

# 2002 Annual Meeting

The 76th Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America will take place at the Hyatt Regency San Francisco Hotel, 3-6 January 2002. The American Dialect Society, the North American Association for the History of the Language Sciences, the Society for Pidgin and Creole Linguistics, and the Society for the Study of the Indigenous Languages of the Americas will meet concurrently with the LSA.

## Hotel Accommodations

The Hyatt Regency San Francisco has reserved a block of rooms for those attending the 2002 meeting. Conveniently located at Embarcadero Center (home to 125 shops and restaurants), the hotel offers several restaurants of its own, a 24-hour on-site fitness room, and guests have access to Club One Health Club, adjacent to the hotel. The special LSA rates for the meeting are:

Single/Double: \$109.00          Triple: \$139.00          Quadruple: \$159.00

Reservations may be made by completing the form found in the center insert and sending it to:

Hyatt Regency San Francisco  
5 Embarcadero Center  
San Francisco, CA 94111

The telephone number is (415) 788-1234. The fax number is: (415) 398-2567. Reservations are subject to availability if received after **2 December 2001**. The guest check-in time is 3:00 PM, and check-out time is 12:00 noon.

## Transportation

### Airlines

American Airlines and Southwest Airlines are the official carriers for the LSA Annual Meeting. For travel 31 December 2001 - 9 January 2002, American offers 5%-10% off the lowest applicable fares (additional 5% off all applicable fares with 60-day advance purchase). Southwest offers 10% discounts off lowest applicable fares. To make reservations directly, call American at (800) 433-1790 and ask for File #26D1AC or Southwest at (800) 433-5368 and ask for File #R5261. It is strongly recommended that members contact the airlines directly 24-48 hours prior to departure to confirm details and/or changes.

Stellar Access Inc. (SAI), the official travel agency for the LSA Annual Meeting, offers the lowest available fare on any carrier for travel 31 December 2001 - 9 January 2002. Call (800) 929-4242 (outside the U.S. and Canada, 858-805-6109); fax: 858-547-1711 (a \$10.00 transaction fee will be applied to all tickets purchased via phone services); or use their website (<http://www.stellaraccess.com>) and pay no transaction fee; in all cases, refer to Group #407.

**NOTE:** As an added convenience, members may book their travel to the 76th Annual Meeting online directly from the LSA website: <http://www.lsadc.org/>.

### Cars

Avis Rent a Car is the official car rental service for the LSA Annual Meeting. Rates start as low as \$34/day for economy models or \$145/week with unlimited free mileage. Call (800) 331-1600 and refer to AWD #J949023.

## Registration

Members are reminded that registration fees can be kept low only if everyone who attends the meeting is registered. All those presenting papers are required to register.

• Advance Registration: Only members may register in advance. Members planning to attend may preregister when they renew their membership for 2002 or by sending the preregistration tearout (see center insert) or a photocopy with a check for registration by **3 December 2001**. The Secretariat strongly urges you to preregister by 3 December but will, in any case, stop accepting preregistrations on 21 December. This step has been necessitated by the enormous flow of preregistrations received the last few days before the meeting. Preregistration fees for the 2002 Annual Meeting are:

Regular Members:       \$60.00  
Student Members:       \$25.00  
Unemployed Members:   \$25.00

All preregistrations received after 21 December will be returned following the meeting, and individuals will have to register at the meeting. Preregistrants may claim badges and handbooks at the registration desk in the meeting area of the hotel after 2:00 PM on Thursday, 3 January.

Requests for refunds of preregistration fees will not be honored. Registrants who are unable to attend the meeting will, however, be sent a *Meeting Handbook* in late January.

• On-Site Registration: Registration will open at 2:00 PM on 3 January and will be open all day 4 and 5 January. The registration fees for the 2002 Annual Meeting are:

Regular:                 \$70.00  
Students:               \$30.00  
Unemployed Members:   \$30.00

Note: Fees may be paid with cash, check, or traveller's cheque. Credit card payments will NOT be accepted for on-site registration under any circumstances.

## **LSA Meeting Services**

• Child Care: As in the past, members who notify the Secretariat that they plan to bring children to the meeting will receive a list of sitters recommended by the hotel and convention bureau as well as the names and addresses of the other members who expect to bring their children to Washington. In addition, at the recommendation of the Officers and Executive Committee, the Child Care Assistance Fund will provide a maximum \$100.00 stipend to offset child care costs. Parents must meet the following requirements: (1) They are presenters on the LSA program. (2) The caregiver they secure is a graduate student or unemployed linguist. [This person will also receive a complimentary Annual Meeting registration.] (3) The caregiver has agreed to provide child care for no more than two children for 8-12 hours. (4) The parents notify the Secretariat of their plans no later than **15 November 2001**.

• Exhibit: The exhibit of linguistic publications will be in Grand Ballroom A. Staff will take orders for publications during exhibit hours. All orders must be prepaid. The exhibit is scheduled to be open during the following hours:

Friday,   4 January   10:00 AM - 2:00 PM  
                                  3:00 PM - 6:00 PM

Saturday, 5 January   10:00 AM - 1:00 PM  
                                  2:00 PM - 4:30 PM  
                                  7:00 PM - 8:00 PM

Sunday,   6 January   8:30 AM - 11:30 AM

The display copies in the LSA Joint Book Exhibit will be sold beginning at 8:30 AM on 6 January, the proceeds to be donated to fellowships for the Linguistic Institute. (These display copies have been generously donated by the publishers exhibiting in the LSA Joint Book Exhibit.) Advance orders for display copies, at a discount of 5%

greater than that given by the publisher, will be taken prior to 6 January if accompanied by payment. All books must be picked up on 6 January between 8:30 AM and 10:00 AM. Unclaimed books will be resold and the advance payment donated to the Linguistic Institute fellowships.

- **Job Placement:** A Job Placement Center will be set up in the Pacific A Room. On 4 and 5 January, the center will be open 8:30 AM - 6:00 PM. It will also be open 9:00 - 11:30 AM on 6 January. Lists of openings will be available, and the staff will facilitate interviews between applicants and employers. Interviewers are asked to list openings and check in with the center staff so that an interview schedule can be arranged. Applicants should bring an adequate supply of their cv's--enough to submit one copy to each interviewer. The center will have no duplication facilities.

NOTE: The fee for listing one or more jobs in the *Job Openings List* and/or for scheduling interviews is \$125. Instructions for remitting the fee will be sent to department chairs and program heads in November. As in the past, interviewers and candidates are required to register for the meeting.

- **Sign Interpreting Policy:** Hearing impaired members who plan to attend the San Francisco meeting and need sign interpreting service must **notify the Secretariat AND register for the meeting by 15 November 2001**. The request for sign interpreting should include a list of the LSA sessions and/or papers they plan to attend. The Secretariat will then, with the assistance of the Local Arrangements Committee and the Registry of Interpreters, secure the services of appropriate interpreters. We have budgeted up to \$1,200 per LSA member requesting sign interpreting. In addition, upon request, the LSA will arrange for sign interpreting services at the business meeting and presidential address. Finally, signed presentations will be interpreted if requested by **15 November 2001**.

### **Open Committee Meetings**

- **LSA Executive Committee.** The Officers and Executive Committee will meet beginning at 8:00 AM on Thursday, 3 January, in Regency A.

