

ÚFAL Meeting

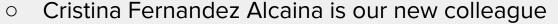
IMPAKT, Prague, February 1, 2022

Barbora Hladká



Cheers!

- Ondřej Dušek received an ERC grant
 - "Next-Generation Natural Language Generation"
- Jindřich Libovický is back from Munich
 - Mainly on the EC's "WELCOME" project
 PI: Pavel Pecina

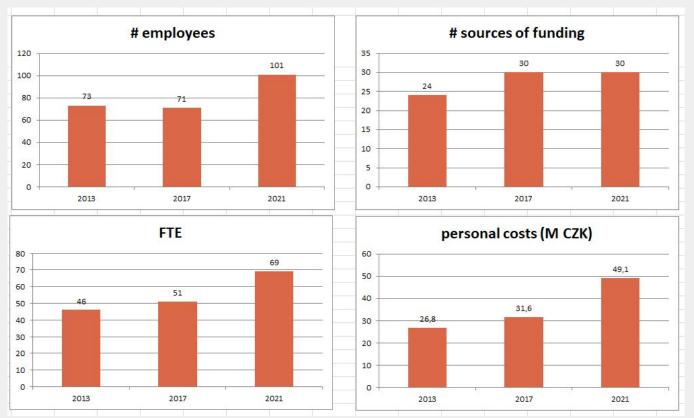


- Working on the "Language Understanding: from Syntax to Discourse" GAČR project
 PI: Jan Hajič
- "RES-Q+ Comprehensive Solutions for Healthcare Improvement based on the Global Registry of Stroke Care Quality" [submitted Sep 2021]
 - HE project accepted for funding
 PI: prof. Robert Mikulík, St. Anne's University Hospital in Brno, CUNI Co-PI: Pavel Pecina





Last eight years





Projects

- see Stanislava Gráf's presentation
- + TAČR: National Centres of Competence, contact: Jan Hajič
- + <u>Dioscuri Centers</u>, contact: Jan Hajič



Publishing

- o https://wiki.ufal.ms.mff.cuni.cz/internal:publikace#publications-of-members-of-ufal
- Future of ÚFAL's SCTL Series ("orange" books) https://ufal.mff.cuni.cz/books/sctl
- Biblio and LINDAT/CLARIAH-CZ

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Changes in institutional funding

- the University programme Progres ended in December 2021; new programme Cooperatio has started in January 2022 (see Rector's Directive No. <u>18/2021</u>)
 ÚFAL participates in the fields of
 - Computer Science coordinated by MFF UK ("big")
 - Linguistics coordinated by FF UK ("small")
- To-Be-Updated in Biblio in Feb, incl. the instructions for acknowledging it in publications





Funding of 2022/23 student stays at universities and research centers in the U.S.

Karel Urbánek Fund

https://www.mff.cuni.cz/cs/studenti/vseobecne-informace-a-dokumenty/fond-karla-urbanka

- PhD students, any American university/institution
- min 1 term, max 1 academic year
- max 20,000 USD
- o application deadline: May 31, 2022
- Brown-Charles Memorandum of Understanding
 - PhD and MSc students, Brown University
 - o 2,100 USD
 - o application deadline: March 20, 2022 (talk to me if you are interested)

You can combine these 2 sources.



Admin - Office hours

- Malá Strana
 - Mrs Libuše Brdičková
 - Mon 7:30-16:00, Tue-Thu 7:30-12:30, Fri –
- IMPAKT
 - Mrs Veronika Fišerová
 - more working hours (no details yet)



Admin - Card payments before and during trips

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You can use your personal cards during trips.



Social media

- Twitter <u>@ufal_cuni</u>, contact: Jindřich Libovický
 - o international scientific community, English
- Facebook <u>@UFALMFFUK</u>, contact: Barbora Hladká
 - o popularization, Czech
- Youtube <u>@ufalmffuk</u>, contact: Barbora Hladká, Dávid Javorský
 - Monday seminar
- Twitter <u>@LindatClariahCZ</u>, contact: Jan Hajič
 - project presentation



Meetings

- Big meetings at IMPAKT
 - regularly in the first week of a month
 dates & time as soon as the schedule for N1 will be known
- Research meetings + Reading group at IMPAKT
 - Wed 10:30, N207 + Zoom
 - tomorrow Feb 2 Jindra Helcl's dry-run for his thesis defense (Feb 9, 2pm, Malá Strana)
- Hejnice in September? Sun-Tue
 - Sun-Tue Sep 4-6, 11-13, 18-20, 25-27
 - TSD Sep 5-9, other events?
 - please fill out the <u>Doodle poll</u>



Save the dates

- Jun 7-9, 2022, Summer school on Data and Annotation in Prague Local chair: Silvie Cinková
 - https://clsinfra.io/events/training-school/
- Oct 10-12, 2022, CLARIN Annual Conference 2022 in Prague Local chair: Eva Hajičová

https://www.clarin.eu/event/2022/clarin-annual-conference-2022

In 2020 and 2021, the CLARIN Annual Conference took place virtually. In 2022, we hope to at least partially return to the traditional format, with Prague, Czechia, as the venue. The event will be organised by CLARIN ERIC in collaboration with LINDAT/CLARIAH-CZ.