

COLANG 2012

Institute for Collaborative Language Research

UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS

CoLang 2012 is a six-week Institute on **Collaborative Language** Research (formerly InField), to be held at the University of Kansas in the summer of 2012. The Institute is designed to provide an opportunity for graduate students, practicing linguists, and community linguists to become trained in a wide range of skills in community-centered language documentation. Successfully held in 2008 (UCSB) and 2010 (U of Oregon), the six-week institute consists of two parts: the **Workshops** - two weeks of intensive workshops on the practice of documentary linguistics – followed by a **Practicum** – a four-week apprenticeship in the application of linguistic science and technology to on-site empirical documentation (a.k.a. “field linguistics”). The two parts are integrated, as students who enroll in the Practicum are required to enroll in the preceding Workshops, thereby receiving an intensive course in documentary best practices before putting these skills to use. Participants may also choose to enroll only in the two-week Workshops.

Workshops: June 18–29, 2012

Basics	6 workshops	Community Lang. Work	5 workshops
Technology	13 workshops	Applications	5 workshops

Practicum: July 2–27, 2012

Languages:

Tlingit [Na-Dene]

Uda [Niger-Congo]

Amazigh (Berber) [Afro-Asiatic]

Cherokee [Iroquoian]

Registration Deadlines:

January 15, 2012

Deadline for international participants. (You may register after this date, but you may not be able to obtain a visa in time.)

April 30, 2012

Deadline for regular-price registration (all participants).

May 20, 2012

Last date to reserve on-campus housing (late registration fees apply).

May 21-June 18, 2012

Last-minute registrations will be accepted (at late registration fees), but those registering after May 20 will likely have to find off-campus housing.

For more details, visit our web site: <http://idrh.ku.edu/colang2012/>

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