

Workshop Programme

28 May 2016

- 09:00 – 09:20 **Introduction** by Sanja Štajner
- 09:20 – 10:00 **Invited Talk** by Advaith Siddharthan

Session: General Track

- 10:00 – 10:30 Gustavo H. Paetzold and Lucia Specia
PLUMBErr: An Automatic Error Identification Framework for Lexical Simplification
- 10:30 – 11:00 Coffee break
- 11:00 – 11:30 Sandeep Mathias and Pushpak Bhattacharyya
How Hard Can it Be? The E-Score - A Scoring Metric to Assess the Complexity of Text
- 11:30 – 12:00 Sanja Štajner, Maja Popović and Hanna Béchara
Quality Estimation for Text Simplification
- 12:00 – 12:15 **Shared Task: Introduction** by Maja Popović

Session: Shared Task 1

- 12:15 - 12:45 Maja Popović and Sanja Štajner
Machine Translation Evaluation Metrics for Quality Assessment of Automatically Simplified Sentences
- 12:45 - 13:15 Sandeep Mathias and Pushpak Bhattacharyya
Using Machine Translation Evaluation Techniques to Evaluate Text Simplification Systems
- 13:15 - 14:30 Lunch break

Session: Shared Task 2

- 14:30 – 15:00 Gustavo H. Paetzold and Lucia Specia
SimpleNets: Evaluating Simplifiers with Resource-Light Neural Networks
- 15:00 – 15:30 Sergiu Nisioi and Fabrice Nauze
An Ensemble Method for Quality Assessment of Text Simplification
- 15:30 – 16:00 Elnaz Davoodi and Leila Kosseim
CLaC @ QATS: Quality Assessment for Text Simplification
- 16:00 – 16:30 Coffee break
- 16:30 – 17:30 **Round Table** (moderators: Advaith Siddharthan and Sanja Štajner)
- 17:30 – 17:45 **Closing**