Society for the Study of the Indigenous Languages of the Americas

Thursday, 5 January

Afternoon

Syntax I

Room: Council
Chair: Amy Dahlstrom (University of Chicago)

4:00 *Silvana Torres (Independent Scholar), Zachary Gordon (Northeastern Illinois University)*: Reanalysis of the Mandan Verbal Suffix Complex through the Complementizer Phrase
4:30 *John Boyle (Northeastern Illinois University)*: Relative Clauses and the Siouan Language Family
5:00 *Anna Clawson (University of Alaska Fairbanks)*: Valence increasing constructions in Aleut
5:30 *Kirill Shklovsky (MIT)*: Split Infinitives in Tseltal
6:00 *Marie-Lucie Tarpent (Mount Saint Vincent University (retired))*: Tsimshianic clause structures: basic and derived

Semantics

Room: Forum
Chair: Lev Michael (University of California, Berkeley)

4:00 *Thomas Wier (University of Chicago):* Obviation in Tonkawa: a comparative study
4:30 *Marcia Haag (University of Oklahoma)*: Constraints on the relationships between roots and lexical categories
5:00 *Tim Thornes (University of Central Arkansas)*: On the semantic and pragmatic uses of the Northern Paiute applicative
5:30 *Joseph Brooks (University of California, Santa Barbara*): Interdependence between word-level stress and pitch contours in Northern Paiute
6:00 *Olga Lovick (First Nations University of Canada)*: Metaphoric extensions of the directional system of Upper Tanana Athabascan

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Evening

7:00 Plenary (Film) Joint Session
LSA-SSILA Film Event: WE STILL LIVE HERE Âs Nutayuneân. Makepeace Productions.

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Morning

Panel: From Language Documentation to Language Revitalization

Room: Pavillon West
Organizers: Patricia A. Shaw (University of British Columbia)
Carol Genetti (University of California, Santa Barbara)

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9:00 Brief welcome and introductory remarks
9:00 *Jessie Little Doe Baird (Wampanoag, MA*): From our ancestors hands to ours
9:30 *Tim Montler (University of North Texas), Jamie Valdez (Elwha Klallam Tribe, WA), Wendy Sampson (Elwha*

Klallam Tribe, WA), Georgianne Charles (Elwha Klallam Tribe, WA): Mutual guidance: The Klallam Language Program after Twenty Years

10:00 *Colleen Fitzgerald (University of Texas at Arlington), Phillip Miguel (Tohono O'odham Community College, AZ)*: Breathing new life into Tohono O'odham documentation: The Mathiot dictionary

10:30 *Carole Lewis (Yurok Tribe, CA), Andrew Garrett (University of California, Berkeley)*:Using documentation in Yurok language revitalization

11:00 *Patricia A. Shaw (University of British Columbia), Larry Grant (Musqueam Indian Band, BC), Jill Campbell (Musqueam Indian Band, BC), Marny Point (Musqueam Indian Band, BC), Fern Gabriel (Kwantlen First Nation, BC)*: Linguistics and language revitalization: community capacity-building

11:30 *Daryl Baldwin (Miami University)*: neetawaapantamaanki iilinwiaanki: Searching for our talk

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Phonology/Sociolinguistics/Historical

Room: Council
Chairs: Rosemary Beam De Azcona (University of California, Berkeley)
Gabriela Perez Baez (Smithsonian Institution)

2:00 *Christian Dicanio (Haskins Laboratories)*: Phonetic Alignment in Yoloxóchitl Mixtec Tone

2:30 *Hilaria Cruz (University of Texas at Austin)*: Overlapping speech in San Juan Quiahije Chatino

3:00 *Timothy Knowlton (Berry College):* Authoritative Discourse and Colonial Diglossia in Contemporary Kaqchikel Wedding Speeches

3:30 *Melissa Frazier (Unaffiliated)*: From Stress to Tone: Loanwords in Yucatec Maya

4:00 *Lev Michael (University of California, Berkeley), Christine Beier (University of Texas at Austin), Vivian Wauters (University of California, Berkeley)*: The internal classification of the Zaparoan family

4:30 *Christine Beier (University of Texas at Austin), Lev Michael (University of California, Berkeley*): Phonological description and classification of Aʔɨwa (isolate, Peruvian Amazonia)