- **Department Chairs and Program Heads.** This group will meet 8:00 - 9:00 AM, on Friday, 4 January, in Regency A. Dr. Joan Sieber, acting director of the NSF program Societal Dimensions of Engineering, Science, and Technology, will lead the discussion on human subject research.

- **Undergraduate Program Advisory Committee.** The committee will meet 8:00 - 9:30 AM, on Friday, 4 January, in Regency B.

- **Ethnic Diversity in Linguistics.** The committee will meet 8:00 - 9:00 AM, on Saturday, 5 January, in the Plaza Room.

- **Language in the School Curriculum.** The committee will meet 8:00 - 9:00 AM, on Saturday, 5 January, in Regency B.

- **University Administrators.** Linguists holding positions above the rank of department chair/head/director will meet 8:30 - 10:00 AM, on Saturday, 5 January, in Regency A. (See separate article on p. 20)

- **Status of Women in Linguistics.** COSWL will hold their open meeting 12:00 - 1:45 PM, on Saturday, 5 January, in Grand Ballroom C.

### **Meeting Highlights--Thursday, 3 January**

- The NSF Linguistics Panel will hold its open meeting 1:00 - 3:00 PM in the Plaza Room.
- **Invited Plenary Addresses.** Johanna Nichols will present her address, entitled 'Monogenesis or polygenesis? Typological perspective on language origins', at 7:30 PM. James McCloskey will present his address, entitled 'Syntactic myopia and the ungainly morphosyntax of the complementizer', at 8:30 PM. Both addresses will be in Grand Ballroom B.

### **Meeting Highlights--Friday, 4 January**

- Basic Tools for Linguistic Documentation. Organized by Megan Crowhurst under the auspices of the Committee on Endangered Languages and Their Preservation, this symposium will be held 9:00 - 11:00 AM in Grand Ballroom B.
- Finding the Zone: Employment Opportunities outside Academia. Organized by Marlys Macken and Susan Steele under the auspices of the Undergraduate Program Advisory Committee, this symposium will be held 11:30 AM - 1:30 PM in Grand Ballroom B.
- Bringing Linguistics into the Schools: Preparing K-12 Teachers and Curricula. Organized by Anne Lobeck and Kristin Denham under the auspices of the Language in the School Curriculum Committee, this symposium will be held 12:00 - 2:00 PM in Grand Ballroom C.
- The Open Language Archives Community (OLAC). Organized by Steven Bird and Gary F. Simons, this symposium will be held 2:00 - 4:30 PM in Grand Ballroom B.
- Kenneth L. Hale Award. The award will be presented at the LSA business meeting for the first time. [See p. 4 for details.]
- Victoria A. Fromkin Distinguished Service Prize. The prize will be awarded at the LSA business meeting.
- LSA Business Meeting. The business meeting has been scheduled for 5:00 - 6:30 PM in Grand Ballroom B. The meeting will be chaired by Walt Wolfram, LSA President.
- Invited Plenary Addresses. Paul Smolensky will present his address, entitled 'Optimization, grammar and cognition', at 7:30 PM. Paul Kiparsky will present his address, entitled 'Sound change and the organization of phonology', at 8:30 PM. Both addresses will be in Grand Ballroom B.

### **Meeting Highlights--Saturday, 5 January**

- Language Videos on the Web: A New LSA Outreach Project. Organized by Janet Dean Fodor, this workshop will be held 12:00 - 2:00 PM in Grand Ballroom B.
- Presidential Address. Walt Wolfram, the 2001 LSA President, will deliver his presidential address at 5:30 PM in Grand Ballroom B. The address is entitled: 'Constructive controversy in linguistics: The development of African American Vernacular English'.
- Reception. 7:00 - 8:00 PM in Grand Ballroom A immediately following the Presidential address.

### **Meeting Highlights--Sunday, 6 January**

- Programming for Linguists: An Overview and Tutorial. Organized by Geoff Nathan under the auspices of the Computing Committee, this workshop will be held 9:00 - 11:00 AM in Grand Ballroom B.

### **Office Hours**

The following office hours were available at press time. As in the past, the *Annual Meeting Handbook* will include office hours for the Secretary-Treasurer, Editor of *Language*, Web editor, and the program directors for NSF and NIMH as well.

- LinguistList. Helen Aristar-Dry will meet with members on Friday, 4 January, and Saturday, 5 January, 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM in Regency A.

### **ADS Meeting Information**

American Dialect Society paper presentations run Thursday, 3 January, 12:30 - 7:00 PM; Friday, 4 January, 1:00 - 5:15 PM; and Saturday, 5 January, 9:15 AM - 4:30 PM. On Friday, 4 January, Word of the Year nominations will be collected 10:30 AM - 12:00 PM; voting will take place 5:15 - 6:30 PM; and the Bring Your Own Book reception will be held 6:30 - 7:30 PM. The annual luncheon is on Saturday at 1:15 PM.

### **NAAHoLS Meeting Information**

The North American Association for the History of the Language Sciences will meet Friday, 4 January, 9:00 AM - 12:15 PM and 2:00 - 5:45 PM; Saturday, 5 January, 9:00 AM - 12:15 PM and 2:00 - 3:30 PM. The business meeting will be on Saturday, 5 January, 3:45 - 4:45 PM in the Marina Room. The schedule of papers is on pp. 13-14.

### **SPCL/SCL Meeting Information**

The Society for Pidgin and Creole Linguistics will meet Friday, 4 January, 9:00 AM - 12:15 PM and 2:00 - 5:45 PM; Saturday, 5 January, 9:00 AM - 12:15 PM and 2:00 - 5:15 PM. The schedule of papers is on pp. 14-16.

### **SSILA Meeting Information**

The Society for the Study of the Indigenous Languages of the Americas will meet Friday, 4 January, 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM and 2:00 - 5:00 PM; Saturday, 5 January, 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM and 2:00 - 5:10 PM; Sunday, 6 January, 9:00 AM - 12:30 PM. The SSILA business meeting will be on Saturday, 5 January, 12:15 - 1:00 PM in the Pacific D/E Room. The schedule of papers is on pp. 16-18.

## **LSA 2002 Annual Meeting Program**

The authors and titles of papers to be presented in January are listed by day and session in alphabetical order by the author's last name. A complete program including times and room assignments will be available in the *Annual Meeting Handbook*.

The meeting will begin on Thursday, 3 January, with invited plenary addresses at 7:30 PM and 8:30 PM. The last sessions are scheduled to finish by 12:00 PM on Sunday, 6 January.

