

7th German-Albanian Cultural Studies Conference

THE ALBANIAN LANGUAGE AREA AND ITS SURROUNDINGS FROM LATE ANTIQUITY TO THE HIGH MIDDLE AGES

(Hotel Lindenhof, Hubmersberg 2, 91224 Pommelsbrunn)

Conference program

Day 1 - Friday, April 21, 2023

09.30-10.00	Organizational issues	Guests registration
10.00-10.45	Opening ceremony	- Welcome of the conference by the host - Welcome of the conference by representatives of several cultural and scientific institutions in Bavaria and Albania, as well as the consular representations of the Albanian speaking countries in Bavaria.

10.45 - 11.00 Coffee break

Module A: Keynote speeches

	Speaker	Topic
11.00-11.40	Prof. Dr. Peter Schreiner <i>Uni Köln</i>	Byzantinoalbanica. Die Bedeutung byzantinischer Zeugnisse zum Studium der albanischen Geschichte und Kultur (11./12. Jh.-15.Jh.)
11.40-12.20	Prof. Dr. Rudolf Haensch <i>LMU München - angefragt -</i>	Was erfahren wir aus antiken Inschriften über die Bevölkerung Albaniens unter römischer Herrschaft?
12.20-13.00	Prof. Dr. Olav Hackstein <i>LMU München</i>	Albanian and Balkans Indo-European

13.00 - 15.00 Lunch / break

Module B: Archaeology

	Speaker	Topic
15.00-15.30	Dr. Thomas Maurer <i>Museum Passau</i> Dr. Elvana Metalla <i>ASA Tirana</i>	Neue archäologische Forschungen in <i>Zgërdhesh</i> und die Suche nach <i>Albanopolis</i>
15.30-16.00	Dr. Etleva Nallbani <i>CNRS Paris</i>	'Komani culture'. New understandings on the Early Medieval western Balkans
16.00-16.30	Dr. Nevila Molla <i>ASA, Tirana</i>	Before the dawn of the 'Dark Ages'. Butrint's fortifications in the late antique period
16:30-17:00	Dr. Saimir Shpuza <i>Aix-Marseille Uni / ASA Tirana</i>	Urban and Rural Networks in Roman South Illyria

17.00 - 17.30 Coffee break

Module C: Population genetics and historical anthropology

	Speaker	Topic
17.30-18.00	Prof. Dr. Ilija Mikerezi <i>ASHSH Tirana</i>	Different Genetic Analysis Reveals Interesting Data on Genetic Structure and Relationships of Albanian Human Population
18.00-18.30	Prof. Dr. Genc Sulçebe <i>Uni. Med. / ASHSH Tirana</i>	Human Leukocyte Antigen (HLA) studies in Albanians and their impact on understanding the genetic relationships with other European populations
18.30-19.00	Prof. Dr. Aleksandër Dhima <i>Eur. Uni. Tirana</i>	Der Übergang von der Spätantike zum Frühmittelalter im albanischen Lebensraum aus dem Gesichtspunkt der historischen Anthropologie

19.15 Common dinner

Day 2 – Saturday, April 22, 2023

Module D: Medieval Studies

	Speaker	Topic
09.00-09.30	Dr. John Quanrud <i>IASP Tirana</i>	The <i>Albanoi</i> and <i>Latinoi</i> in George Maniakes' Armies: Cultures in Contact in Eleventh-Century Byzantium?
09.30-10.00	Prof. Dr. Pëllumb Xhufi <i>ASHSH Tirana</i>	Osmosi albano-slava nel Montenegro durante il Medioevo
10.00-10.30	Dr. Konstantinos Giakoumis <i>Uni. Coll. LOGOS Tirana</i>	The Allure of Byzantium in Self-Identifications of Late Medieval Albanian Elites

10.30 – 11.00 Coffee break

Module E: Historical Linguistics

	Speaker	Topic
11.00-11.30	Prof. Dr. Elton Prifti <i>Uni Saarland / Uni Mannheim</i>	L'apporto della lessicografia storica in ambito romanzo alla storiografia dell'albanese
11.30-12.00	Prof. Dr. Stefan Schumacher <i>Uni Wien</i>	The question of the phonological/phonetic value of 8 'uk' and □ 'vëdë' in Buzuku.
12.00-12.30	Dr. Michiel de Vaan <i>Uni Basel</i>	Parasynthetic verbs with a nasal prefix in Old Albanian and Old Romanian
12.30-13.00	Prof. Dr. Cătălina Vătăşescu <i>IESEE / Académie Roumaine</i>	Noms de couleurs en albanais et en roumain : termes pour 'pâle'

13.00-15.00 Lunch / break

Module F: Language Contact and Etymology

	Speaker	Topic
15.00-15.30	Prof. Dr. Anila Omari <i>ASA Tirana</i> Prof. Dr. Xhelal Ylli <i>Heidelberg</i>	Zur Frage der ältesten slawischen Lehnwörter im Albanischen
15.30-16.00	Ass. Prof. Dr. Enkeleida Kapia <i>ASA Tirana / LMU München</i>	Pitch-accents across Albanian varieties: a typological perspective
16.00-16.30	PD Dr. Sergio Neri <i>Uni Basel / LMU München</i>	Zu alb. <i>bathë</i> 'Saubohne' und gr. <i>phakós</i> 'Linse': Substratwörter oder indogermanisches Erbe?
16.30-17.00	Dr. Marek Majer <i>Uni Lodz</i>	Material etymologies: (1) <i>vobeg</i> 'poor', (2) <i>send</i> 'thing'

17.00 -17.30 Coffee break

Module D: Cultural Studies and Ethnolinguistics

	Speaker	Topic
17.30-18.00	Dr. Andrea di Giuseppe <i>Uni d. St. Roma Tre</i>	<i>Quando splendebat lucerna eius super caput meum</i> : riflessi iconografici albanesi attorno alla "lampada" di peca (Kukës)
18.00-18.30	Dr. Donato Martucci <i>Uni Salento</i>	Note antropologiche sulla "Relatione Universale dell'origine, e successo della Missione Apostolica de Frati Minori Osservanti Riformati del Serafico Padre S. Francesco nel Regno d'Albania" di P. fra Giacinto da Sospello
18.30-19.00	Prof. Dr. Bardhyl Demiraj <i>LMU München</i>	Alb. <i>fe</i> im ethnolinguistischen Kontext

19.15 Farewell party followed by Albanian music program

April 23, 2023

Departure of the guests: check-out until 12:00

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