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Education

- 1996 – 2000 **PhD** in Computational Linguistics / Dr. phil. at Saarland University, Department of Language Science and Technology
- 1991 – 1996 **Master** in Linguistics, Romance Language and Computer Science

Research Experience

- 2024 – today **Postdoc Researcher**, *Language and AI in Education* Lab
- 2021 – 2024 **Postdoc Researcher**, Project ALEE (Adaptive Learning in Economics Education)
- 2014 – 2021 **Postdoc Researcher**, Projects A4 and T1 of the SFB 833, Seminar für Sprachwissenschaft, Eberhard Karls Universität Tübingen
- 2009 – 2011 **Postdoc Researcher** at Department of Linguistics, University of Tübingen
- 2001 – 2002 **Lecturer und Postdoctoral Fellow** at the Department of Linguistics, Ohio State University, USA

Academic Functions (Selection)

- Organisation of Workshop on *Integrating Perspectives on Discourse Annotation (DiscAnn)*, October 2021, University of Tübingen
- Reviewer for ACL, NAACL, BEA, EMNLP, LREC, COLING

Third-Party Funding (last 5 years)

- 2014 – 2021 SFB 833, Project A4 'Comparing Meaning in Context', Project T1 'Developing an Interactive Workbook for English Foreign Language Teaching', DFG
- 2021 – 2024 ALEE (Adaptive Learning in Economics Education), Joachim Herz Stiftung

Awards and Honors

- 2011 – 2013 Habilitationsstipendium, Brigitte-Schlieben-Lange-Programms des Landes Baden-Württemberg

10 Most Relevant Publications

- De Kuthy, K., Kannan, M., Santhi Ponnusamy, H., & Meurers, D. (2022). Exploring neural question generation for formal pragmatics: Data set and model evaluation. *Frontiers in Artificial Intelligence*, 5, Article 966013. <https://doi.org/10.3389/frai.2022.966013>
- Brunetti, L., De Kuthy, K., & Riester, A. (2021). The information-structural status of adjuncts: A question-under-discussion-based approach. *Discours*, 28, 3–48. <https://doi.org/10.4000/discours.11454>

- De Kuthy, Kordula (2021). Information Structure. In S. Müller, A. Abeillé, R. D. Borsley, & J.-P. Koenig (Eds.), *Head-Driven Phrase Structure Grammar: The handbook* (Empirically Oriented Theoretical Morphology and Syntax 9). Language Science Press.
<https://zenodo.org/doi/10.5281/zenodo.5599864>
- Kannan, M., Ponnusamy, H. S., De Kuthy, K., Stein, L., & Meurers, D. (2021). Exploring input representation granularity for generating questions satisfying question-answer congruence. In *Proceedings of the 14th International Conference on Natural Language Generation* (pp. 24-34). <https://aclanthology.org/2021.inlg-1.3/>
- De Kuthy, K., Kannan, M., Ponnusamy, H. S., & Meurers, D. (2020). Towards automatically generating questions under discussion to link information and discourse structure. *Proceedings of the 28th International Conference on Computational Linguistics (COLING)* (pp. 5786–5798). <https://doi.org/10.18653/v1/2020.coling-main.509>
- De Kuthy, K., Brunetti, L., & Berardi, M. (2019). Annotating information structure in Italian: Characteristics and cross-linguistic applicability of a QUD-based approach. *Proceedings of the 13th Linguistic Annotation Workshop* (pp. 113–123). <https://doi.org/10.18653/v1/W19-4014>
- Meurers D, De Kuthy K, Nuxoll F, Rudzewitz B, Ziai R. (2019). Scaling up intervention studies to investigate real-life foreign language learning in school. *Annual Review of Applied Linguistics*, 39, 161-188. <https://doi.org/10.1017/S0267190519000126>
- De Kuthy, K., Reiter, N., & Riester, A. (2018). QUD-based annotation of discourse structure and information structure. *Proceedings of the 11th Language Resources and Evaluation Conference* (pp. 1932–1938). <https://aclanthology.org/L18-1304.pdf>
- De Kuthy, K., Ziai, R., & Meurers, D. (2016). Focus annotation of task-based data: Establishing the quality of crowd annotation. In *Proceedings of the 10th Linguistic Annotation Workshop (LAW)* (pp. 110-119). <https://doi.org/10.18653/v1/W16-1713>
- Ziai, R., De Kuthy, K., & Meurers, D. (2016). Approximating givenness in content assessment through distributional semantics. In *Proceedings of the Fifth Joint Conference on Lexical and Computational Semantics (*SEM)* (pp. 209-218). <https://doi.org/10.18653/v1/S16-2026>

Teaching / Supervisor Experience

- September 2022: *Information- and discourse-structure analysis with questions under discussion*, Summerschool Corpus Annotation and Data Analysis (CANDA), Göttingen University
- Winter term 2017/18: *Seminar Question Generation* (with Detmar Meurers). Seminar für Sprachwissenschaft (SfS), Universität Tübingen.
- August 2014: *Annotating Corpora with Information Structure*. 16th European Summer School in Language, Logic, and Information (ESSLLI) 2014. Universität Tübingen.
- Winter term 2013/2014: *Seminar Integrated Models of Processing* (with Detmar Meurers). Seminar für Sprachwissenschaft, Universität Tübingen.
- Winter term 2012/2013: *Seminar Corpus Annotation of Information Structure* (with Detmar Meurers). Seminar für Sprachwissenschaft, Universität Tübingen.