In this presentation I will present some aspects of interactional linguistics, showing how it takes into account a wide range of linguistic and embodied resources.

Interactional linguistics focuses on situated action as locally designed by participants in social interaction, and studies the linguistic resources of different types (from phonetics and prosody to lexis and syntax), and the embodied co-verbal resources (such as gesture, gaze and body postures), which are mobilized by speakers in the sequential organization of their exchanges. I will specifically concentrate on how taking into account multimodal resources leads to renew the view of what can be considered as the context in which an interaction takes place.