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235.0 SSILA Business

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- \* Anaheim to be site of January 2007 meeting

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The 2006-7 annual winter meeting of SSILA will be held in Anaheim, CA,

January 4-7, jointly with the annual meeting of the Linguistic Society of America. All sessions will take place in the Anaheim Hilton, which, the LSA tells us, "has a swimming pool, fitness center, and a sufficient supply of sleeping rooms." The confirmed room rate is \$135 per night for single or double rooms.

For those of you unfamiliar with Southern California, Anaheim is located in Orange County about 30 miles east of Los Angeles International Airport (LAX) and 15 miles north of John Wayne-Santa Ana Airport, and is probably better known for being the site of Disneyland than for hosting scholarly conferences. The meeting had originally been scheduled to be held in New York City, but the strong possibility of a hotel strike (shades of our San Francisco/Oakland meeting in January 2005!) prompted the LSA to seek an alternative venue.

SSILA members will be able to preregister for the meeting on-line through the LSA website, beginning in late summer. Please check the LSA website (<http://www.lsadc.org>) for exact information about this and other meeting arrangements.

Many of you will be relieved to hear that, for this meeting, presenters will be allowed to bring their own LCD projectors for PowerPoint and other computer-based presentations. (Be warned, however, that neither SSILA nor LSA can take responsibility for your equipment, nor will we be able to provide any technical assistance, except in emergencies.) If you plan to use an LCD projector you should also bring your own laptop and cables, and should check the compatibility between laptop and projector before the meeting begins.

The Call for Papers for the Anaheim meeting will be distributed in May. Members interested in organizing special sessions should contact the chair of the Program Committee, Lyle Campbell, in advance ([lyle.campbell@linguistics.utah.edu](mailto:lyle.campbell@linguistics.utah.edu)).

\* 2006 committees  
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SSILA President Lyle Campbell has appointed the following committees for 2006:

Ken Hale Prize Committee: Tony Woodbury (chair), Pam Bunte, Nora England, Zarina Estrada, Keren Rice

Mary R. Haas Book Award Committee: David Rood (chair), Andrew Garrett, Sérgio Meira, Douglas Parks, Tony Woodbury

Travel Committee: Steve Marlett (chair), Juliette Blevins, Harriet Klein

Program Committee for the January 2007 Meeting: Lyle Campbell (chair, ex officio), Leslie Saxon, Amy Dahlstrom, Monica Macaulay, Willem de Reuse

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\* UNESCO Red Book adds Venezuela data

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From Kazuto Matsumura ([dootai@l.u-tokyo.ac.jp](mailto:dootai@l.u-tokyo.ac.jp)) 17 Feb 2006:

We are pleased to announce that the UNESCO Red Book of Endangered Languages was updated on 16 February to include information on the languages of Venezuela:

[http://www.tooyoo.l.u-tokyo.ac.jp/Redbook/SAmerica/SA\\_index.cgi](http://www.tooyoo.l.u-tokyo.ac.jp/Redbook/SAmerica/SA_index.cgi)

--Prof. Kazuto Matsumura  
Dept. of Dynamic Linguistics, University of Tokyo  
[dootai@l.u-tokyo.ac.jp](mailto:dootai@l.u-tokyo.ac.jp)

\* Article on "Red Skins"

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From Ives Goddard ([GODDARDI@si.edu](mailto:GODDARDI@si.edu)) 1 March 2006:

I have posted a version of my article, "'I Am a Red-Skin': The adoption of a Native American expression (1769-1826)" (European Review of Native American Studies 19[2]:1-20, 2005), together with some supplementary materials, on my web page:

<http://www.nmnh.si.edu/anthro/goddard/>

The posted version has some underlining (indicating ms. additions) that disappeared from the publication.

--Ives Goddard  
Smithsonian Institution





Meanwhile, I would be very interested in communicating with others who are interested in further exploring the connection between Eskimo-Aleut and Wakashan.

--Jan Henrik Holst  
[webmaster@janhenrikholst.de](mailto:webmaster@janhenrikholst.de)

\* For the record...  
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From Blair Rudes ([BARudes@email.uncc.edu](mailto:BARudes@email.uncc.edu)) 14 Feb 2006:

Thanks for printing the press release on my work on "The New World" in SSILA Bulletin #234. There is one minor correction to the notice. The press release says there are five state-recognized tribes in Virginia. There are actually eight state-recognized tribes (Chickahominy, Eastern Chickahominy, Mattaponi, Monacan, Nansemond, Pamunky, Rappahannock, and Upper Mattaponi).

