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 Bonmann, Svenja. Wakhi from a structural 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, Sviatoslav. *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

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

13.00-14.30 Lunch

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

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.