Record Nr. UNINA9910370050203321 Autore Lansari Laure Titolo A Contrastive View of Discourse Markers: Discourse Markers of Saying in English and French / / by Laure Lansari Pubbl/distr/stampa Cham:,: Springer International Publishing:,: Imprint: Palgrave Macmillan, , 2020 **ISBN** 3-030-24896-8 Edizione [1st ed. 2020.] 1 online resource (237 pages) Descrizione fisica Disciplina 401.41 425 Semantics Soggetti **Pragmatics** Corpora (Linguistics) French language English language Corpus Linguistics French **English** Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Note generali Includes index. 1. Introduction: DMs within different linguistic traditions -- 2. Defining Nota di contenuto a theoretical and methodological framework for DMs of saving -- 3. Overview of the corpus findings -- 4. Corpus findings I: on va dire and shall we say -- 5. Corpus findings II: j'allais dire and I was going to say -- 6. Conclusion: summary and perspectives. This book is a comparative corpus-based study of discourse markers Sommario/riassunto based on verbs of saving in English and French. Based on a wide comparable web corpus, the book investigates how discourse markers work in discourse, and compares their differences of position, scope and collocations both cross-linguistically and within single languages. The author positions this study within the wider epistemological background of the French-speaking 'enunciative' tradition and the

English-speaking 'pragmatic' tradition, and it will be of particular interest to students and scholars of semantics, pragmatics and

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