### **Thursday Evening, 3 January**

#### **Invited Plenary Presentations**

Room: Grand Ballroom B

7:30 - 8:30 PM Monogenesis or polygenesis? Typological perspective on language origins  
Johanna Nichols (UC-Berkeley)

8:30 - 9:30 PM Syntactic myopia & the ungainly morphosyntax of the complementizer  
James McCloskey (UC-Santa Cruz)

### **Friday Morning, 4 January**

#### **Symposium: Basic Tools for Linguistic Documentation**

Room: Grand Ballroom B

Time: 9:00 - 11:00 AM

Organizer: Megan Crowhurst (U TX-Austin)  
Committee on Endangered Languages & Their Preservation

Participants: Steven Bird (Penn)  
Michael C. Cahill (SIL)  
Ian Maddieson (UC-Berkeley)  
Pamela Munro (UCLA)  
Sarah G. Thomason (U MI)

### **Historical Phonology & Morphology**

Bernard Comrie (Max Planck Inst-Leipzig) Languages & genes: Evidence from the Caucasus

Sean Crist (Swarthmore C)

An analysis of \*z loss in West Germanic

Shoko Hamano (George Washington U) A constraint-based reanalysis of the weakening of the labial obstruent in Japanese

Adita Lahiri (U Konstanz)

Notker's Anlautgesetz & initial geminates in Alemannic

Astrid Kraehenmann (U Konstanz)

R. W. Murray (Univ Calgary)

Syllable cut studies in English phonology: John Hart (1551) as pioneer

Mary Paster (UC-Berkeley)

Vowel height harmony & blocking in Buchan Scots English

Marc Pierce (U MI)

Exceptions to Sievers' law in Gothic: Sound change, analogy, or both?

Andrea Sims (OH SU)

Reining in analogy: Evidence from Slavic for frequency as a constraining factor

### **Lexical & Nominal Semantics**

Barbara Abbott (MI SU)

Against a descriptive theory of proper names

Ron Artstein (Rutgers U)

The semantics of phonological decomposition

Ivano Caponigro (UCLA)

The semantics of indefinite free relatives

Luis Gonzales (Wake Forest U)

Episodic *-ee* nouns in English: A natural class

Martin Hackl (U MD-College Park)

Essentially plural predicates & their relational counterparts

Gianluca Storto (UCLA)

On the compositional interpretation of Italian 'bare partitives'

Stephen Wechsler (U TX-Austin)

Resultatives, telicity, & the scalar structure of adjectives

Phillip Wolff (U Memphis)

English & German speakers & the perception of cause

Bianca Klettke (U Memphis)

### **Vowels & r**

Mamiko Akita (U Electro Comm)

The developmental stages of the acquisition of schwa by Japanese learners of English

Juliette Blevins (U Cambridge)

A reanalysis of the Yurok vowel system

Michael Cahill (SIL)

Dissimilation of /r/ in Konni

Roderic Casali (SIL)

In search of Yoruba+: [ATR] dominance & vowel inventory structure

Ewa Jacewicz (OH SU)

Relative formant amplitude in the perception of the tense-lax vowel distinction in English

Aditi Lahiri (U Konstanz)  
Henning Reetz (U Konstanz)

Processing & representation of umlauted vowels

Tokayo Sugimoto (U Hamamatsu)

Asymmetry in Japanese vowel coalescence & constriction features

Alan Chi Lun Yu (UC-Berkeley)  
Aleksandra Makarova (UC-Berkeley)

Auditory robustness & duration of vocalic cues

### **Syntax 1: Dislocation**

Benjamin Bruening (U DE)

Two types of *wh*-scope marking

Ivano Caponigro (UCLA)  
Carson Schutze (UCLA)

Parameterizing passive participle movement

Barbara Citko (U UT)

A unified approach to left branch extraction & preposition stranding

Mike Dukes (Stanford U)

English quotative inversion: A constructional approach

Grant Goodall (U TX-El Paso)

V-initial clauses & the categorial status of locatives & temporals

Ana Gouvea (U MD-College Park)

Relative clause processing & its interaction with cross-linguistic syntactic properties

Rajesh Kumar (U IL-Urbana)

Overt licensing of NPIs [negative polarity items] in Hindi

Celine Rodrigues (U MD-College Park)  
Acrisio Pires (U MD-College Park)

Null subjects on noninfinite adjuncts: Cases of remnant movement

### **Poster Session**

Sarah Benor (Stanford U)

The chicken or the egg? A probabilistic OT analysis of English binomials

Katherine Crosswhite (U Rochester)  
Joyce McDonough (U Rochester)  
Michael Tanenhaus (U Rochester)

Online processing of onset-embedded words

Audra Dainora (MIT)

A probabilistic model of English intonation

Tania Granadillo (U AZ)  
Malcah Yeager-Dror (U AZ)

Pitch prominence occurs on critical information-no!

Joanna Lowenstein (U Chicago)

Acoustic analysis of the speech of adults with cochlear implants: A case study

Kyoko Masuda (U AZ)

Context effects in the perception & production of English liquids by Japanese adults

Lorna Rozelle (U WA)

The inventory & distribution of handshape & location in four sign languages

Josef Ruppenhofer (UC-Berkeley)  
Collin Baker (Intl Compu Sci Inst)

Identifying verb classes: A comparison of lexical resources

Helen Stickney (U MA-Amherst)

Description of relative clauses in Nicaraguan Sign Language

### **Symposium: Finding the Zone: Employment Opportunities outside Academia**

Room: Grand Ballroom B  
11:30 AM - 1:30 PM

Organizers: Marlys Macken (U WI-Madison)

Susan Steele (Mills C)  
Undergraduate Program Advisory Committee

Participants: Michael Cohen (Nuance)  
Marc Gawron (San Diego SU)  
Daniel Flickinger (YY Software)  
Daniel Jurafsky (U CO-Boulder)  
Bonnie Glover Stalls (USC)

## Friday Afternoon, 4 January

### **Symposium: Bringing Linguistics into the Schools: Preparing K-12 Teachers & Curricula**

Room: Grand Ballroom C  
12:00 - 2:00 PM

Organizers: Anne Lobeck (W WA U)  
Kristin Denham (W WA U)  
Language in the School Curriculum Committee

Participants: Kristin Denham (WWA U)  
Anne Lobeck (WWA U)  
Patricia Nichols (San Jose SU)  
Margaret Speas (U MA-Amherst)  
Rebecca Wheeler (Christopher Newport U)

### **Historical Syntax**

Brady Clark (Stanford U)	A stochastic optimality theory approach to English clause structure change
Jeffrey Good (UC-Berkeley)	On the origin of a verb phrase template in Chechen & Ingush
Dianne Jonas (Yale U)	Recent change in Faroese experiencer constructions
Brian Joseph (OH SU)	Albanian-Greek negation parallels: Dialectology & contact in the Balkans
Kelly Lynne Maynard (U IL-Urbana)	Isogloss distributions in Albanian reflect the history of Balkan convergence
Panayiotis Pappas (TX A&M U)	Weak object pronoun placement in later Medieval Greek & the limits of generalizations
David Peterson (TX Tech U)	From copula to ergative case clitic in Hakha Lai
John Whitman (Cornell U) Dianne Jonas (Yale U)	Lexical bases for syntactic change
Esther Wood (UC-Berkeley)	The origin of the northern subject rule

### **Pragmatics, Discourse, & Cognitive Linguistics**

David Beaver (Stanford U)	Anaphora resolution in optimality theory
William Croft (U Manchester) Johanna Barddal (Lund U) Willem Hollmann (U Manchester) Violeta Sotirova (U Manchester) Chiaki Taoka	Revising Talmy's typological classification of complex events

