

SIXTH INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON IRANIAN LANGUAGES (ICIL 6)
Ilia State University, G. Tsereteli Institute of Oriental Studies
Tbilisi / Georgia
23-26 June 2015

Program

Day 1 : Tuesday 23 June

10:30 **Registration etc.**

SESSION 1 chair: George Sanikidze

10:50 **Thomas V.Gamkrelidze**

Welcome address

11:00 Robin Meyer :

Case Attraction and NP-linking in Old Iranian

11:30 Tim Felix Aufderheide :

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13:00 Pegah Faghiri & Pollet Samvelian :

An empirical approach to the unmarked position of the DO

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Notes on the noun phrase in Bashkardi

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Day 2 : Wednesday 24 June

SESSION 5 chair: Vladimir Ivanov

10:30 Maryam Nourzaei :

Tense alternation in speech orienters in Southern Balochi oral stories

11:00 Stephen Levinsohn

& Maryam Nourzaei :

The Perfect as a Rhetorical Device in Reported Conversations

11:30 Jaroslava Obrtelova

Some features of Wakhi oral narratives: focusing on verbs

12:00 coffee

SESSION 6 chair: Mostafa Assi

12:30 Abbas Ali Ahangar

& Setareh Mojahedi Rezaeian :

The Study of Temporal Points of Departure in Narrative Discourse of Persian Children

13:00 Lutz Rzehak

Fillers, Emphasizers and Other Adjuncts in Spoken Dari

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SESSION 7 chair: Gilles Authier

15:00 Arseniy Vydrin :

Indirect speech and žæygæ in Ossetic

15:30 Steven Kaye :

Relative constructions in Northern Talyshi

16:00 Masoud Mohammadirad :

Instrumental semantic map in some Iranian Languages

16:30 coffee

City tour

Day 3 : Thursday 25 June

SESSION 8 chair: Abbas Ali Ahangar

- 10:30 Ghazaleh Vafaeian : *The progressive gram type in Iranian languages*
11:00 Guiti Shokri : *Progressive constructions in Mazandarani and Gilaki*
11:30 Narges Nematollahi : *Development of the Progressive Construction in Modern Persian*

12:00 coffee

SESSION 9 chair: Tamar Makharoblidze

- 12:30 Gilles Authier
& Murad Suleymanov : *Present Tense in Tat*
13:00 Dmitry Dundua
& Xenia Semionova : *Remarks on the diachrony of past tenses in Armenian and the Iranian languages*

13:30-15:00 lunch

15:00-16:00 Poster session with coffee

SESSION 10 chair: Agnes Korn

- 16:00 Ergin Opendin
& Nevzat Anuk : *Alignment variation in Zazaki: Case-syncretisms in the Mutki dialect*
16:30 Thomas Jügel : *Towards a comparative linguistic description of Iranian languages*
– a case study on verbal morphology

17:00 **Keynote 2:**
Martin Schwartz : *On exclusionary vocabularies in Iran and Central Asia*

Conference dinner

Day 4 : Friday 26 June

SESSION 11 chair: Arseniy Vydrin

10:30 Arthur Laisis :

The North-Western frontier of Iranian: contact with Baltic?

11:00 Patman Antadze-Malashkhia :

On the Adaptation of Certain Late Persian Loans in Georgian (Phrasal Verbs)

11:30 Sampsa Holopainen :

About the importance of Uralic loanword studies to Iranian historical linguistics

12:00 coffee

SESSION 12 chair: Patman Antadze-Malashkhia

12:30 Erik Anonby :

Mapping Iran's Languages: Situation and Prospects

13:30 Finish

14:00-15:00

lunch

15:00

Excursion: Mtskheta and around

Posters:

Daniel Barry :

On the Wakhi Realisation of the Phoneme k in Turkic Loanwords

Hossein Hashemi-Zarajabad & Yousef Aram :

Language Contact and Grammaticalization; a View from Perso-Turkic Contact

Mehdi Fattahi, Mahmood Bijankhan & Yasaman Choubsaz :

Morphology-Phonology Interaction in Kalhori Kurdish Verbal Construction:

The Case of Consonant Lenition and Morph Metathesis

Vladimir Ivanov & Leyli Dodykhudoeva :

Socio- and ethnolinguistic features of Gilaki and Mazanderani

Raheleh Izadifar :

The Semantic Map Representation of Pronominal Clitics in Tātic Language Group

Zahra Mirrazi & Ali Darzi :

Neg Raising in Persian

Razieh Shojaei :

Argument Alternation in Persian: A Moderate Lexico-Syntactic Approach

Razieh Shojaei & Mahmood Bijankhan :

Acquisition of Persian Consonant Clusters: An Optimality-Theoretic Perspective

Hannu Sorsamo :

Syllabification in Sorani Kurdish: A new look at glides and the bizroke