Pavia International Summer School for Indo-European Linguistics
Pavia (Italy) 19-25 September 2011

General Description:

The Pavia International Summer School for Indo-European Linguistics will be held from September 19 to September 25 at the University of Pavia. It will feature four courses, a lab on the use of corpora in historical linguistics and issues connected with annotation, a poster session in which students will be able to present their research, and will end with the International Conference "Historical-Comparative Linguistics in the 21st century" (see attached program). Attendance is limited to 20 participants.

Courses and instructors:

Course 1 = Sanskrit (Leonid Kulikov, Leiden; introduced by Silvia Luraghi, Pavia)

Course 2 = Celtic (Ranko Matasović, Zagreb; introduced by Elisa Roma, Pavia)

Course 3 = Baltic (Daniel Petit, École Normale Supérieure Paris; introduced by Maria Cristina Bragone, Pavia)

Course 4 = Tocharian (Gerd Carling, Uppsala; introduced by Pierluigi Cuzzolin, Bergamo)

Lab (Dag Haug, Oslo; introduced by Elisabetta Jezek, Pavia)

Preliminary Schedule:

	Monday 19	Tuesday 20	Wend. 21	Thursday 22	Friday 23	Saturday 24	Sunday 25
9.10-11	course 1	course 1	course 4	course 3	Conference	Conference	Conference
11-11.20	break	break	break	break			
11.20-13.10	course 2	course 2	course 1	course 4			
13.10-14.30	lunch	lunch	lunch	lunch	cocktail	cocktail	
14.30-16.20	course 3	course 3	course 2	14-15 lab	Conference	Conference	
16.20-16.40	break	break	break	15.30-17.30 Poster session			
16.40-18.30	course 4	lab	lab	17.30-18.30 quantitative methods			
					Welcome cocktail	Tour of Pavia	
						Conference Dinner	

Admission:

We invite PhD students, as well as Postdocs and other young researchers to send us their application. Advanced MA students can also be considered for admission, based on a written statement of their motivation for attending the school. Applications will be examined by an international scientific committee, which will assign them a score. Participants will be admitted based on the score up to a maximum of 20. PhD students will be given precedence. As all courses are taught in English, a good knowledge of English is a basic requirement.

Deadline for applications: June 30, 2011

ECTS:

Participation in the Summer School, including active participation in the Poster Session and attendance of the International Conference, stands for 3 ECTS. At the end of the Summer School, every participant will receive a certificate, which will indicate the amount of awarded ECTS credits.

Fees:

Attendance to the Summer School is free of charge. We have reserved single rooms for participants at the Collegio Volta for the nights from Sunday 18 Sept (arrival) to Sunday 25 Sept (departure) at the total price of 350 Euros, which also includes lunch at the cafeteria (Mensa Fraccaro), one-week pass for public transportation, and invitation to all social events featured at the Conference.

Scientific Committee:

Marina Benedetti

Pierluigi Cuzzolin

Rosemarie Lühr

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International Conference

Historical-Comparative Linguistics in the 21st Century

Preliminary program

22 September

Alessandra Caviglia "New perspectives: Introduction to the poster session"

Poster Session organized by Alessandra Caviglia

- Elisabetta Jezek - Introduction: Quantitative methods and corpora
- Michael Cysouw, München, "Quantitative approaches to the reconstruction of meaning change"
- Dag Haug, Oslo, "Prodrop in the New Testament - a comparative view on Greek, Latin, Gothic, Armenian and Old Church Slavonic"

23 September

Official opening and opening address
- Rosemarie Lühr, Jena, President of the Indogermanische Gesellschaft, "Zur Rekonstruktion der indogermanischen Syntax heute"
- Elisabeth Rieken, Marburg, "Neue Wege und Irrwege in der indogermanistischen Forschung"
- Gerd Carling, Uppsala "Structural typology and the role of historical linguistics - towards a synthesis"
- Pierluigi Cuzzolin, Bergamo - Introduction: Reconstructing alignment in PIE
- Leonid Kulikov, Leiden, "Transitivity and labile syntax in Proto-Indo-European: A diachronic typological approach"
- Ranko Matasović, Zagreb, "The re-evaluation of the evidence for PIE as a language with active clause alignment"
- Ilya Yakubovich, Moscow State University, "Privative ergativity in Hittite"
- Antonio Loprieno, Basel, "On the typology of focus in Egyptian"
- Michael Daniel, Moskow State University "Temporary recipient in East Caucasian"
- Elena Skribnik, München, "South Siberian Turkic languages: some instances of past language contacts"

24 September

- Tijmen Pronk, Zagreb, "Slavic words denoting emotions and their Indo-European origin"
- Matthias Urban, Max Planck Institute for Evolutionary Anthropology, Leipzig, "Semantic Change and the Methodology of Semantic Reconstruction"
- Paola Dardano, Siena Stranieri, "Anatolischer Wortschatz und Phraseologie: Ererbtes und fremde Einflüsse"
- Livio Gaeta, Napoli Federico II "On evolutive and adaptive change: Historical-comparative linguistics and the origin of language"
- Maria Napoli, Siena Stranieri, "The Indo-European Verb in the 21st Century. On the category of Aspect"
- Pietro Dini, Pisa, "Philologisches und Linguistisches am Beispiel der Übersetzungen ins Altpreussische"
- Daniel Petit, École Normale Supérieure Paris, "On indefinite pronouns in the Baltic languages"
- Egle Mocciaro, Palermo "Agency and agentive prepositions in Late Latin",
- Luisa Brucale, Palermo "Manner of motion verbs in Latin"

25 September

- Luz Conti, Madrid Autónoma, "Temporal and conjunctive Adverbs in Ancient Greek: A historical overview"
- Stefanie Fauconnier, Leuven, "Ancient Greek relative clauses from a typological perspective"
- César Ruiz, Madrid Complutense, "Productivity and language corpus"
- Round table hosted by Davide Ricca, Torino
- Silvia Luraghi, Pavia - Conclusions