Preface: SCiL 2021 Editors’ Note

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This volume contains research presented at the third annual meeting of the Society for Computation in Linguistics (SCiL), held online, February 14-19, 2021, in conjunction with the annual meeting of the Linguistic Society of America.

Research was submitted to be reviewed either in the form of a paper, or as an abstract. The oral presentations, or talks, at the conference included both papers and abstracts. Authors of accepted abstracts were given the option of publishing an extended version; these follow the papers in this volume.

In total, we received 84 submissions to the conference, 37 abstracts and 47 papers. 25 submissions were selected for oral presentation (~30%) and 43 for poster presentation (~51%).

We thank our reviewers for their indispensable help in selecting the research for presentation at the conference:


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SCiL 2021 also includes invited talks by Naomi Feldman (University of Maryland), Martha Palmer (University of Colorado Boulder), and Steven Bird (Charles Darwin University). Further information can be found at our website: https://www.scil2021.org/.