Victor Friedman (U Chicago)	Interrogatives as diagnostic for tense marking in evidentials
Sotaro Kita (Max Planck Inst-Nijmegen) Asli Ozyurek (Kog U) Shanley Allen (Boston U) Amanda Brown (Boston U)	Cross-linguistic variation of iconic gestures accompanying motion event description
Jenny Yi-chun Kuo (U MN-Mpls)	A pragmatic approach to the interpretations of Chinese bare nouns
Jacquelyn Rahman (Stanford U)	Semantic constraints on passivization in Caribbean English Creole
Gregory Ward (Northwestern U) Sam Tilsen (Northwestern U)	Deferred equatives
<b>Prosodic Phonology</b>	
Jennifer Fitzpatrick (U Konstanz)	Pitch accent on the predicate: A production experiment in Bengali
Nila Friedberg (U Toronto)	Elision, prominence, & meter in Brodsky's verse
Eon-Suk Ko (Penn)	A phonological & phonetic analysis of the Korean metrical system
Gaurav Mathur (U CT)	On the syntax-phonology interface in ASL: A case of residue
Rungpat Roengpitya (UC-Berkeley) John Ohala (UC-Berkeley)	Duration-dependent allotones in standard Thai
Amanda Siedl (Johns Hopkins U)	Compounding masquerading as vowel elision
Ronnie Wilbur (Purdue U) Aleix Martinez (Purdue U)	Physical correlates of prosodic structure in American Sign Language
<b>Syntax 2: Within the VP</b>	
Ash Asudeh (Stanford U)	Default unification as an alternative to optimality theory: A licensing theory for Finnish
Leslie Barrett ( Sem Data Systems) Anthony Davis (Georgetown U)	Control of nominalizations in English
Incheol Choi (U TX-Austin) categories & Stephen Wechsler (U TX-Austin)	The Korean light verb construction as conspiracy between mixed argument transfer
Alice Davison (U IA)	The VP structure of two classes of experiencer predicates
Elaine Francis (U Hong Kong) Stephen Mathews (U Hong Kong)	What does it take to make a category? The case of 'coverbs' in Cantonese
Donna Gerdtz (Simon Fraser U) Cheong Youn (Kyungil U)	Korean experience: Dative subjects or i-nominals?
Jeffrey Lidz (Northwestern U) Alexander Williams (Penn)	The causative structure of resultatives
Ke Zou (CSU-Hayward)	Two types of verb-noun compounds

**Symposium: The Open Language Archives Community (OLAC)**

Room: Grand Ballroom B

Time: 2:00 - 4:30 PM

Organizers: Steven Bird (Penn)  
Gary F. Simons (SIL)

Participants: Helen Aristar-Dry (E MI U)  
Megan Crowhurst (U TX-Austin)  
Gary Holton (AK Native Lang Ctr/U AK-Fairbanks)  
Chu-Ren Huang (Acad Sinica, Taiwan)  
Mark Liberman (Penn)  
Brian MacWhinney (Carnegie Mellon U)

### **LSA Business Meeting**

Room: Grand Ballroom B  
5:00 - 6:30 PM

**['The rules for resolutions and motions' may be requested from the LSA Secretariat at: [Isa@lsadc.org](mailto:Isa@lsadc.org).]**

## **Friday Evening, 4 January**

### **Invited Plenary Presentations**

Room: Grand Ballroom B  
7:30 - 9:30 PM

- 7:30 Optimization grammar, & cognition  
Paul Smolensky (Johns Hopkins U)
- 8:30 Sound change & the organization of phonology  
Paul Kiparsky (Stanford U)

## **Saturday Morning, 5 January**

### **Language Acquisition**

Heike Behrens (Max Planck Inst-Leipzig) The acquisition of German word order: From marked to unmarked

Laurent Deydts (IN U) Pouring the fire with gasoline: Questioning conclusions on L2  
Bonnie Schwartz (U Durham) argument structure  
Rex Sprouse (IN U)

Andrea Gualmini (U MD-College Park) Children don't lack any knowledge  
Stephen Crain (U MD-College Park)

Nina Kazanina (U MD-College Park) Russian children's comprehension of aspectual distinctions  
Colin Phillips (U MD-College Park)

Luisa Meroni (U MD-College Park) Children would rather satisfy condition A than violate condition B  
Andrea Gualmini (U MD-College Park)  
Stephen Crain (U MD-College Park)

Anna Papafragou (Penn) The acquisition of scalar implicatures  
Julien Musolino (IN U)

Laura Wagner (Harvard U) Children's comprehension of aspect in Mandarin  
Peggy Li (Harvard U)

## Reduplication & Markedness

John Alderete (Rutgers U) Cumulative markedness in [place] co-occurrence restrictions

Heidi Fleischhacker (UCLA) Onset transfer reduplication

Jason Haugen (U AZ)  
Catherine Kennard (U AZ)  
Robert Kennedy (U AZ) The basis for bases: Assigning reduplicative bases with alignment constraints

Rachel Hayes (U AZ) Do reduplication patterns in an English word game reflect phonotactic probabilities?

Ian Maddieson (UC-Berkeley) Typological patterns of phonological systems in geographical perspective

Peter Norquest (U AZ) Kinds of correspondence in Rotuman & Kwara'ae

Julia Weisenberg (SUNY-Stony Brook) Handshape markedness in American Sign Language loanwords

Alan Chi Lun Yu (UC-Berkeley) Floating mora & the stress-to-weight principle in Washo

## Speech Perception & Production

Ann Burger (Northwestern U) Spoken word recognition & grammatical category

Rachel Hayes (U AZ)  
Michael Hammond (U AZ) What phonological phenomena are affected by lexical frequency?

Mark Patkowski (Brooklyn C-CUNY) Right hemisphere involvement in multilinguals during speech production

Madelaine Plauche (UC-Berkeley) Explanations for the unidirectionality of stop consonant confusions

Liina Pylkkänen (MIT)  
Alex Marantz (MIT) Neutral mechanisms of spoken word recognition: Onsets & inhibition

Linnaea Stockall (MIT)  
Alec Marantz (MIT) Lexical activation: The effects of frequency, density & pronounceability on the M350

D. H. Whalen (Haskins Labs)  
Randall R. Benson (U CT)  
Matthew Richardson (Haskins Labs) Use of speech processing areas of the brain in response to sinewave speech

## Syntax 3

Emily Bender (Stanford U) Number names in Japanese: A head-medial construction in a head-final language

Judy Bernstein (William Patterson U) Distinguishing heads & specifiers: Evidence from Walloon

Richard Larson (SUNY-Stony Brook)  
Naoko Takahashi (SUNY-Stony Brook) Order & interpretation in Japanese relative clauses

Philip Le Sourd (IN U) Discontinuous noun phrases in Maliseet-Passamaquoddy

Haihua Pan (City U Hong Kong) Licensing dangling topics in Chinese

Ronnie Wilbur (Purdue U) Phrase structure in American Sign Language (ASL) & Austrian Sign Language (OGS)

Ming Xiang (MI SU) Modifier ordering in the Chinese NP  
Hiroko Yamakido (SUNY-Stony Brook) The nature of adjectival inflection in Japanese

## Saturday Afternoon, 5 January

### Workshop: Language Videos on the Web: A New LSA Outreach Project

Room: Grand Ballroom B

Time: 12:00 - 2:00 PM

Organizer: Janet Dean Fodor (CUNY Grad Ctr)

Participants: Merrill F. Garrett (U AZ)  
Sharon Klein (CSU-Northridge)  
Cecile McKee (NSF/U AZ)  
Rebecca Wheeler (Christopher Newport U)