5:00 **Business Meeting**

Morphology I

Room: Forum
Chair: Harriet E. Manelis Klein (Stony Brook University (SUNY))

2:00 *George Aaron Broadwell (University at Albany, State University of New York)*: The Timucua passive

2:30 *Mily Crevels (Radboud University Nijmegen)*: Position, location, and direction: Space in Itonama (Isolate; Bolivia)

3:00 *Brad Montgomery-Anderson (Northeastern State University)*: Secondary predication in Chontal Mayan

3:30 *Anna Berge (Alaska Native Language Center)*: Number marking in complex possessive phrases in Unangam Tunuu (Aleut)

4:00 *Honoré Watanabe (ILCAA, Tokyo University of Foreign Studies)*: Reduction from bi-clausal to mono-clausal constructions in Sliammon Salish

4:30 *Stephanie Villard (University of Texas at Austin), Anthony Woodbury (University of Texas at Austin)*: The typology of tone in San Marcos Zacatepec Eastern Chatino

Applied/Lexicography

Room: Senate
Chair: Marcia Haag (University of Oklahoma)

2:00 *Susan Kalt (Boston College), Martin Castillo (University of Michigan at Ann Arbor)*: Yachay q'ipi: Collaborative Approaches to Linguistic Science in the Rural Andean Classroom

2:30 *Wesley Leonard (Southern Oregon University)*: Lessons from the Breath of Life Archival Institute for Indigenous Languages

3:00 *Sharone Horowit-Hendler (University at Albany)*: Taxonomic exposition and rhetorical strategies in Copala Triqui political discourse
3:30 *Mark Awakuni-Swetland (University of Nebraska-Lincoln)*: Things Not Written In Stone: Orthography Systems in Omaha and Ponca
4:00 *Jerry Sadock (University of Chicago)*: A report on NSF H10195: The Lexicon of a Polysynthetic Language

Saturday, 7 January
Morning

Syntax II
Room: Council
Chair: Lucy Thomason (Smithsonian Institution)

9:00 **Haas Award Paper** *Rosa Vallejos (University of Oregon)*: Syntactic integration and information-structure management in Kokama purpose clauses
9:30 *George Wilmes (Other)*: Interrogative Content Words in Mandan and Other Siouan Languages
10:00 *Amy Dahlstrom (University of Chicago)*: The place of Meskwaki in a typology of comparatives
10:30 *Joana Jansen (University of Oregon), Virginia Beavert (University of Oregon)*: Plurality and hierarchical alignment in Northwest Sahaptin
11:00 *Julie Brittain (Memorial University of Newfoundland), Sara Johansson (Memorial University of Newfoundland)*: The lexical semantics of Northern East Cree verbs of emission: A unified analysis of -piyi
11:30 *Veronica Muñoz-Ledo (University of California, Santa Barbara)*: Reflexive and Reciprocal constructions in San Luis Potosí Huasteco (Mayan)

Morphology II
Room: Forum
Chair: Karen Sue Rolph (SSILA)

9:30 *Catherine Rudin (Wayne State College)*: On the Form and Function of Reduplication in Omaha-Ponca
10:00 *Daniel J. Hintz (SIL International)*: Between derivation and inflection in Quechua: An approach to the analysis of gradience in morphology
10:30 *Carmen Jany (California State University, San Bernardino)*: Inversion in Chuxnabán Mixe and beyond
11:00 *Diane Hintz (SIL International)*: Evidential/validational enclitics in Sihuas Quechua: resources for interaction
11:30 *Pierric Sans (Université Lumière Lyon 2)*: Does Bésɨro (a.k.a. Chiquitano) have a “quadripartite” alignment?

