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The Split

Reconstructing Early Indo-European Language and Culture

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Room 27.0.09 (building 27 · ground floor · room 09)

		13 September		Wednesday
		09.00–09.45	Registration	
		09.45–10.00	Opening	
Weiss		10.00–10.45	Alwin Kloekhorst (Leiden University): The Hittite verbal system and the Indo-Hittite hypothesis	
		10.45–11.15	Riccardo Ginevra (Università per Stranieri di Siena / University of Cologne): Myths of non-functioning fertility deities in Hittite and Core Indo-European	
		11.15–11.30	Coffee break	
Melchert		11.30–12.00	Zsolt Simon (LMU Munich): The Anatolian stop system and the Indo-Hittite hypothesis – revisited	
		12.00–12.30	Lukas Kahl (Harvard University): The Old Hittite “ninth case” in areal and genetic perspective	
		12.30–14.00	Lunch break	
		14.00–14.30	Hans Bandelt (Hamburg University): Can ancient DNA studies contribute to the understanding of the early spread and split of Indo-European languages?	
Olander		14.30–15.00	Stefan Höfler (Harvard University): Hittite <i>hišša-</i> c. ‘thill, shaft (of a cart)’ and the feminine gender in Proto-Indo-European	
		15.00–15.15	Coffee break	
		15.15–15.45	Adam Hyllested (University of Copenhagen): Did the Indo-Europeans have a word for ‘wheat’? Hittite <i>šēppit(t)-</i> revisited and the rise of Post-PIE cereal terminology	
		14 September		Thursday
	Olsen	09.45–10.30	José Luis García Ramón (CHS Washington/Harvard University): Reconstructing Indo-European phraseology: Continuity and renewal	
		10.30–11.00	Matilde Serangeli: Complementary roots. The case of IE <i>*ten-</i> and its variants	
		11.00–11.15	Coffee break	
	García Ramón	11.15–11.45	H. Craig Melchert (UNC Chapel Hill): Hittite <i>handā(i)-</i> ‘to align, arrange, etc.’ and PIE metaphors for ‘(morally) right’	
		11.45–12.15	Rasmus Bjørn: From nouns to numerals: Anatolian ‘four’ and the dawn of PIE decimal counting	
		12.15–13.45	Lunch break	
	Kloekhorst	13.45–14.30	Michael Weiss (Cornell University): The inner revolution: Lexical innovations of Post-Anatolian, Post-Tocharian Indo-European	
		14.30–15.00	Eugen Hill & Daniel Kölligan (University of Cologne): Evidence for preverbs as ditropic clitics in dialectal Indo-European	
		15.00–15.15	Coffee break	
	Hyllested	15.15–15.45	Rachele Pierini (University of Bologna): The athematic stem ending <i>-e</i> in Linear B: dative or instrumental?	
		15.45–16.15	Matthew Scarborough (Max Planck Institute, Jena): Splitting hairs over the lexicon: Current issues in utilising lexical data for Indo-European cladistic research	
		19.00	Conference dinner at “Au Bistrot (Adendum)”, Snorresgade 1, 2300 Copenhagen S	
		15 September		Friday
	Kroonen	10.00–10.45	Asko Parpola (University of Helsinki): The split of Indo-Iranian in the light of linguistic and archaeological evidence	
		10.45–11.15	James Johnson (University of Copenhagen): And now for something completely different? Interrogating culture and social change in Proto/Indo-European Studies	
		11.15–11.30	Coffee break	
	Johnson	11.30–12.15	Kristian Kristiansen (University of Gothenburg): After migration: how culture, genetics and language were reshaped by local processes of social integration. The case of Yamnaya and Corded Ware	
		12.15–12.45	Concluding discussion	
		15.00–16.00	Excursion: Guided tour to Ny Carlsberg Glyptotek, Dantes Plads 7, 1556 Copenhagen V	