### Language Policy

Matthew H. Ciscel (U SC) Discourse & identity in independent Moldova  
Joseph DeChicchis (Kwansei Gakuin U) Rival claims to indigenous status: Evidence from Taiwan  
Yoshiko Matsumoto (Stanford U) Changes in Japanese honorification as cognitive reorganization  
Karen Petronio (E KY U) Variation of the sign 'yes' in tactile American Sign Language  
Valerie Dively (Gallaudet U)  
Kristin Precht (Kent SU) Gender differences in affect, evidentiality, & hedging in American conversation  
Tara Sanchez (Penn) The pragmatic effect in morphological borrowing  
Makiko Takekuro (UC-Berkeley) Age-graded shift of gendered discourse among young Japanese females  
Graham Thurgood (CSU-Chico) Word order change & language contact: The data from Tsat  
Fengxiang Li (CSU-Chico)  
Suzanne Wertheim (UC-Berkeley) Function words as an aspect of language attrition: Russian & Tatar

### Laryngeal Phonology

Sonya Bird (U AZ) Dakelh ejectives: Evidence for new ways of classifying sounds  
John Esling (U Victoria) The laryngeal sphincter as an articulator: Tenseness, tongue root, & phonation in Yi & Bai  
Petur Helgason (Stockholm U) Voice & spread glottis in Swedish  
Catherine Ringen (U IA)  
Keith Johnson (OH SU) Cherokee stops: Acoustic data from old & new recordings  
Yoonjung Kang (SUNY-Stony Brook) Phonetic knowledge in loanword adaptation: Adaptation of English word-final stops to Korean  
Naomi Ogasawara (E MI U) Japanese rendaku: A phonetic investigation  
Bert Vaux (Harvard U) Systemic vs feature-based markedness in laryngeal contrasts

## **Sociophonology**

Dan Beckett (Georgetown U)	Patterns of individual sound change
Tessa Bent (Northwestern U) Saundra Wright (CSU-Chico) Jennifer Hay (U Canterbury, New Zealand)	Elvis & Priscilla: The phonological conspiracy deepens
Ann Bradlow (Northwestern U)	Intertalker differences in clear speech production & perception
William Labov (Penn)	The theoretical basis for the classification of North American English dialects
Julie Lewis (UC-Berkeley)	Interlocutor gender & status effects on female speakers' pitch
A. Elliott Moreton (Johns Hopkins U)	Strengthening of diphthong upglides before [-voice] stops English

## **Syntax 4**

Brian Agbayani (CSU-Fresno)	Epp asymmetries
Michael Dickey (Northwestern U) Chris Kennedy (Northwestern U)	Minimal structure in gapping
Jaklin Kornfilt (Syracuse U)	Two subject/nonsubject asymmetries
Ivan Sag (Stanford U)	Rules & exceptions in the English auxiliary system
Pasha Siraj (Johns Hopkins U)	Best left empty: Null arguments & Singaporean English
Daniela Isac (UQAM)	The force of negative moods
Ed Zoerner (CSU-Dominguez Hills) Brain Agbayani (CSU-Dominguez Hills)	Not <i>to be</i> pseudogapping

## **Saturday Evening, 5 January**

### **Presidential Address**

Room: Grand Ballroom B  
5:30 - 6:30 PM

Walt Wolfram (NC SU): Constructive controversy in linguistics: The development of African American Vernacular English

## **Sunday Morning, 6 January**

### **Workshop: Programming for Linguists: An Overview & Tutorial**

Room: Grand Ballroom B  
Time: 9:00 - 11:00 AM

Organizer: Geoff Nathan  
Computing Committee

Participants: Michael Barlow (Rice U)  
Steven Bird (Penn)  
Chris Culy (SRI Intrntl)  
Michael Hammond (U AZ)

Edward Loper (Penn)

### **Morphology**

Adam Albright (UCLA) Bruce Hayes (UCLA)	Rules vs analogy in English past tenses: A computational/experimental study
Luis Barragan (U AZ)	Cupeño verbal morphology & the theory of contextual allomorphy
James Blevins (U Cambridge, England)	Morphomic stem selection in conjugational systems
Kearsy Cormier (U TX-Austin)	Plural reference in American Sign Language: Effects on directionality
Samuel Hawk (Salk Inst) Karen Emmorey (Salk Inst)	Serial verbs of motion in ASL reexamined
Laura Sabourin (U Groningen)	UG & the L2 processing of grammatical gender
Mark Volpe (SUNY-Stony Brook)	Japanese causatives: Lexical vs syntactic

### **Phonology: Syllables & Moras**

Nancy Hall (U MA-Amherst)	Embedded syllables in Mohawk
Kristie McCrary (UCLA)	Empirical evidence for syllable structure in Italian
Evan Mellander (McGill U)	Prominence contours & diphthongal moraicity
Robert Podesva (Stanford U)	Segmental constraints on geminates & their implications for typology
Catherine Ringen (U IA) Robert Vago (Queens C-CUNY)	Geminates: Heavy or long?
Yvan Rose (Brown U)	Markedness & word-final syllabification: Evidence from developing grammars
Jie Zhang (Harvard U)	The positional markedness nature of contour tone licensing

### **Semantics**

Bridget Copley (MIT)	Perfectivity on modals of ability
Paul Elbourne (MIT)	The problem of indistinguishable participants
Edward Garrett (U VA)	Interactional conditionals: Evidence from Tibetan
Lynn Nichols (Harvard U)	On a component of propositional attitudes in Burmese 'aspectual' <i>khe</i>
Eve Sweetser (UC-Berkeley)	Constructional semantics & pragmatic ambiguity: <i>Even if &amp; then</i>
Marina Tudorova (Johns Hopkins U)	A unitary analysis of two types of the telic predicates
Christina Villafana (Georgetown U)	Reference-time flexibility & present perfect puzzle effects

### **Syntax 5: Syntax-Semantics Interface**

Karlos Arregi (MIT)	Clausal pied-piping: Reconstruction or indirect dependency?
John Beavers (Stanford U)	Aspect & distribution of prepositional resultative phrases in English
Marianne Borroff (SUNY-Stony Brook) Zheng Xu (SUNY-Stony Brook)	Predicate phrases as functional XPs

Jean Mark Gawron (San Diego SU)	Two kinds of determiners in DP
Laurence Horn (Yale U)	1 [does not equal] 3: Indexicality, reference, & the asymmetry of binding
Pytkkanen, Liina (MIT)	Verbal domains: Causative formation at the root, category, & phase levels
Neal Whitman (OH SU)	Predicative noun phrases & the reality of neutrality

## American Dialect Society 2002 Meeting Program

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## NAAHoLS 2002 Meeting Program

In addition to the papers listed below, the schedule includes the NAAHoLS business meeting which will occur on Saturday, 5 January, 3:45 PM.

