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Thursday, 30 September

18.30 Welcome address – Authorities
19.00-19.30 Honour Prof. Angeliki Malikouti-Drachman and Prof. Panayotis Kontos for their contribution to the study of Modern Greek dialects
19.30-20.00 Brian D. Joseph, Ohio State University, U.S.A.
   On Continuity and Change in the Dialects of Lesbos and Environs: Multilingualism and Polydialectalism over the Millennia

8.15-9.30 Reception dinner

Friday, 1 October

9.00-9.45 Angeliki-Malikouti Drachman, University of Salzburg, Austria (invited speaker)
   A Pilgrimage for Two: Remarks on Phonological Strength in Cypriot Greek
9.45-10.15 Anthi Revithiadou, Marc van Oostendorp, Kalomoira Nikolou & Marianna Tiliopoulou, University of the Aegean, Greece & Meertens Institute, The Netherlands
   Vowel Harmony in Contact-Induced Systems: The Case of Cappadocian and Silli
10.15-10.45 Ioanna Kappa, University of Crete, Greece
   Loanword Adaptation in the Cretan Dialect
10.45-11.15 George Drettas, CNRS, France  
De la chaîne phonique du mot: Structures syllabiques et formes lexicales du grec pontique

11.15-11.45 Break

11.45-12.30 Eric Hamp, University of Chicago, U.S.A. (invited speaker)  
Notes on Tsakonika in Mid-20th Century
12.30-13.00 Julián Méndez Dosuna, University of Salamanca, Spain  
When Zeroes Count for Nothing: The Mythical Origins of Nasal Deletion
13.00-13.30 Nick Nicholas, University of Melbourne, Australia  
Corsican Greek: How Romance did it Get?

13.30-16.00 Lunch

16.00-16.45 Peter Trudgill, Fribourg University, Switzerland (invited speaker)  
The Dispersion Principle and Greek Dialect Vowel Systems
16.45-17.15 Dimitris Papazachariou, University of Patras, Greece  
Formation of a New Variant in the Early Stages of Koinezation: The Case of (n) and (i) in the Dialect of Patras
17.15-17.45 Marina Terkourafi, British School at Athens & University of Cambridge, U.K.  
The Interplay of Regional and Social Variation in Cyprus: A Diachronic Perspective
17.45-18.15 Eleni Karantzola & Anatoli Theodoridou, University of the Aegean, Greece  
Cappadocian as a Case of Contact-Induced Language Change: Sociolinguistic and Structural Considerations

18.15-18.45 Break

18.45-19.15 Mark Janse, Ghent University, Belgium & Roosevelt Academy, Middelburg, The Netherlands  
Cappadocian Word-Formation: Straight or Mixed?
19.15-19.45 Julia Krivoruchko, University of Haifa, Israel  
Not only Cherubs: Lexicon of Judeo-Greek Origin in Standard Modern Greek and Modern Greek Dialects
19.45-20.15 Giannoula Giannoulopoulou, University of Thessaloniki, Greece  
Dialectological Research and Linguistic Theory: The Case of Morphology

Saturday, 2 October

9.00-9.45 Panayotis Kontos, University of Athens, Greece (invited speaker)  
Ομοιομορφία, δημορφία, πολυμορφία στη γλώσσα: η περίπτωση της Ελληνικής
9.45-10.15 Marianna Katsoyannou, Andreas Papapavlou, Pavlos Pavlou, Stavroula Tsiplakou, University of Cyprus, Cyprus
Identifying the Bidialectal Speaker: Evidence from Cypriot Greek

10.15-10.45 M. Kissilier, University of Saint Petersburg, Russia
Some Remarks on the Emphasis in the Greek Dialect of Mariupolis

10.45-11.15 Nikos Liosis & Irini Kriki, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Greece
Remarks on the Medieval Form of the Ionian Dialects

11.15-11.45 Break

11.45-12.15 Yoryia Agouraki, University of Cyprus, Cyprus
The Perfect Category: A Comparison of Standard and Cypriot Greek.

12.15-12.45 Theodore Markopoulos, University of Cambridge, U.K.
The Development of Future/Modality Markers: Evidence from Modern Greek Dialects

12.45-13.15 Kleanthes Grohmann, Phoevos Panagiotidis, Stavroula Tsiplakou, University of Cyprus, Cyprus
Some Properties of Wh-Question Formation in Cypriot Greek

13.15-13.45 Vassilios Spyropoulos, Marianna Tiliopoulou, University of the Aegean, Greece
Definiteness and Case in Cappadocian Greek

13.45-16.00 Lunch

16.00-16.45 Paul Kiparsky & Cleo Condoravdi, Stanford University, USA (invited speakers)
In Search of Jespersen’s Cycle

16.45-17.15 Stamatis Beis, Io Manolessou, Academy of Athens, Greece
Syntactic Isoglosses in Modern Greek Dialects: The Case of the Indirect Object

17.15-17.45 Panayotis Pappas, Simon Fraser University, Canada
The Development of Weak Object Pronoun Placement in Medieval Greek: Evidence from Regional Varieties

17.45-18.15 Christina Guardiano, Università degli Studi di Modena e Reggio Emilia, Italy.
Parametric Changes in the History of the Greek Article

18.15-18.45 Break

18.45-19.15 Angela Ralli, University of Patras, Greece
On the Role of Allomorphy in Inflectional Morphology: Evidence from the Dialectal Varieties of Lesvos, Kydonies, and Mochonisia

19.15-19.45 Nikolaos Pantelidis, Democritus University of Thrace, Greece
Reanalysis in Inflectional Morphology: Evidence from Modern Greek Dialects

19.45-20.15 Dimitra Melissaropoulou, University of Patras, Greece
The Uniformity of the Nominal Paradigm in the Greek Asia-Minor Dialect of Kydonies and Moschonisia: The Case of –ani(s) and –ari(s) Nouns

20.15-20.30 Closing remarks
Sunday, 3 October

Excursion

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