Minutes of the 2nd day of the Klausurtagung of the SFB 732 (19.03.2013)

1 Terminological clarifications

1. “non-canonical data”
It has been agreed upon that the term we use is “non-canonical data” (i.e. not non-well-behaved data, non-standard data,….) despite some qualms of the phonetics people (⇒ perhaps use a footnote to avoid misunderstandings).
Non-canonical data does not mean the same in all areas:
   area A uses the term to refer to ⇒ imperfect data,
   area B uses the term to refer to ⇒ grammatically special data
   area D uses the term to refer to ⇒ new text types / not frequent data

Note: Non-canonical data is meant to cover data that you wouldn’t use as an introductory example in a text book.

2. “silver standard”
[gold standard = annotated stuff, corrected manually]
Silver standard is meant to mean:
corpora put together in a database, automatically annotated corpus data; go for size

Projects use corpora and improve them and make them available to the community, silver standard as a non-static platform.
The silver standard is the platform created and maintained by INF (= the infrastructure project).
⇒ Jonas should come up with a definition of silver standard for the main application.

3. “search”
It has been agreed upon that we drop this idea (which was probably meant to refer to problems that cannot be solved by incremental specification ⇒ “search” was seen as a possible solution) as a term/guideline.
Instead it can be subsumed under specification algorithms and/or under the interaction across modules (sequential and parallel mechanisms).

2 Structure of the SFB

MGK: it is intended to pursue and continue the MGK and to highlight the interaction of people across the areas (nothing has been said about the PIs yet)
INF: at the last evaluation we promised to set up an infrastructure project in the 3rd phase

Area C won’t continue in the 3rd phase but ideas, results and concepts of area C survive in other areas.
### Finances and positions

As a rough guideline: 1.5 positions/project (new projects should be cheaper than old ones) but you cannot double the positions you had in phase 2 – that’s unrealistic. We also have to check with the DFG whether they have some recommendations as regards staffing (see point 4).

Rough ideas regarding project staff (names, postdoc/doctoral student, percentages; also hiwis) are due April 3rd.

Does anyone need money for experiments and/or Feldforschung(sreisen)?

Apply for [this will be done centrally]:
- roughly the same amount of travel money (perhaps a bit more?)
- the same amount of money for guests/workshops/colloquia
- money for Forschungssemester (?!, perhaps as a backup)
- as much money “Pauschale Mittel” as possible (does the university stick to its 25%?)
- the same amount of Gleichstellungsmittel
- about 87,000 – 90,000 € for servers etc.

Do not apply for “Verbrauchsmittel” (that’s Grundausstattung).

### Questions for the DFG

1. Recommendations regarding staff (percentages, postdocs/doctoral students, ….)
2. Continue a (very successful) project that has been taken over by another PI during phase 2 (A2, Dogil)
3. Can projects collaborate/share work packages with INF?

### Questions for the Rektor

- Does the university contribute (25%) to the Pauschale Mittel and to the Hiwis?
- Positions: Antje Schweitzer, Antje Roßdeutscher, Lonneke van der Plas
- Does the university (or the MKW) contribute to the financing of the servers etc.?
- Money for PCs, laptops, etc.
- point out the importance of INF and mention the cooperation with CLARIN-D
- discuss the problem of experimental research and explain how we deal with it in the SFB
© Dates and formal stuff

- The pre-application is due in **mid-July** at the very latest.
- Guidelines regarding the Vorantrag, see my mail dating from March 19th and see our website ID 150 → form 60.011)
- Send me the “wish list” regarding your project staff by **April 3rd, 2013**
- Send me your project’s/projects’ contribution(s) to the Vorantrag (i.e. abstracts, Forschungsprofile etc.) by **May 27th, 2013** (earlier submissions are very welcome). Send them as unformatted text or word files, please.
- Next SFB meeting: **June 3rd, 2013**, 2 p.m.-3.30 p.m., in Stadtmitte (room t.b.a.)