BOSTON UNIVERSITY | **Linguistics Colloquium**

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"CROWDSOURCING VOICE COLLECTION TO POWER UNIQUE VOCAL IDENTITIES"

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BU LSE (24 CUMMINGTON MALL), ROOM B 01

VocaliD's voicebanking platform is a crowdsourced effort to collect and store everyday voices from around the world. The voicebank powers the creation of unique vocal identities for those who rely on text-to-speech technology. This talk will delve into the motivation and technology behind creating custom vocal persona.

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