

INTERNATIONAL WORKSHOP ON THE LANGUAGES OF NURISTAN

THE NURISTANI LANGUAGES IN SYNCHRONY AND DIACHRONY

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University of Cologne

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Programme

Friday, 1st November

8.00 - 9.00 Registration (*Institute of Linguistics, Meister-Ekkerhart-Straße 7, Köln*)

FIRST SESSION: THE NURISTANI LANGUAGES IN PAST AND PRESENT

9:00 - 9.30 Strand, Richard F. *The Nuristani languages in past and present.*

9.30 - 10.00 Degener, Almuth. *Studies in the Nuristani languages.*

10.00-11.00 Coffee break and Round-Table-Discussion: Subgrouping, language and dialect names.

SECOND SESSION: THE LINGUISTIC ENVIRONMENT: AREAL FEATURES AND CONTACT LANGUAGES

11.00 - 11.30 Liljegren, Henrik. *The languages of the Hindukush.*

11.30 - 12.00 Zoller, Claus Peter. *The Nuristani languages and their position within contemporary Indo-Iranian.*

12.00 - 12.30 Bashir, Elena. *Khowar and Kalasha: Similarities and differences in their micro-areal contexts.*

12.30 - 13.00 Wendtland, Antje. *The Iranian contact languages in past and present.*

13.00-14.30 Lunch

14.30 - 15.00 Cacopardo, Alberto M. *Peristan: the Counter-Civilization of the Hindukush/Karakorum. The state of ethnohistorical research.*

15.00 - 15.30 Malzahn, Melanie. *Tocharian from a structural and a historical perspective.*

15.30 - 16.30 Coffee break and Round-Table-Discussion: Areality and language contact.

THIRD SESSION: DATA MINING: DATA, FIELDWORK, TEXT RESOURCES

16.30 - 17.00 Reinöhl, Uta. *Doing fieldwork in the Himalayas.*

17.30 - 18.00 Jeremy Hawbaker. *Fieldwork on the Shina of Nagar, Pakistan.*

18.30 Dinner

Saturday, 2nd November

THIRD SESSION: DATA MINING: DATA, FIELDWORK, TEXT RESOURCES

9.00 - 9.30 Kaverin, Svjatoslav. *Nuristani studies and materials in Russia.*

9.30 - 10.00 Kölligan, Daniel. *Nuristani languages digital archive at the University of Cologne.*

10.00 - 11.30 **Coffee break and Round-Table-Discussion:** *Prospects on field work and data archiving.*

FOURTH SESSION: COMPARATIVE GRAMMAR, SUBGROUPING, EXTERNAL GENETIC RELATIONS

11.30 - 12.00 Hegedüs, Irén. *Reconstructing Proto-Nuristani: state of affairs.*

12.00 - 12.30 Kümmel, Martin. *The Indo-Iranian branch of Indo-European: subgrouping and development.*

12.30 - 13.00 Lipp, Reiner. *The Proto-Nuristani consonantism and the position of Proto-Nuristani within Indo-Iranian.*

13.00-14.30 Lunch

14.30 - 15.00 Halfmann, Jakob. *Advances in the historical phonology of the Nuristani languages.*

15.00 - 15.30 Hübner, Denise. *Advances in the Nuristani comparative grammar: inflection of nouns.*

15.30 - 16.30 **Coffee and Round-Table-Discussion:** *Comparative grammar of the Nuristani languages from within and from without.*

FINAL DISCUSSION: RESEARCH ON NURISTANI – STATE OF THE ART, CURRENT TASKS AND FUTURE PROSPECTS

16.30 - 17.30 *Round-Table-Discussion: Agenda 2021.*