

HRELP OPEN DAY 25 APRIL 2007

Time	Presentations	Demonstrations	Discussion	Display
10:00-10:30		TC Dobbin	OB ELAP	Student posters
10:30-11:00			JT ELDP	
11:00-11:30		SM,SS Solar power		
11:30-12:00				
12:00-12:30	AJ ELAN & video	BH Audio equipment	DN,DE ELAR	
12:30-1:00				
1:00-1:30	DN,SR,SB Dawes			
1:30-2:00		BH Audio equipment	JT ELDP	
2:00-2:30	AJ ELAN & video			
2:30-3:00		SM,SS Solar power	FL ELAP	
3:00-3:30	FL Elicitation		TC ELAR	
3:30-4:00	(4pm) Quiz prize			

Presentations

- AJ From field recording to analysis and back: using software to help transcribe and translate field recordings in preparation for linguistic analysis, then how (with little extra effort) to use the same recordings and translations to create DVDs for the language community. Anthony Jukes.
- DN,SR,SB William Dawes wrote notebooks about the Sydney language providing the best known documentation of this important language. The notebooks are held in SOAS library, with little access to their content elsewhere. This project is developing a web-accessible version providing images, searchable text, and other enhanced content. David Nathan, Susannah Rayner, Stuart Brown.
- FL Many language domains are difficult to investigate using verbal elicitation methods such as asking for translation equivalents, grammaticality judgements, descriptions, etc. This presentation introduces non-verbal video stimuli, and discusses their use, advantages and limitations. It also outlines a number of other useful resources for fieldworkers. Friederike Luepke.

Demonstrations

- TC Dobbin is a specialist audio archiving software for checking large amounts of audio for its quality and for various common errors. Tom Castle.
- SM, SS Practical demonstration of equipment for harvesting and storing solar electricity for powering field equipment. Stuart McGill, Sophie Salffner.
- BH Hands on and question-and-answer about audio recording equipment, including a range of recent solid state recorders. Bernard Howard.

Discussion

Staff from ELDP (grant-giving), ELAP (teaching, research and publication), and ELAR (data preservation and other technical support), will be available for informal discussion. Oliver Bond, Tom Castle, David Evans, Friederike Luepke, David Nathan, Jean Tullett.

Display

Display of posters produced by some 2006 and 2007 students as part of their Applied Language Documentation and Description course in which they designed a one-page poster, flyer or web page to communicate about an aspect of their study.