

Language Contact and Language Change in Western Asia (LCLCWA)

10th to 12th March 2017 Goethe University Frankfurt, Germany

TIME	FRIDAY 10 MARCH	TIME	SATURDAY 11 MARCH	TIME	SUNDAY 12 MARCH
09:30-10:00	OPENING SESSION	10:00-10:30	<i>Chair: Daniel Krauß</i> Ioanna Sitaridou Negative Existential Cycle in Romeyka: Aerial feature or internal development?	10:00-11:00	KEYNOTE ADDRESS <i>Chair: Éva Á. Csató</i> Anaïd Donabédian Word Order in Western Armenian: typology and contact
10:00-10:45	KEYNOTE ADDRESS <i>Chair: Hiwa Asadpour</i> Jost Gippert Relative clauses in the Southern Caucasus in an areal perspective	10:30-11:00	Bruno Herin and Pelin Tunaydin Domani, a mixed language in Eastern Anatolia?	11:00-11:30	<i>Chair: Zahra Abolhassani Chimeh</i> Nicolaos Neocleous The reconstruction of VO and OV alternation in Romeyka
10:45-11:15	POSTER SESSION (see below)	11:00-11:30	Martin Haspelmath Can cross-linguistic distributions be explained by change constraints?	11:30-11:45	Coffee Break
11:15-11:45	Coffee Break	11:30-12:00	Coffee Break	11:45-12:15	<i>Chair: Thomas Jügel</i> Hélène Gérardin Contact-induced valency anomalies in Georgian
11:45-12:15	<i>Chair: Armin Hoenen</i> Lars Johanson, Christiane Bulut and Éva Á. Csató On the project “Historical and Linguistic Aspects of Turco-Iranian Contacts in the South Anatolian and West Iranian Area” carried out at Mainz University 1997–2008	12:00-13:00	KEYNOTE ADDRESS <i>Chair: Hiwa Asadpour</i> Geoffrey Khan <i>Word order in North-Eastern Neo-Aramaic dialects</i>	12:15-12:45	Michael L. Chyet “Jinê min diheře” and “Heytim”: More Examples of Learners’ Errors or Reinterpretation
12:15-12:45	Murad Suleymanov and Hélène Gérardin Convergent evolution of the future, the conditional and the eventual in Georgian and Azeri.	13:00-14:30	Lunch Time	12:45-13:15	Masoud Mohammadirad Pronominal clitics in Southern Central Kurdish varieties
12:45-13:15	Mojtaba Monshizadeh Changes in Old Persian Language and its Relation to Language Contact: A Comparative Study	14:30-15:30	WORKSHOP <i>Chair: Jost Gippert</i> Yaron Matras The Manchester Kurdish Database: Methods, scope, and initial findings concerning language contact and convergence’ by	13:15-14:15	Lunch Break
13:15-14:45	Lunch Time	15:30-16:00	Panel discussion with Geoffrey Khan and Geoffrey Haig	14:15-14:45	<i>Chair: Michael L. Chyet</i> Gohar Hakobyan On the Development of *-š- > -L- in Western New Iranian
14:45-15:15	<i>Chair: Nicolaos Neocleous</i> Michiel Leezenberg Vernacularisation in the Ottoman empire: The role of native grammars	16:00-16:30	Coffee Break	14:45-15:15	Amir Sharifi and Ali Ashouri The Enigma of Kermanshani Persian: Kurdified Persian or Persianized Kurdish?
15:15-15:45	Pinar Karakilcik Armenian -mš alla turca (in the Anatolian contact zone)	16:30-17:00	<i>Chair: Hélène Gérardin</i> Jade Al-Saraf The Function of the Loaned Particle ‘hamm’ in Baghdadi Arabic	15:15-15:45	Hasmik Kirakosian and Ani Sargsyan The Glossary “Daqāyeq Al-Haqāyeq” as a Source of Research of Persian-Turkish Linguistic Contacts and Training Methodology of the 16th Century
15:45-16:15	Laurentia Schreiber, Mortaza Taheri-Ardali, Geoffrey Haig and Erik Anonby Contact-induced change in Irano-Turkic morphosyntax	17:00-17:30	Jasmine Dum-Tragut Documentation and analysis of historical language contact revisited – On material from non-linguistic research archives and Armenian Prisoners-of-War in 1915	15:45-17:00	CLOSING SESSION Hiwa Asadpour Drawing the attention for critical points in linguistic contact Jost Gippert Summary of Caucasian languages in contact Éva Á. Csató, Lars Johanson and Christiane Bulut Summary of Turkic languages in contact Geoffrey Khan Summary of Semitic languages in contact Geoffrey Haig Summary of Kurdish varieties in contact Anaïd Donabédian Summary of Armenian varieties in contact Thomas Jügel Summary of other Iranian and Indo-European languages in contact
16:15-16:45	Coffee Break	17:30-18:00	Coffee Break		
16:45-17:15	<i>Chair: Murad Suleymanov</i> Martin Schwartz On the vocabulary of Luter-e Jâberi, a trader's secret language of Ilam Province, Iranian Kurdistan	18:00-18:40	<i>Chair: TBA</i> Abboud Zeitoune 130 years of Assyrian music, contacts and changes and possibilities of preservation		
17:15-17:45	Christiane Bulut Clause combining in spoken varieties of Turkic from Iraq, Iran, and SE Anatolia	18:40-21:00	Western Asian cultural performances with dinner Celebrating New Year in spring		
17:45-18:15	Annette Herkenrath Western-Asian multilingualism in Germany: Towards a Kurmanji-Turkish-German trilingual picture of information structure				
18:15-19:30	Free Time				
19:30	Conference Dinner				

Poster Session

Faryar Akhlaghi & Hiwa Asadpour: A Functional Typological Study of Complement Relations in Sorani Mukri and Urmia Kurmanji: Determining language contact effects

Narjes Eskandarnia & Arezoo Najafian: Georgian and Persian Linguistic Contact in Fereydunshahr (Isfahan)

Elena Panina Acoustic Investigation of Selected Vowel Phonemes in Two Varieties of Sorani Kurdish