

FrameNet as a Lexical Resource: Its Goals, Methods, and Potential

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This session introduces the intention behind the use of semantic frames as a descriptive framework, the nature of a frame-based notion of valency, the principles and purposes of frames-based annotation, and possibilities for exploiting the FrameNet database for selected NLP applications, including inference and paraphrase.

Pencil-and-paper exercises in (a) recognizing sense distinctions, (b) determining frame distinctions, (c) practicing framenet-like annotations for two or three sample frames, (d) interpreting "missing" frame elements in texts.