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Thursday-Saturday, May 24-26, 1990

Humanities Conference Hall, Royce 314

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, LOS ANGELES

PROGRAM SCHEDULE

Thursday, May 24

1:30: **Welcome, Georgios Giannakis (UCLA)**

1:40-2:00: **Hartmut Scharfe, Chairman of the Program in Indo-European Studies, UCLA**
Opening remarks: "Did the Indo-Europeans have blue blood?"

1st Session: 2:00-3:00, Chaired by Terence Wilbur (UCLA)

2:00-2:30: **Mark Stefanovich, PhD**

"Artificial Intelligence and the Indo-European Paradox"

2:30-3:00: **Sheldon Klein (University of Wisconsin, Madison)**

**"Testing Theories about the Origins of Indo-European Languages by
Computer Simulation"**

3:00-3:15: BREAK

2nd Session: 3:15-4:30, Chaired by Marija Gimbutas (UCLA)

3:15-3:45: Johanna Nichols (UC, Berkeley)

"The Indo-European Homeland: Evidence from Northeast Caucasian"

3:45-4:30: James P. Mallory (Queen's University, Belfast, N. Ireland)

"Thoughts on the Indo-European Problem"

4:30-4:45 BREAK

3rd Session: 4:45-5:45, Chaired by Martin Huld (CSU, Los Angeles)

4:45-5:15: Karlene Jones-Bley, (UCLA)

"Symbolic Designs and their Relationship to prehistoric Mythology"

5:15-5:45: Angela Della Volpe (CSU, Fullerton)

**"On the Indo-European socio-political and religious ideology
reflected in the foundation ritual"**

6:00: RECEPTION

Friday, May 25

1st Session: 9:30-11:00, Chaired by Raimo Anttila (UCLA)

9:30-10:00: Charles Reiss (Harvard)

"PIE *h₁er-: The Semantics of Vengeance and Compensation"

10:00-10:30: Bridget Drinka (Austin, Texas)

"Lachman's Law: A New Phonological Approach"

10:30-11:00: Bill Darden (Chicago)

"RHC vs. HRHC in Balto-Slavic and PIE"

11:00-11:15: BREAK

2nd Session: 11:15-12:30, Chaired by Patrick Ford (UCLA)

11:15-11:45: Terence Wilbur (UCLA)

"Plausibility"

11:45-12:30: Eric Hamp (Chicago)

"Linguistic Morphology in Cultural Reconstruction"

12:30-2:00: LUNCH BREAK

3rd Session: 2:00-3:45, Chaired by Richard Janko (UCLA)

2:00-2:30: Georgios Giannakis (UCLA)

"Peculiar Uses of certain Tenses in Greek and Sanskrit"

2:30-3:00: Apostolos Athanassakis (UC, Santa Barbara)

"The Eagle of Penelope's Dream and the speaking Swan of Nalopakhya 27"

3:00-3:45: Calvert Watkins (Harvard), presented by Joseph Falaky Nagy (UCLA)

"Obscure Styles in Indo-European"

3:45-4:00: BREAK

4th Session: 4:00-5:30, Chaired by A. N. Athanassakis (UC, Santa Barbara)

4:00-4:30: Richard Janko (UCLA)

"Ideas of Death and Fate in Greek and Indo-European"

4:30-5:00: Martin Schwartz (UC, Berkeley)

"On Parallelism of Semantic Change and Etymological Method: The Reconstruction of the PIE Word for 'winter'"

5:00-5:30: Darl J. Dumont (UC, Santa Barbara)

"The Ash Tree in Indo-European Culture"

7:30 DINNER at "CORFU" Restaurant

Saturday, May 26

1st Session: 9:30-11:15, Chaired by Heidi Waltz (UCLA)

9:30-10:00: John Frauzel (UCLA)

"A Comparative Study of the Absolute Constructions in Four Indo-European Languages"

10:00-10:30: Carol Justus (San Jose State U)

"Changes in the Discourse Pragmatics of the Indo-European Vocative Case"

10:30-11:00: L. Brockman (Harvard)

"The Outlaw and 'Wolf' in the oldest Indo-Iranian Texts"

11:00-11:15: BREAK

2nd Session: 11:15-12:30, Chaired by Hanns-Peter Schmidt (UCLA)

11:15-11:45: George Thompson (UC, Berkeley)

"The First Word for 'word' in Sanskrit" ★

11:45-12:30: Stanley Insler (Yale)

"The Dynamics of Animate s-Stem Inflection in IndoIranian"

12:30-2:00: LUNCH BREAK

3rd Session: 2:00-3:30, Chaired by Henning Andersen (UCLA)

2:00-2:30: Gary Holland (UC, Berkeley)

"The Syntax and Semantics of the Vedic Particle *cit*"

2:30-3:00: Martin Huld (CSU, Los Angeles)

"Some Comments on the Evolution of Indo-European Kinship Terms with Respect to Dialect Geography"

3:00-3:30: Ralph Gallucci (Loyola Marymount U)

"Early Greek Kinship Structures: Tribe, Phratry, Clan"

3:30-3:45: BREAK

4th Session: 3:45-5:00, Chaired by Karlene Jones-Bley (UCLA)

3:45-4:30: Elizabeth Barber (Occidental College)

"Doublets, Shadows, and Anomalies: The Faces of Archaeolinguistic Reconstruction"

4:30-5:00: Patrick McReynolds (UCLA)

"The Emanation of Heaven and *Yemo"

5:00-5:15 BREAK

5th Session: 5:15-6:15, Chaired by Tomoyuki Inoue (UCLA)

5:15-5:45: M. Olcott (San Jose State U)

"Electron: Greek Etymology and Baltic Mythology"

5:45-6:15: Frank R. Trombley (UCLA)

"Pagan Celtic Religious Cult and Christianization in Sixth-century Anatolia and Merovingian Gaul"

6:15: Closing Remarks, Terence Wilbur (UCLA)

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