### Friday, 4 January

#### Session 1

- 9:00 Maria Tsiapera (U NC-Chapel Hill): The Logique & Port-Royal  
 9:30 Danilo Marcondes de Souza (Pontifical U, Rio de Janeiro): Giambattista Vico's conception of language  
 10:00 David Boe (N MI U): Chomsky's tractarian antecedents

10:30 - 10:45 Break

#### Session 2

- 10:45 Richard Steadman-Jones (U Sheffield, England): 'A file for the serpent': The romantic hero & the practice of grammar  
 11:15 Brian Merrilees (U Toronto): Cross-referencing & synonymy in a 15th-century French-Latin dictionary  
 11:45 E-Jung Choi (U IL-Urbana): Reflections on synonymy in 18th-century France: Its contributions to language science

#### Session 3

- 2:00 Oleg A. Radchenko (Moscow City Pedagogic U): 'Humboldt redivivus' & the problem of historiographic correctness in modern linguistic historiography  
 2:30 Julia S. Falk (La Jolla, CA): Hockett's turn to the history of linguistics  
 3:00 Linda R. Waugh (U AZ): Roman Jakobson in America: What he brought to America, what America gave to him

3:30 - 3:45 Break

#### Session 4: Special Session on Language & Consciousness

- 3:45 Jim Ryan (CA Inst Integral Studies): The theoretical framework of Bhart'hari: A study of the relationship of grammar & consciousness in 5th-century India  
 4:15 Dan Moonhawk Alford (CA Inst Integral Studies): From before Humboldt to here: A still hidden cycle in the history of linguistics  
 4:45 Nadia Kerecuk (London, England): Internal form, Obraz, & consciousness in O. O. Potebnia

5:15 Matthew C. Bronson (CA Inst Integral Studies): The grammar of life: Animacy & consciousness in three linguistic traditions

## Saturday, 5 January

### Session 5

9:00 Stuart Davis (IN U): Francis Lieber & Laura Bridgman: An untold story  
9:30 Margaret Thomas (Boston C): The specious battle between 'contrastive analysis' & 'creative construction'  
10:00 Jane Hodson (U Sheffield, England/ UC-Berkeley): The mother tongue & the mother grammarian in 18th-century England & America

10:30 - 10:45 Break

### Session 6

10:45 Wil Hass (MN Sch Professional Psych): Cosmologies, evolutions, histories, & life-spans in the description of language origin, change, & termination  
11:15 Steve Seegmiller (Montclair SU): The Marrist period in Soviet linguistics & its effects on descriptive practice  
11:45 Hiroyuki Eto (Seifu Inst Engl Ling & Philol, Osaka, Japan): C. T. Onions's (1873-1965) undiminished influence on English language education in Japan

### Session 7

2:00 Frederick Schwink (U IL-Urbana): Lambert ten Kate & the discovery of Germanic gender  
2:30 Ricardo Cavaliere (U Fed Fluminense, Rio de Janeiro): Theoretical sources of linguistics in Brazil  
3:00 Reese M. Heitner (CUNY): Reducing the phoneme: Meaning, Bloomfield, & the neopositivist reduction of linguistic equivalence

## SPCL 2002 Meeting Program

In addition to the papers listed below, the schedule includes the SPCL business meeting which will occur on Saturday, 5 January, 5:15 PM.

## Friday, 4 January

### Phonology

9:00 Malcolm A. Finney (CSU-Long Beach): The interplay of lexical tone & pitch-accent in English-derived & borrowed words in Krio  
9:30 Shelome Gooden (OH SU): Reduplication: Symbiosis between prosody & grammatical structure  
10:00 Kenneth Sumbuk (U Papua New Guinea): Phonetic status of /p/ & /f/ in Tok Pisin

### Sociolinguistics

9:00 Peter Snow (UCLA): Miscommunicating with tourists on the Panamanian Island of Bastimentos: Language ideologies & patterns of language choice  
9:30 Peter L. Patrick (U Essex, England) & Esther Figueroa: The meaning of kiss-teeth  
10:00 Bettina Migge (IEAS-Goethe U, Germany): Social & linguistic practices in kuutu

10:30 - 10:45 Break

### Siberian-Based Creoles

10:45 Armin Schwegler (UC-Irvine): Reconsidering the evidence: Bare nouns in Palenquero & what they really mean  
11:15 Jorge Porras (Sonoma SU): Temporal distance & discourse reference in Palenquero  
11:45 Betsy Barry (U GA): Functional categories & clausal architecture in Papiamentu

## Varia 1

- 10:45 Jeffrey Reaser (NC SU): Reexamining isolation within isolation: New evidence from Abaco Island, The Bahamas  
11:15 Arthur Spears (CUNY): Conceptualizing creole grammar in a 'diglossic' society  
11:45 Charles Mann (U Surrey, England): Attitudes towards Anglo-Nigerian pidgin in urban, southern Nigeria: The generational variable

## Creole Prototypes

- 2:00 Claire Lefebvre (U Quebec a Montreal): What you see is not always what you get: Apparent simplicity & hidden complexity in creole languages  
2:30 Andrew J. Koontz-Garboden (IN U) & J. Clancy Clements (IN U): Adpositions in Spanish & Portuguese-based creoles  
3:00 Christine Jourdan (Concordia U) & Rachel Selbach (Concordia U): There's more to *bae* than meets the eye!

## Language Contact 1

- 2:00 Angela Bartens (U Helsinki): Language contact & interference on Saint Andrews, Providence, & Ketlina as preliminaries for the writing of a contrastive grammar Islander—Caribbean Standard English—Spanish  
2:30 Genevieve Escure (U MN-Mpls): Garifuna as contact language  
3:00 Phillip Baker (U Westminster, England): Atlantic, Indo-Pacific, & worldwide features in French-lexicon P/Cs

3:30 - 3:45 Break

## Morphology

- 3:45 Carol Myers-Scotton (U SC) & Janice L. Jake (Midlands Tech C): Testing the creole system morpheme hypothesis  
4:15 Ferdinand Ferriera (U NM): Previous creolization hypothesis in Caribbean Spanish  
4:45 Stephan Matthews (U Hong Kong): The origins of Macanese reduplication

## Social History

- 3:45 G. Tucker Childs (Portland SU): Further evidence for a Guinea Pidgin French  
4:15 Michael J. Aceto (E Carolina U): Stadian Creole English: A history with grammatical features  
4:45 George Huttar (SIL, Nairobi Evangelical Grad Sch Theol): Creole genesis: The nature & use of semantic & lexical evidence  
5:15 Valeri Khabirov (Ural Pedagog U, Russia): Growth of the lexicon of the creolized Lingala & Sango

## Saturday, 5 January

### Phonology

- 9:00 Jean-Robert Cadely (FL Intl U): Nasality in Haitian Creole: A process of linguistic change  
9:30 Iskara Iskrova & Albert Valdman (IN U): Phonological constraints & nasality in Haitian Creole  
10:00 Thomas Morton (Penn): Phonetic status of /p/ & /f/ in Tok Pisin

### Creole Development

- 9:00 Sarah Roberts (Stanford U): The role of identity & style in creole development: Evidence from Hawaiian Creole  
9:30 Fred Field (CSU-Northridge): Presence of superstrate/lexifier & possible long-term effects on an emerging creole  
10:00 Hirokumi Masuda (U HI-Hilo): The proto language hypothesis & superstructure: A creolistic insight into the language evolution

10:30 - 10:45 Break

### Morphosyntax

- 10:45 Marlyse Baptista (U GA): Cape Verdean Creole as a radically pro-drop language  
 11:15 Enoch O. Aboh (ACLCL-U Amsterdam): Morphosyntax of the left periphery in Saramaccan & GBE  
 11:45 Dimitri Hilton (Barry U): Binding theory & the morpheme *yo* in Haitian Creole

