University of Utah Student Conference in Linguistics 2014
Friday, April 11, 2014

Dr. Labov’s keynote address will be in CTIHB 109. All other sessions and activities will be held in LNCO 2110.

8:30 AM—9:00 AM Check-in and continental breakfast¹ (LNCO 2110)

9:00 AM—9:05 AM Welcome

9:05 AM—10:10 AM Session I
  ● Accounting for Jèrriais Allomorphy through Lexical Selection | Miranda McCarvel, University of Utah
  ● Coordinated Variation in Warao and Shimakonde: A Markedness Suppression Account
    George-Michael Pescaru, University of Utah

10:20 AM—11:55 PM Session II
  ● A Functional Model of Word-Final Devoicing in Exemplar Theory
    George-Michael Pescaru & Andrew Bayles, University of Utah
  ● Using Topicalization to explain Icelandic Quirky case word order facts
    Andrew Zupon, University of Utah
  ● Categorical and Gradient Homophony Avoidance: Evidence from Japanese
    Yuka Muratani, University of Utah

12:00 PM—1:15 PM Lunch¹

1:30 PM—2:30 PM Session III (Poster Session)
  ● A reconstruction of the sounds of Proto-Chinookan | Tess Nolan, University of Utah
  ● Talker background and individual differences in the speech intelligibility benefit
    Amanda Rabideau, University of Utah
  ● The Perception of Arabic Emphatic Contrasts by Native English Speakers
    Kristie Durham, University of Utah
  ● Investigating Bilingual Advantage of Thai Stops | Matthew Halverson, University of Utah

2:45 PM—3:45 PM Keynote address (CTIHB 109—see map on reverse)
"What is to be learned?" | Dr. William Labov, University of Pennsylvania

3:45 PM—4:00 PM Water, tea, and coffee available in LNCO 2110

4:00 PM—5:00 PM Session IV (LNCO 2110)
  ● Gay- and straight-sounding voices: Gender socialization of Latter-day Saint missionaries
    Derron Borders, University of Utah
  ● (NG) in Utah: Retention or innovation? | Derron Borders & Aziz Alzoubi, University of Utah

¹ The breakfast and lunch are for registered participants only. For people not affiliated with the University of Utah, there is a $15 conference fee to cover meals and other costs.