--Blair Rudes  
University of North Carolina at Charlotte  
[barudes@email.uncc.edu](mailto:barudes@email.uncc.edu)

From John D. Nichols ([jdn@tc.umn.edu](mailto:jdn@tc.umn.edu)) 14 Feb 2006:

In the preliminary program distributed by the organizers of the Algonquian Revitalization conference at Mashantucket, and posted in SSILA Bulletin #234.3 ("Upcoming Meetings"), our presentation was incorrectly titled. It should be:

"Anishinaabe-wiinzowin: Ojibwe Personal Names in Language Revitalization."

--John Nichols and James Vukelich  
University of Minnesota-Twin Cities  
[jdn@umn.edu](mailto:jdn@umn.edu)

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Han comprometido su presencia:

- Dra. Zarina Estrada Fernández, "Rasgos tipológicos de las lenguas yutoaztecas del noroeste de México".
- Dr. César Fernández, "Problemas de la interculturalidad en el mundo actual"
- Dra. Angelita Martínez, "Lenguas y variedades en contacto. Gramaticalización y frecuencia de uso".
- Dra. Cristina Messineo, "Aspectos teóricos, metodológicos y éticos en la documentación del arte verbal toba."

Los interesados en participar en las Comisiones de Ponencias deberán enviar el Resumen de su trabajo por correo electrónico a alguna de las siguientes direcciones electrónicas:

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o bien por correo postal a:

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ARGENTINA

Fecha de presentación: 31 de marzo a fin de ser incluido en Libro de Resúmenes.

\* FEL X: Endangered Lgs & Multilingualism (Mysore, India, October 23-25)  
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From Nicholas Ostler ([nostler@chibcha.demon.co.uk](mailto:nostler@chibcha.demon.co.uk)) 8 March 2006:

The 10th meeting of the Foundation for Endangered Languages (UK) will take place at the Central Institute for Indian Languages in Mysore, India. The conference dates will be from Mon 23 to Wed 25 October, 2006.

The conference topic will be "Vital Voices: Endangered Languages and Multilingualism". We shall be putting out a call for abstracts in the next week or so.



\* High Desert International Linguistics Conference (Albuquerque, Nov. 9-11)  
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From High Desert Linguistics Society ( [hdls@unm.edu](mailto:hdls@unm.edu)) 6 March 2006:

The Seventh High Desert International Linguistics Conference (HDLS-7) will be held at the University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, NM, November 9-11, 2006.

With invited keynote speakers:

William Croft (University of New Mexico)  
Sally Rice (University of Alberta)  
Elizabeth Traugott (Stanford University)

We invite you to submit proposals for 20-minute talks with 10-minute discussion sessions in any area of linguistics - especially those from a cognitive / functional linguistics perspective. Papers in the following areas are particularly welcome:

Evolution of Language, Grammaticization, Metaphor & Metonymy, Native American Languages, Typology, Spanish and Languages of the American Southwest, Language Revitalization and Maintenance, Language Change & Variation, Sociolinguistics, Bilingualism, Discourse Analysis, Signed Languages, Language Acquisition and Computational Linguistics.

The deadline for submitting abstracts is Friday August 25th, 2006. Abstracts should be sent via e-mail, as an attachment, to [hdls@unm.edu](mailto:hdls@unm.edu) Please include the title "HDLS-7 abstract" in the subject line. MS-Word format is preferred or RTF if necessary.

The e-mail and attached abstract must include the following:

1. Author's Name(s)
2. Author's Affiliation(s)
3. Title of the Paper
4. E-mail address of the primary author

The abstract should be no more than one page and no less than 11-point font. A second page is permitted for references and/or data. Only two submissions per author will be accepted and we will only consider submissions that conform to the above guidelines.

Notification of acceptance will be sent out by September 1st, 2006.

If you have any questions or need for further information please contact



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When your e-mail address changes, please notify us ([golla@ssila.org](mailto:golla@ssila.org)).

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