### Acquisition

- 10:45 Dany Adone (Heinrich-Heine U-Düsseldorf): Double-object constructions in creole acquisition  
 11:15 Mary Schmida (UC-Berkeley): Cohorts & creoles, peers & pidgins: Second language acquisition of linguistic minority students  
 11:45 R. Raj Mesthrie (U Cape Town, S Africa): Nguni pidgin (Fanakalo) vs Nguni (Xhosa & Zulu)

### Language Contact 2

- 2:00 Donald Winford (OH SU): Structural constraints on contact-induced change: Borrowing vs substratum influence  
 2:30 Stephane Goyette (LSU): A tale of romance in two far-away lands  
 3:00 Gillian Sankoff (Penn): Divergence, drift, & substrate: The evolution of focus in three Pacific creoles

### Varia 2

- 2:00 Nicolas Quint (CNRS) & Mafada Mendes (CNRS): Making the first Standard Portuguese/Cape Verdean dictionary: A technical & linguistic challenge  
 2:30 Nicholas Faraclas (U Papua New Guinea): From old New Guinea to Papua New Guinea: A comparative study of Nigerian pidgin & Tok Pisin  
 3:00 Frank Martinus (Erasmus C): Unsolved mysteries in Guene, Papiamentu, Sranan, English, & Dutch nursery rhymes

3:30 - 3:45 Break

### African American Vernacular English

- 3:45 Walter Edwards (Wayne SU): The provenance of the zero copula in AAVE: A new pro-creole analysis  
 4:15 John Rickford (Stanford U): Creole/AAVE copula patterning as evidence of L2 learning effects  
 4:45 Sali Tagliamonte (U Toronto/U York) & Megan Jones (U York): Linguistic shipwreck? Preverbal *do* & the Southwest connection revisited

### French-Based Creoles

- 3:45 Katrin Mutz (U Saarlandes): The expression of reflexivity in 'French-based' creoles  
 4:15 Viviane Deprez (Rutgers U): The functional structure of nominal projections in French lexifier creoles  
 4:45 David Frank (SIL): The St. Lucian Creole verb phrase

## SSILA 2002 Meeting Program

In addition to the papers listed below, the schedule includes the SSILA business meeting which will occur on Saturday, 5 January, 12:15 PM.

### Friday, 4 January

#### Phonology: Prosody & Words

- 9:00 Colleen M. Fitzgerald (U at Buffalo, SUNY): Prosodic variation as constraint reranking: Evidence from Tohono O'odham  
 9:20 Matthew Gordon (UC-Santa Barbara): An acoustic investigation of stress in Hupa  
 9:40 Leanne Hinton (UC-Berkeley) & Herb Luthin (Clarion U): Stress & syllable weight in Yahi  
 10:00 Lev Michael (U TX-Austin): Sonority-driven stress in Nanti (Arawak)

- 10:20 Marcia Haag (U OK) & Durbin Feeling (U OK): Interactions of meter & tone in Cherokee nouns & clitics
- 10:40 Eugene Buckley (Penn): Alsea metathesis & syllable structure
- 11:00 Cathlin M. Davis (U WI-Madison/Edgewood C): Metathesis & epenthesis in Sierra Miwok: Building syllable structure
- 11:20 Juliette Blevins (U Luton, England/UC-Berkeley): Prosodic words in Yurok
- 11:40 John Stonham (U Newcastle upon Tyne, England): On the nature of the prosodic word in Nuuchahnulth

### **Rethinking Older Analyses & Exploiting Older Sources**

- 9:00 Anna Berge (AK Native Lang Ctr): Poul Egede wasn't really fluent in Greenlandic...
- 9:20 William F. Weigel (UC-Berkeley): The interaction of theory & description: The Yokuts canon
- 9:40 Wallace Chafe (UC-Santa Barbara): A 17th-century Seneca dictionary
- 10:00 Mary L. Clayton (IN U): Evidence for a Nahuatl-speaking author in an early trilingual manuscript dictionary
- 10:20 Yolanda Lastra (UNAM) & Martha C. Muntzel (INAH): Colonial toponyms from Guanajuato, Mexico
- 10:40 Natalie Operstein (UCLA): Spanish loans & the fortis/lenis contrast in early Zapotec

### **Syntactic Morphology & Morphological Syntax**

- 10:00 Ives Goddard (Smithsonian Institution): Post-syntactic stem derivation in Fox
- 10:20 Marianne Mithun (UC-Santa Barbara): The polysynthetic riddle [Mohawk]
- 10:40 David S. Rood (U CO): Wichita syntax?
- 11:00 Paul D. Kroeber (IN U): Position of subordinating & extraction morphology in Comox
- 11:20 Masiel Matera (U Zulia, Venezuela): Preposition incorporation in Wayuunaiki (Arawak)
- 11:40 Raimundo Medina (U Zulia, Venezuela): The locality of verb movement in Kari'ña (Cariban)

### **Historical Linguistics & Sociolinguistics**

- 2:00 John A. Dunn (U OK/UNBC): Coast & Southern Tsimshian lexical items with significant phonological relationships to PIE roots
- 2:20 Catherine A. Callaghan (OH SU): Proto Sierra Miwok case system
- 2:40 Sidney da S. Facundes (U Fed Pará/CNPq, Brazil): Arawak internal relationships in Southwestern Amazon
- 3:00 Marie-Lucie Tarpent (Mt. St. Vincent U): Alsea words for women: Cultural implications of their linguistic forms
- 3:20 Amy Miller (Santa Barbara Mus Ntrl His): Innovations in Yuma personal prefixation
- 3:40 Eleanor Blain (Brandon U): Future marking in Cree
- 4:00 Candace Maher (U NM): Mother-in-law language in the Jicarilla Apache community
- 4:20 Bill Poser (Penn): Dakelh (Carrier) babytalk
- 4:40 Yukihiro Yumitani (Sanyo Gakuen U, Japan): Spanish loanwords in Jemez Towa

### **Special Session: Denominal Verbs in the Languages of the Americas**

- 2:00 Jason D. Haugen (U AZ): Denominal verbs in Yaqui
- 2:20 Kenneth C. Hill (U AZ): Denominal verbs in Hopi
- 2:40 Willem de Reuse (U N TX): Denominal verbs in Navajo & Western Apache
- 3:00 Jerrold M. Sadock (U Chicago): A survey of denominal verbs in Eskimo-Aleut
- 3:20 Stephen Marlett (SIL/U ND): Denominal verbs in Seri
- 3:40 Donna B. Gerds (Simon Fraser U) & Thomas E. Hukari (U Victoria): Halkomelem denominal verbs
- 4:00 Toshihide Nakayama (Tokyo U For Studies): Denominal verbs in Nuuchahnulth
- 4:20 Jürgen Bohnemeyer (Max Planck Inst-Nijmegen): Activity nouns, unaccusativity, & argument marking in Yukatekan
- 4:40 General discussion: Donna Gerds & Stephen Marlett

