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**CA involvement:** I am a CA researcher since 2000 when started my PhD on classroom interaction.

**CA interests:** Since then I investigated mundane family conversation over the telephone and in family gatherings, and medical interaction in different settings: a prosthetic clinic and 5 oncology units. I am excited to be about to start a new project on classroom interaction in primary schools.

**Transcriptions:** I usually do transcriptions using **Word of Office (Windows)** on my computer. In this way I can control the outline of the transcript. I used a transcribing machine, during my PhD: at the time I recorded my data on VHS video cassettes, and I singled out the audio, which was supported on audio cassettes that could be easily used with the transcribing machine. In the successive research projects on medical interaction I had digital data, which I access directly on my PC.

#### **Softwares for transcribing:**

I used **Transana** in the past: I found it not convenient because you need to do additional work to revise your transcripts once exported from Transana.

I use **Praat** in my investigation of prosodic contour in Italian polar interrogatives, in telephone conversations. I found it extremely friendly and useful in terms of marking prosody features. As for **Elan**, in the group on medical interaction, we use it to check specific features such as overlaps, gestures, and other multimodal behaviour, but not as a storage resource.

#### **Softwares to play the video, cut clips, anonymise and make subtitles:**

**Windows Media Player** or **VLM** to play the video

**Boilsoft Video Splitter** (<https://boilsoft-video-splitter-on-windows.en.softonic.com/>) to build clips collections

**Filmora Wondershare** ([https://filmora.wondershare.net/filmora-video-editor.html?gad=1&gclid=Cj0KQCQjwqs6lBhCxARisAG8YcDhGamKX3TAEmArFQEIv4MzpetFqJM\\_X9jxzT68zaOSEInqjEqqaXaAaArqVEALw\\_wcB](https://filmora.wondershare.net/filmora-video-editor.html?gad=1&gclid=Cj0KQCQjwqs6lBhCxARisAG8YcDhGamKX3TAEmArFQEIv4MzpetFqJM_X9jxzT68zaOSEInqjEqqaXaAaArqVEALw_wcB)) to anonymise video clips and subtitles. I also used Inqscribe. For presentation, I used also **Power Point** of Windows to add subtitles.

**Equipment for recording data, listening and storage:** I will list here the equipment we bought for the ongoing project on medical interaction, that started on 2020-21:

Videocameras: Sony HDR-CX405 VIDEOCAMERA SONY HDRCX405B.

Tripods: MKCOMPACTLTBK

Tripods: SMALL VANGUARD ESPOD CX 1 OS

Audiorecorders: TASCAM DR 05X

Microphones: SARAMONIC UWMIC9-TX9+ RX9

Hard-disks: TOSHIBA 2TB

Earphones: SENNHEISER HD 200

And, finally, thank you Numa for sharing updated information on this aspect of the research. I wish I had this resource when I started. At the time, I found Goodwin's 1993 paper very useful ("Recording human interaction in natural settings", 1993. In *Pragmatics* 3:2. 18-209: <https://www.jbe-platform.com/docserver/fulltext/prag.3.2.05goo.pdf?expires=1689519357&id=id&accname=guest&checksum=A9A460821D5160E0EBD9571957D51CDD>); and which, I am sure, it is still very useful.

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