

Conversational Assistance Track results — (WaterlooClarke) University of Waterloo (Clarke)

Run Description	
Run ID	WatACBase
Submission Category	Raw utterance only
Query Method Features	no method is used (raw utterances are used); method does not use any training data (i.e., unsupervised); method uses heuristic rules; method uses a standard NLP toolkit; method uses coreference resolution; method performs query expansion
Query Data Features	
Passage Ranking Method Features	method uses only unsupervised retrieval
Passage Ranking Data Features	
Conversational Context Features	method uses previous raw utterances (queries) in the topic

Overall measures		Document Level Averages	
Number of topics	208		Precision
Total number retrieved	208000	At 5 docs	0.2327
Total relevant	6670	At 10 docs	0.2168
Total relevant retrieved	3741	At 15 docs	0.1990
Mean NDCG @ 3	0.1513	At 20 docs	0.1834
Mean NDCG @ 5	0.1547	At 30 docs	0.1564
Mean NDCG @ 1000	0.2947		
MAP	0.1179		