## **Saturday, 5 January**

### **Discourse**

- 9:00 George Aaron Broadwell (U at Albany, SUNY): Preverbal positions & discourse functions in Zapotec
- 9:20 David Mora-Marin: The preferred argument structure of Classic Lowland Mayan texts
- 9:40 Lachlan Duncan (U at Albany, SUNY): Constituent word ordering in Ch'orti' discourse
- 10:00 Jeffrey Rasch (Rice U): Subject vs topic in expressions of cognition & emotion in Yaaitepec Chatino
- 10:20 Jean Mulder (U Melbourne) & Christina Eira (Narungga Lang Proj): Evidentiality & verbal art in Tsimshian (Sm'algyax)
- 10:40 Gary Holton (AK Native Lang Cntr): Clause-combining in Tanacross Athabaskan

- 11:00 Akiyo Maruyama (UC-Santa Barbara): Navajo *'áko*: A discourse marker  
 11:20 Petronila S. Tavares (Rice U): The organization of discourse information in Wayana historical narratives  
 11:40 Armik Mirzayan (U CO-Boulder): Information structure in Lakhota narratives

### **Special Session: Organizing American Indian Linguistics: A Session in Commemoration of the 20th Anniversary of the Founding of SSILA**

- 9:00 Introduction: Victor Golla  
 9:20 Melissa Axelrod (U NM), Jule Gómez de García (CSU-San Marcos), & Jordan Lachler (U NM): Developing a New Mexico Native Languages Center  
 9:40 Juliette Blevins (U Luton, England/UC-Berkeley) & Andrew Garrett (UC-Berkeley): Fieldwork & the archives: The Yurok Language Project at Berkeley  
 10:00 Victor Golla (Humboldt SU/UC-Davis): Organizing the transcription of American Indian languages  
 10:20 Kathryn A. Klar (UC-Berkeley): 'A serviceable system for writing Indian languages': Correspondence between Harrington & Sapir, 1910-1912  
 10:40 John D. Nichols (U MN-Mpls): Where did you put my language? Problems in North American linguistic bibliography  
 11:00 Discussion & reports on new projects

### **Classification & Lexical Semantics**

- 2:00 Elena Benedicto (Purdue U): The verbal classifier system (VCS) of Mayangna  
 2:20 Laura Buszard-Welcher (UC-Berkeley): The semantics of Yana classificatory verb stems  
 2:40 Connie Dickinson (U OR): Predicate classification in Tsafiki  
 3:00 Sean P. O'Neill (U OK): Classificatory semantics in northwestern California  
 3:20 Jack Martin (C Wm & Mary): Classifying location in Creek  
 3:40 Mercedes Q. Hinkson (W WA U/NW Indian C): The semantics & productivity of the lexical suffix *\*wil* in Ucwalmícwts (Lower Lillooet)  
 4:00 Luis Oquendo (U Zulia, Venezuela): Realis or irrealis in the Japreria language/mind

### **Grammatical Categories & Grammaticalization**

- 2:00 Philip LeSourd (IN U): Second-position particles in Maliseet-Passamaquoddy  
 2:20 Tim Montler (U N TX): Categories in Straits Salishan  
 2:40 Catherine Rudin (Wayne SC): Functional heads, directionality, & the identity of Omaha-Ponca constituents  
 3:00 Tim Thornes (U OR): Northern Paiute postpositions  
 3:20 Mary S. Linn (U Pittsburgh): Lexical affixation in Euchee (Yuchi): A missing link  
 3:40 Carolyn J. MacKay (Ball SU) & Frank R. Trechsel (Ball SU): Reciprocal /*laa-*/ in Totonacan  
 4:00 Sara Trechter (CSU-Chico): The value of *-pi*

### **Special Session: Papers from the Snake-Jaguar Project: The Project for the Documentation of the Languages of Meso-America**

- 2:00 Introduction: Terry Kaufman & John Justeson  
 2:20 Rosemary Beam de Azcona (UC-Berkeley): A chain shift in Coatlán Zapotec  
 2:40 Giulia R. M. Oliverio (AK Native Lang Cntr): Verb stem alternations in Guichicovi Mixe  
 3:00 Susan Smythe (U TX-Austin): The loss of uvular stops in Huehuetla Tepehua  
 3:20 Thomas C. Smith Stark (CELL/COLMEX): The use of theoretically possible roots as an elicitation technique: The case of Chichicapan Zapotec  
 3:40 Richard A. Rhodes (UC-Berkeley): Spanish in Sayula Popoluca  
 4:00 Roberto Zavala (CIESAS-Sureste, Mexico): Depictive secondary predicates in Olutec (Mixean)  
 4:20 Troi Carleton (San Francisco SU) & Michelle Moosally (U Houston): *Lo7o* as an instrumental, comitative, or conjunctive morpheme in Zenzontepec Chatino  
 4:40 Craig Hiltz (OH SU): *This, that, & yonder* on vowels in Atepec Zapotec

### **Phonetics**

- 4:30 John H. Esling (U Victoria), Barry F. Carlson (U Victoria), & Jimmy G. Harris (U Victoria): A laryngoscopic phonetic study of Nootka & Salish glottal stop, glottalized resonants, & pharyngeals  
 4:50 Ian Maddieson (UC-Berkeley) & Pilar M. Valenzuela (Max Planck Inst-Leipzig): Phonetic aspects of Shipibo

### **Transitivity**

- 9:00 José Álvarez (U Zulia, Venezuela): Split intransitivity & serial verbs in Baniva of Guainía  
9:20 David Beck (U ALTA): Person-hierarchies & the origin of asymmetries in Totonac verbal paradigms  
9:40 Lisa Conathan (UC-Berkeley): Inverses in northern California  
10:00 Anna Hyun-Joo Do (Boston U) & Shanley Allen (Boston U): Antipassive constructions in Inuktitut

### **Negation & Other Syntactic Processes**

- 10:40 Ivy Doak (U N TX): Coeur d'Alene negative constructions  
11:00 Jane H. Hill (U AZ): Cupeño negative sentences  
11:20 Marlene Socorro (U Zulia, Venezuela) & José Álvarez (U Zulia, Venezuela): Análisis comparativo de la construcción negativa en baniva y lenguas arahuacas cercanas (A comparative analysis of the negative construction in Baniwa & closely related Arawakan languages) [to be delivered in Spanish]  
11:40 John Enrico: Internally-headed relative clauses & generalized quantifiers [Haida]  
12:00 Ana Sánchez (U Zulia, Venezuela): Strategies of relativization in Yukpa (Cariban)

### **Language Preservation & Revitalization**

- 10:00 Dennis Holt (Cntrl CT SU): Poetry in Pech & the aesthetic dimension of language loss [Honduras]  
10:20 Chip Gerfen (U NC-Chapel Hill) & Kelley Vance (U NC-Chapel Hill): ka'u o: An orthography & picture dictionary for Coatzospan Mixtec  
10:40 Jule Gómez de García (CSU-San Marcos), Melissa Axelrod (U NM), & Jordan Lachler (U NM): The roles of literacy & collaboration in documenting Native American languages: A report from the *Jicarilla Apache Dictionary* Project  
11:00 Alice Taff (U AK-Fairbanks) & Donna Miller MacAlpine (Anvik Historical Society): Producing the *Deg Xinag* (Ingalik Athabascan Dene) *Learners' Dictionary*  
11:20 Alice Taff (U AK-Fairbanks) & Beth Dementi Leonard (U AK-Fairbanks): A model for adult learners of indigenous languages [Deg Xinag Athabascan]  
11:40 Brent Galloway (SIFC/U Regina): Language preservation & revival: Passing the torches for Upriver Halkomelem