001). The selection of function words in language production. Paper presented at the Cognitive, Brain and Behavior program at Harvard University.

Refereed abstracts and conference proceedings

Janssen, N., Alario, F.-X., & Caramazza, A. (2007). Language-specific influences on the production of color and object names. (abstract) Proceedings of the 48th Annual Meeting of the Psychonomic Society, Long Beach, CA, USA.

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- Janssen, N. (2007). Numbers of stages in lexical access: Implications from compound word production. (abstract) Proceedings of the Morphological Processing Workshop. Marseille, France.
- Janssen, N., & Caramazza, A. (2005). The selection of free standing and bound morphemes: Evidence from Dutch adjectives. (abstract) Proceedings of the CUNY conference on sentence processing, Tucson, AZ, USA.
- Kroll, J. F., Dijkstra, A., Janssen, N. & Schriefers, H. (2000). Selecting the language in which to speak: Experiments on lexical access in bilingual production. (abstract) Proceedings of The 41st Annual Meeting of the Psychonomic Society, New Orleans, LA, USA.
- Kroll, J.F., Dijkstra, A., Janssen, N., Schriefers, H. (1999) Cross-language lexical activity during production: Evidence from cued-picture naming. (abstract). Proceedings of The European Society for Cognitive Psychology, Ghent, Belgium.