





Offre de thèse avec contrat doctoral. Université de Rouen Normandie

PRODPOLYVERB: Production of polysemy in verbal predicates: the case of children with autism spectrum disorder with language impairment and children with semantic-pragmatic dysphasia compared with typically developing children

Job information		
	Organisation / Entreprise	Université de Rouen Normandie
	Research Field	Humanities and social sciences
	Researcher Profile	First Stage Researcher (R1)
	Country	France
	Application Deadline	22/05/2025
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	Type of Contract	Temporary (3 years), from october 2025
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	Job Status	Full time
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	Is the Job funded through the UE Research Framework Programme ?	NO
	Is the Job related to staff position within a Research Infrastructure ?	NO
Offer description		
	Doctoral project description	This PhD project focuses on the production of verb polysemy (the property of a word having multiple meanings) in French-speaking children. We are interested in three groups of children: those with typical language







development (TLD), and those with atypical language development (ALD), either with autism spectrum disorder (ASD) or with semantic-pragmatic disorder (SPD). To our knowledge, this research will be the first in psycholinguistics to examine the production of verb polysemy in children speaking French.
The aim is to analyze what characterizes the productions of these three groups of children; to examine the differences in their language use, as well as any commonalities that may emerge. We will also specifically study the influence of parental language on the emergence of verb polysemy in children.
This thesis will provide speech-language pathologists and healthcare professionals with new insights into the language of these children.
The analysis will be based on data drawn from recordings of everyday situations that are as diverse as possible, in order to encourage a wide range of verb uses.

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	Salary placement	2100-2300 € / month
Requirements		
	Admission requirements	Holding a Master's Degree
	Eligibility	Subject to the acceptance of the head of the institution, on the proposal of the ED director after consultation with the director of the research team and the thesis supervisor
Application		
		A complete application must contain : (1) A personal letter with a brief description of your research interests and motivation







		 (2) A curriculum vitae (CV) (3) Certified copies of grades, diplomas, and documentation of completed academic courses (4) Contact information for two references
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