The 16th Annual Workshop on American Indigenous Languages
Conference Program

Friday, April 26th, 2013
Multipurpose Room, Student Resource Building

Registration 8:00 – 5:00
Breakfast 8:00 – 9:00
Opening Remarks 9:00 – 9:15

Session I 9:15 – 10:45

Purépecha Distributive Numerals and Plural Markers 9:15 – 9:45
VIOLETA VAZQUEZ-ROJAS
El Colegio de Mexico

Part Incorporation in Upper Necaxa Totonac 9:45 – 10:15
DEVIN MOORE
University of Alberta

Noun Incorporation into Adjectives in Ese Eija 10:15 – 10:45
MARINE VUILLERMET
University of California, Berkeley

Break 10:45 – 11:00

Session II 11:00 – 12:30

Revisiting Argument Structure in Kwak’wala 11:00 – 11:30
DAISY ROSENBLUM
University of California, Santa Barbara

Person Marking in Southeastern Huastec (Mayan, Mexico): 11:30 – 12:00
Inverse or Tripartite?
ANA KONDIC
CEMCA, Mexico City

What’s an oblique? Case Marking and Agreement in 12:00 – 12:30
Montana Salish
NICHOLAS BAIER
University of California, Berkeley
Break for Lunch
12:30 – 2:00

Session III
2:00 – 3:30

Kutenai and the Category of Subject
IRENE APPLEBAUM
University of Montana

A Phylogenetic Approach to the Study of the Tupí-Guaraní Language Family
NATALIA CHOUSOU-POLYDOURI, VIVIAN WAUTERS, ZACHARY O'HAGAN,
KEITH BARTOLOMEI, LEV MICHAEL
University of California, Berkeley

The Spanish Word 'que' in Sierra Popoluca
SALOMÉ GUTIÉRREZ-MORALES
CIESAS-GOLFO

Break
3:30 – 3:45

Session IV
3:45 – 5:15

On the Dynamics of Classifier Systems and Of Their Study: The Poptí’ Noun Classifiers
COLETTE GRINEVALD
University of Lyon

Classificatory Verb Stems in Plains Apache
JULIET MORGAN
University of Oklahoma

Animacy Marking and Semantic Generalization in Ch’orti’ Numeral Classifiers
KERRY HULL
Reitaku University, Japan
Saturday, April 27th, 2013  
*Multipurpose Room, Student Resource Building*

**Registration & Breakfast**  
8:00 – 9:00

**Session V**  
9:00 – 10:30

*Syllable Reduction in Ye'kwana: Morphologized Phonology*  
9:00 – 9:30  
NATALIA CÁCERES ARANDIA  
University of Oregon

*Choctaw Vowel Centralization*  
9:30 – 10:00  
LORI McLAIN PIERCE  
University of Texas at Arlington

*Acoustic Properties of Vowels in Upper Necaxa Totonac*  
10:00 – 10:30  
MICHELLE GARCIA-VEGA  
University of Alberta

**Break**  
10:45 – 11:00

**Session VI**  
11:00 – 12:30

*Mako Verb Classes and Differential Marking of Human Animate Subjects*  
11:00 – 11:30  
JORGE EMILIO ROSÉS LABRADA  
University of Western Ontario

*Lushootseed Aspect and Complement Clauses Revitalization*  
11:30 – 12:00  
ZALMAI ZAHIR  
University of Oregon

*Imperative and Irrealis in Ixhil Maya Sacred Speech*  
12:00 – 12:30  
MARIA LUZ GARCIA, MELISSA AXELROD, JULE GOMEZ DE GARCIA, MICHAEL HUGHES  
University of Kentucky; University of New Mexico; California State University, San Marcos; California State University, San Marcos

**Break for Lunch**  
12:30 – 2:00

**Keynote Talk**  
2:00 – 3:00

*Historical Changes in Part of Speech Categories: Some Examples and Some Questions*  
SPIKE GILDEA  
University of Oregon
Break 3:00 – 3:15

Session VII 3:15 – 4:15

The Complexity of Negation in Chuxnaban Mixe 3:15 – 3:45
CARMEN JANY
California State University San Bernardino

Overapplied Applicatives: The Case of -ru and -tu in Shiwiar 3:45 – 4:15
MARTIN KOHLBERGER
Leiden University Centre for Linguistics

Closing 4:30

Dinner at Mithun/Chafe Residence 6:00