

# Landscape in Language Workshop

Program (subject to change!)

**Sunday (Albuquerque)**

Informal social gathering and/or dinner for those in ABQ in time; participants must arrive by Sunday night, and are encouraged to arrive earlier if convenient.

**Monday, October 27 (Plaza Inn, Albuquerque)**

**9:00-10:30: Session 1: Introduction to the Workshop**

Chair: XXXXX

Welcome and Introductory remarks by **Alvin Warren**, Cabinet Secretary of the New Mexico Indian Affairs Department [timing to be confirmed]  
Remarks by some Steering Committee members on goals for the Workshop,  
Self-introductions of participants

**10:30-11:00: Coffee Break**

**11:00-13:00: Session 2: Ethnophysiology**

Chair: XXXXX

David Mark (Intro + Yindjibarndi case study)  
David Stea (Navajo case study)  
Andrew Turk (conceptual framework of factors)  
General discussion

**13:00-14:30: Lunch**

**14:30-15:30: Session 3: MPI Language & Cognition Research and 'Semplates'**

Chair: XXXXX

Niclas Burenhult  
General discussion

**15:30-16:00: Coffee Break**

**16:00-18:00: Session 4: Phenomenology and Philosophy of Place**

Chair: XXXXX

Bruce Janz  
Jay T. Johnson, "Storied Landscapes: Place-based learning and knowing."  
Andrew Turk

General discussion

## Tuesday, October 28

**9:00 Bus leaves for Window Rock**, capital of the Navajo Nation

**12-ish Lunch in Window Rock**

**Session(s) in Window Rock**

Meetings with Navajo nation officials t.b.a.

**Drive to Canyon de Chelly**

**Dinner**

(Cafeteria open every day from 6:30 am to 8:30 pm)

## Wednesday, October 29

**9:00-10:00: Session 5: Ethnoecology**

Chair: XXXXX

**Leslie Main Johnson**, Language, Landscape and Ethnoecology, Reflections from Northwestern Canada.

**Chris Duvall**, Land and life: Understanding cross-cultural variation and continuity in the ways people conceptualize physical geographic features

**10:00-10:30: Coffee Break**

**10:30-12.30: Session 6: Landscape Categories**

Chair: XXXXX

Carolyn O'Meara, Seri landscape categories

Gunter Senft, Trobriand Islands, landscape categories

Clair Hill, Sandbeach Language and Country, Cape York Peninsula (Australia)

Gary Holton, Pantar landscape categories

**12.30-14:00: Lunch**

**14:00-16:00: Session 7: Topophilia and Landscape Narratives**

Chair: XXXXX

Renee Louis, Hawai'i, toponyms, GIS

Carmelita Topaha, Navajo Landscape and Its Contexts

Scott Heyes, Between the trees and tides: Inuit conceptions of a coastal and boreal landscape

Elizabeth Lynch, Jicarilla Apache, traditional narratives

**16:00-16:30: Coffee Break**

**16:30-18:00: Session 8: Ontology: Representing Conceptual Systems:**

Chair: XXXXX

Werner Kuhn

Asifa Majid

David Mark

General discussion

**Thursday, October 30**

**9:00-10:30: Session 9: Toponyms**

Chair: XXXXX

James Kari, toponyms, Alaska Na-Dene

Thomas Thornton, toponyms, Tlingits. Haidas

Jay Williams, Navajo toponyms

**10:30-11:00: Coffee Break**

**11:00-12:00: Session 10: Navajo Toponyms & Canyon de Chelly background**

Chair: XXXXX

Stephen Jett, Landscape Embedded in Language: The Navajo of Canyon de Chelly and Their Named Places

**Lunch**

**Canyon de Chelly Tour**

**Friday, October 31**

**9:00-11:00: Session 11: Indigenous GIS, Indigenous Mapping, Landscape Mapping:**

Chair: XXXXX

Renee Sieber, Wimidji Cree, community GIS

Karen Kemp, Integrating traditional science and indigenous knowledge

Lars Brabyn, Formalising Landscape Language in a Geographical Information System

Phillip Tuwaletstiwa, Land, culture, and GIS

**11:00-11:30: Coffee Break**

**11:30-13:00: Session 12: Panel Discussion: Ethical Issues in Indigenous Landscape Research**

Chair: XXXXX

Renee Louis  
Carmelita Topaha  
Andrew Turk  
Renee Sieber  
General discussion

**13:00-14:00: Lunch**

**14:00-15:30: Session 13: Panel Discussion: Methods and Theory/Methods Interaction in Landscape in Language Research**

Chair: XXXXX

Asifa Majid  
David Stea  
+ others

**15:30-16:00: Coffee Break**

**16:00-17:30: Session 14: Priorities for Future Landscape in Language Research**

Chair: XXXXX

David Mark  
+ others

**Saturday, November 1**

**9:00: Bus Departs for Newcomb, New Mexico**

**12:00-3:00: Lunch and Community Celebration in Newcomb**

**3:00: Bus departs Newcomb for Albuquerque**

**Closing dinner (Albuquerque)**