Phonetics/Phonology
Room: Senate
Chair: Jack Martin (University of Florida)

9:30 *Colleen M. Fitzgerald (The University of Texas at Arlington), Lori Mclain Pierce (The University of Texas at Arlington)*: Narrative and Prosodic Phrasing in Tohono O'odham
10:00 *Nicole Rosen (University of Lethbridge), Janelle Brodner (University of Lethbridge)*: Vowel inventory of a mixed language: the case of Michif
10:30 *Kelly Berkson (University of Kansas)*: The Nature of Optional Sibilant Harmony in Navajo

11:00 *Analia Gutierrez (University of British Columbia)*: On the distributional and acoustic properties of Nivacle k͡l
11:30 *Megan Crowhurst (The University of Texas at Austin), Margarita Valdovinos (The University of Texas at Austin)*: A dominant-recessive accent pattern in Mariteco (Cora, Uto-Aztecan)

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Afternoon

American Indian Personal Names: A Neglected Lexical Genre

Room: Council
Organizers: Douglas R. Parks (Indiana University)

2:00 *Timothy Montler (University of North Texas), Adeline Smith (Elwha Klallam Tribe), Beatrice Charles (Elwha Klallam Tribe)*: Traditional Personal Names in Klallam
2:15 *Patrick Moore (University of British Columbia)*: Dene Tha and Kaska Personal Names
2:30 *Willem deReuse (University of North Texas)*: Hän Athabascan and Western Apache Personal Names
2:45 *Clifford Abbott (University of Wisconsin - Green Bay)*: Oneida Personal Names
3:00 *Arok Wolvengrey (First Nations University of Canada)*: Plains Cree Personal Names
3:15 *Lucy Thomason (Smithsonian Institution)*: Personal names in Meskwaki
3:30 *Jack Martin (University of Florida)*: Creek (Muskogee) Personal Names
3:45 *Allan Taylor (University of Colorado)*: White Clay/Gros Ventre Personal Names
4:00 *Indrek Park (Indiana University)*: Hidatsa Personal Names
4:15 *Douglas Parks (AISRI, Indiana University)*: Pawnee Personal Names
4:30 *Raymond Demallie (AISRI, Indiana University)*: Lakota Personal Names
4:45 *Laurel Watkins (Colorado College)*: The Interpretation of Kiowa Personal Names

Morphological Complexity in Languages of the Americas

Room: Forum
Organizers: Heriberto Avelino (Max Planck Institute for Evolutionary Anthropology)
Keren Rice (University of Toronto)

2:00 Introduction
2:05 *Donna B. Gerdts (Simon Fraser University)*: Recycling suffixes: An investigation into Halkomelem complex morphology
2:30 *Keren Rice (University of Toronto)*: Morphological complexity in Athabaskan languages: a focus on discontinuities
2:55 *Heriberto Avelino (Max Planck Institute for Evolutionary Anthropology), Enrique Palancar (Surrey Morphology Group, University of Surrey)*: Morphological Complexity in the verb inflection of Chichimec
3:20 *Salome Gutierrez-Morales (CIESAS)*: The Spanish -ero in Sierra Popoluca and Nahuatl
3:45 *Thiago Chacon (University of Hawaii)*: Morphology Complexity and Complex Morpheme Types in Kubeo
4:10 *Andres Salanova (University of Ottawa)*: On the "derivational" morphology of Mẽbengokre verbs
4:35 Discussion by Marianne Mithun (UC Santa Barbara) and Steven Anderson

Valence-Changing Devices in Zapotecan

Room: Senate
Organizers: Natalie Operstein (California State University Fullerton)
Aaron Huey Sonnenschein (California State University Los Angeles)

2:00 *Pamela Munro (UCLA)*: Valence Alternations in the Tlacolula Valley Zapotec Lexicon
2:15 *Brook Danielle Lillehaugen (University of Nevada, Reno)*: Causative verbs in Colonial Valley Zapotec
2:30 *Rosa María Rojas Torres (Instituto Nacional de Lenguas Indígenas)*: La morfología causativa de cuatro lenguas zapotecas
2:45 *Gabriela Perez Baez (Smithsonian Institution)*: Vowel-initial verb roots within the valence system in Juchitán Zapotec
3:00 *Rosemary Beam De Azcona (University of California, Berkeley)*: Valence-changing devices in Southern Zapotec languages
3:15 Break
3:30 *Aaron Sonnenschein (California State University, Los Angeles)*: Valence changing operations in San Bartolomé Zoogocho Zapotec

3:45 Michael Galant (California State University, Dominguez Hills): Changes in Valence in San Andrés Yaá Zapotec
4:00 *John Foreman (University of Texas at Brownsville)*: Licensing Arguments via Verbal Morphology in Macuiltianguis Zapotec
4:15 *Natalie Operstein (California State University Fullerton)*: Some Valence-Changing Operations in Zaniza Zapotec
4:30 Panel Discussion

