Multilingual & Multicultural Communication

An IALSP / Mercator (Fryske Akademy) / SOAS (University of London)-co-sponsored PreConference to the 63rd International Communication Association’s Annual Meeting on “Challenging Communication Research”

Description: There has recently been an exponential increase in daily multilingual contacts in urban environments around the world. Multilingual communication is a norm, with large urban environments around the world often having hundreds of languages in contact. Prominent researchers in this field will not only present their own work, but also roundtable with a view to crafting a testable interdisciplinary model of multilingual communication, the process of integrating interdisciplinary insights towards a testable model of multilingual communication.

Speakers: Howard Giles, Itesh Sachdev, Cor van der Meer & Reinier Salverda, Francois Grin, Anne Pauwels, Jean Marc Dewaele, Lid King & Dina Mehmedbegovic, Li Wei, Rupert Brown

Time: Monday, 17 June 2013; 8:15 – 17:30

Location: Room V211, Vernon square campus, School of Oriental and African Studies (SOAS), University of London, Vernon Square, Penton Rise, London, WC1X 9EW

Limit: Maximum 60 attendees

Registration: by 10th June at the latest. Send cheque payable to “SOAS (Univ of London)” for 20 pounds sterling (50% discount for students and unwaged). Address for sending cheques: Prof. I. Sachdev, SOAS, University of London, Thornhaugh St, London WC1H 0XG.

Programme: The full program is available from i.sachdev@soas.ac.uk

Organizers: Itesh Sachdev (SOAS) and Howard Giles* (UC Santa Barbara)

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