Sunday, 8 January
Morning

Historical
Room: Council
Chair: Colleen Fitzgerald (University of Texas at Arlington)

9:00 *Zachary J. O'Hagan (University of California, Berkeley), Vivian M. Wauters (University of California, Berkeley)*: Sound Change in the Development of Omagua and Kokama-Kokamilla: Synchronic and Diachronic Evidence
9:30 *Jessica Cleary-Kemp (University of California, Berkeley)*: Past tense evidentials in Imbabura Quechua
10:00 *Catherine Callaghan (Ohio State University)*: The Proto Utian Word for 'Person' -- An Enigma
10:30 *Marianne Mithun (UC Santa Barbara)*: Modality without Auxiliaries: Categories and their Developments in Iroquoian
11:00 *Stephanie Farmer (UC Berkeley)*: The effects of low tone tonogenesis on the prosodic system of Máíj+qui
11:30 *Eric Campbell (University of Texas at Austin*): The internal diversification and subgrouping of Chatino (Otomanguean)

Morphology/Phonology
Room: Forum
Chairs: Patrick Moore (University of British Columbia)
Honoré Watanabe (ILCAA, Tokyo University of Foreign Studies)

9:00 *Sharon Hargus (University of Washington), Virginia Beavert (University of Oregon)*: First position clitics in Northwest Sahaptin
9:30 *Paul Kroeber (Indiana University)*: Predicative possession in some languages of the Oregon coast
10:00 *James Kari (Alaska Native Language Center)*: Shared Geographic Particularism in Athabascan Languages
10:30 *Linda Lanz (College of William and Mary)*: Dyads or associatives? Pairs & groups in Iñupiaq
11:00 *Clare S. Sandy (University of California, Berkeley), Zachary J. O'Hagan (University of California, Berkeley)*: Stress Assignment in Omagua: Evidence for Cyclicity
11:30 *Justin Mcintosh (University of Texas at Austin)*: The Tones and Tone Sandhi of Teotepec Chatino

Posters: Morphology/Lexicography/Syntax/Sociolinguistics
Room: Grand Ballroom Foyer
Time: 9:00 – 10:30 AM

Michael Barrie (Sogang University), Roronhiakehte Deer (University of Western Ontario): On Wh-Movement in Cayuga
Elizabeth Bogal-Allbritten (University of Massachusetts Amherst): Modality and Modal Questions: Expressing Possibility in Navajo
Christopher Hart-Moynihan (College of William & Mary): Koasati Switch-Reference and Case Marking: A Grammatical Analysis
Yoram Meroz (Unaffiliated): Verbal number in Yahgan
Jorge Emilio Rosés-Labrada (The University of Western Ontario), Tania Granadillo (The University of Western Ontario): The Sociolinguistic Situation of Three Venezuelan Maco Communities: A Fieldwork Report
Justin Spence (University of California, Berkeley): An online text database of Hupa (Athabaskan)
Siri Tuttle (University of Alaska Fairbanks): Disjunct do# in musical and "high" language in Tanana Athabascan

Posters: Historical Linguistics/Phonetics/Phonology
Room: Grand Ballroom Foyer

Time: 10:30 AM – 12:00 PM

Stan Anonby (SIL): A Comparative-Historical Look at Four Monde Languages
Gabriela Caballero (University of California, San Diego): The prosody of interrogative and focus constructions in Choguita Rarámuri
Christopher S. Doty (University of Oregon): Inferring the phonological system of Miluk Coos
Hannah J. Haynie (University of California, Berkeley): Sierra Miwok Language Ecology
Cynthia Kilpatrick (University of Texas at Arlington): Phonological Change in Maya K'iche': Glottalization and uvulars
Jorge Emilio Rosés-Labrada (The University of Western Ontario): Salivan Language Family: State of Documentation and Brief Typological Sketch
J. Ryan Sullivant (University of Texas at Austin): From 'Companion' to Numeral Classifier in Mixtec
Cynthia Kilpatrick (University of Texas at Arlington): Phonological Change in Maya K'iche': Glottalization and uvulars